

**Garden Valley Fire Protection District Board of Commissioners**  
**Special Meeting Minutes**

**Where: Main Fire Station on Middlefork Rd in Crouch**

**When: 13 February 2026 @ 1:00 PM**



- 1 **Call to Order - 1:00 PM Called to Order**
- 2 **Commissioner(s) Role Call - Phil Palmiotto, Mike Van Dyk**
- 3 **Amendments to this Agenda**
  - 3.1 Motions to amend this agenda.  
-None

4 **\* New Business**

- 4.1 Interview candidates for commissioner vacancy. (No motions, or actions will be made)

Phil Palmiotto thanked candidates for applying for the vacancy, and for their willingness to serve the community. Advised that he is requesting participation from the public wait until after the end of the interviews to comment or address the board. The commissioners have a set list of questions for all candidates but may ask follow-up questions. Interviews today are just one facet that the commissioners will use to review the candidates. Feb. 24th, at a special meeting the commissioners will deliberate and vote on the candidates who applied for the position.

Commissioners interviewed candidates to fill subdistrict 3 commissioner vacancy by alphabetical order according to last name.

- Mike Dolan was interviewed.
- Jason Sawin was interviewed.
- Justin Talbert was interviewed.

5 **\* Public Participation**

- 5.1 Members of the public may comment on an agenda item before action is taken and after the Board has discussed the item. Any member of the public making a public comment shall state their name and address for the record prior to addressing the Board.

- None

6 **(\*) Adjournment**

- 6.1 Commissioners voted to adjourn at 3:47 PM

**ASTERISK (\*) ITEMS ARE ALL SUBJECT TO POSSIBLE ACTION BY THE GVFPD BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.**  
**The GVFPD Board of Commissioners Reserves the Right to Change the Agenda Prior to the Meeting.**

**Public Attendance:**

Geoff Crandlemire, Bob Seal, Tracy Raddigan, Steven Raddigan, Noah Sawin, Linda Van Vleck, Toni Palmiotto, Scott Price, Mary Thompson

**Candidates in Attendance:**

Justin Talbert, Jason Sawin, & Mike Dolan

**The next Regular GVFPD Board Meeting will be on Tuesday, 03/10/2026, @ 2:00 PM @ the Main Station above Crouch.**