

**Yolo Fire Protection District**  
**P.O. Box 466**  
**Yolo, CA 95697**  
**SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES – May 6, 2026**

The Board of Commissioners of the Yolo Fire Protection District met on May 8, 2026, in a special session at the Yolo Fire Station. Commissioner Steve Weiss called the meeting to order at 7:05 AM.

Commissioners present: Steve Weiss, Chuck Hermle, and Lynnel Pollock  
Commissioners absent: None  
Others Present: Chief Dan Tafoya, Jr. and Captain Tina Day

Introductions: None

Public Comment: None

Correspondence and Informational Items: None

Update on Hiring a Second Paid Firefighter and Possible Action:

Discussion was held on the possibility of hiring a second paid firefighter. It was decided to hire one firefighter at an annual salary of \$46,000 with a proposed start date of May 18. A second firefighter could be hired at the same rate with a proposed starting date of June 1. A monthly health insurance stipend of \$450/month starting at the date of hire would be provided.

Motion: Hermle    Second: Pollock    Motion: Unanimously Carried

Update on Cal Fire Grant:

Captain Day presented a grant application for the purchase of safety equipment to include wildland pants and shirts, practice structures, and communication equipment. Captain Day agreed to submit the grant on behalf of the District. The Commissioners approved moving forward with the application.

Motion: Pollock    Second: Hermle    Motion: Unanimously Carried

The meeting adjourned at 7:20 AM.

Respectfully submitted,



Lynnel Pollock, Secretary