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The Illinois Valley Regional Dispatch Board (IVRD) will hold a meeting at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, March 28, 2023 at the Peru Municipal Building located 1901 4th Street, Peru, Illinois.

AGENDA

1. **CALL TO ORDER** by Chairman Greg Kellen
2. **ROLL CALL**
Voting & Quorum Members: Bernabei, Boelk (Hochstatter), Curran, Duncan, Fisher, Grove, Hogan, Janick, King, Kolowski, Margis, Rivara, Rutishauser, Smudzinski, Vice Chairman Popurella, Chairman Kellen

Non-Voting Members: Earlville Fire Protection District, City of Spring Valley, Utica Community Fire Protection District
3. **MINUTES**
 - Approve IVRD Meeting minutes of February 28, 2023.
4. **PUBLIC FORUM (CITIZEN COMMENTS)**
5. **COMMUNICATIONS**
6. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**
 - A) Fire/EMS Operations (Janick/King/Popurella/Rutishauser/Brown/Bogatitus/Todd/Coppes)
 - Update
 - B) Law Enforcement Operations (Smudzinski/Bernabei/Margis/Kellen/Curran, A.)
 - Update
 - D) Labor Management Committee (Bernabei/Duncan/Kellen/Rivara)
 - Update
 - E) IVRD Executive Director's Report (Miller-Guss)
 - Update
 - F) Chairman's Report (Kellen)
 - Update

7. REPORTS

- Motion to receive and place February Financial Report on file and to approve and pay bills in the usual manner.

8. OLD BUSINESS

9. NEW BUSINESS

- Motion to approve the FY2023 Audit engagement with Hopkin & Associates for \$4,300.00.
- Discuss election of Chairman and Vice Chairman for two-year terms effective May 1, 2023 with Oglesby Fire Chair/Peru Police Vice Chair with election at April meeting.
- Proclamation - National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week, April 9-15, 2023

10. RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES

11. PUBLIC FORUM (CITIZEN COMMENTS)

12. EXECUTIVE (CLOSED) SESSION

The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees, specific individuals who serve as independent contractors in a park, recreational, or educational setting, or specific volunteers of the public body or legal counsel for the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee, a specific individual who serves as an independent contractor in a park, recreational, or educational setting, or a volunteer of the public body or against legal counsel for the public body to determine its validity. However, a meeting to consider an increase in compensation to a specific employee of a public body that is subject to the Local Government Wage Increase Transparency Act may not be closed and shall be open to the public and posted and held in accordance with this Act.

Collective negotiating matters between the public body and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees.

The purchase or lease of real property for the use of the public body, including meetings held for the purpose of discussing whether a particular parcel should be acquired.

The setting of a price for sale or lease of property owned by the public body.

13. NEXT IVRD MEETING:

10:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 25, 2023

14. ADJOURNMENT

BY: Greg Kellen – Chairman. Distribution LaSalle, Peru, Oglesby & Mendota City Clerks, and all IVRD Board Members