

**Peoples Valley Fire District**  
PO Box 936, Yarnell, AZ 85362  
17275 W. Burning Bush Drive, Peoples Valley, AZ 86332

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING AGENDA**

**Notice of Regular Meeting**

Historic Peoples Valley School  
18205 S. Highway 89, Peoples Valley, AZ  
**Wednesday, February 18, 2026, at 10:00 AM**

**The public will have physical access to the meeting facility at 9:45 AM**

Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Governing Board and the General Public that the Peoples Valley Fire District Governing Board will hold a meeting on the date and time listed above at **18205 S. Highway 89, Peoples Valley, AZ**. The topics listed and any variables thereto will be subject to Board consideration, discussion, approval, or other action. Copies of the Agenda and Minutes are available on [peoplesvalleyfire.org](http://peoplesvalleyfire.org). If any person with a disability requires an accommodation, please notify the Peoples Valley Fire District in advance of the scheduled meeting time. The Board may vote to go into executive session on any agenda item pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) for legal advice with the district's attorney on matters as outlined in the agenda item. Members may participate in all or a portion of the meeting by telephone. The Governing Board may consider any item on this agenda in any order and at any time during the meeting.

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

**2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**3. ROLL CALL OF BOARD:** Neil Rifenbark, Phil Lobeck, Wayne Keller, Scott Mayer, Gregg Carr Members may participate in all or a portion of the meeting electronically.

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Regular Session 01-20-2026

**5. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

Consideration and discussion of comments and complaints from the public: Those wishing to address the Peoples Valley Fire District Board need not request permission in advance. The Fire District Board is not permitted to discuss or take action on any item raised in the call to the public. However, individual Board members may be permitted to respond to criticism directed at them. Otherwise, the Board may direct that staff review the matter or that the matter be placed on a future agenda. The Fire District Board cannot discuss or take legal action on any issue raised during the Call to the Public due to restrictions of the Open Meeting Law. Participants shall follow guidelines for good conduct and time constraints per the Fire District Policy on meeting procedures.

**6. REPORTS AND CORRESPONDENCE**

- A. Fire Chief's Report
- B. Duty Officers' Reports
- C. Fire Prevention and Safety Officer's Report
- D. Report from Weaver Mountains Firewise Communities Coordinators
- E. Correspondence received by the Board of Directors
- F. Auxiliary Report

**7. PUBLIC HEARING**

- A. Consider recessing the regular meeting to hold a Public Hearing to discuss adjacent annexation requests.
- B. Consider adjourning the Public Hearing and reconvening the Regular Session.

**8. BUSINESS and ACTION**

- A. Discussion/possible action to approve the January 2026 Financial Report presented by The James Vincent Group.
- B. Discussion/possible action to approve February Warrant Requests.
- C. Discussion/possible action to approve the Chief to appoint a committee to review

district bylaws.

- D. Discussion/possible action to approve the Chief to form a budget workshop committee.
- E. Discussion/possible action to approve a resolution for adjacent annexation requests.
  - 1. Resolution No. 2026-02-18 – 001P
  - 2. Resolution No. 2026-02-18 – 001Q
  - 3. Resolution No. 2026-02-18 – 001R
  - 4. Resolution No. 2026-02-18 – 001S
  - 5. Resolution No. 2026-02-18 – 001T
  - 6. Resolution No. 2026-02-18 – 001U
  - 7. Resolution No. 2026-02-18 – 001V

## **9. DISCUSSION**

- 1. Self-termination of Employee ID 205 (January 19, 2026)
- 2. Employment of Employee ID 222 (February 2, 2026)
- 3. Employment of Employee ID 227 (February 2, 2026)
- 4. Status of the Weaver Mountains Regional Public Safety Facility
- 5. Community meeting hosted at Ruger Ranch
- 6. Station 82 Ruger Ranch
- 7. Yarnell Fire District

## **10. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

- A. New Business Agenda Item Requests for the next regular meeting, workshops, and other meetings.
- B. Upcoming Meeting Date: Next Regular Session – March 18, 2026, at 10:00 AM.

## **11. ADJOURNMENT**