

**FIRE & WATER COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
3-2-10**

Sign in:

Ronald Simpson	Don Thompson
Mary Wofford	Jim Smith
Dan McDowell	Bill Davis
Jack Jenkins	Walmer Schmidtke
Paul Jackstadt	Brenda Whitaker
Brian Konzen	Mike Skoklo
Judy Whitaker	Ed Hagnauer

Aldermen Schmidtke calls meeting to order.

Discussion-EMS rates they talk about divergence in collection, billed amounts from 2008-2009. They compared Granite City ambulance rates with other national and regional services, our rates were at the bottom of the scale on all categories. A minor rate increase should be considered, we could generate an increase of \$90,000.00

Also a proposal to clean up the ordinance that we currently have.

MOTION by Schmidtke, second by Simpson to send back to clean up ordinance and bring it back

Discussion of city ambulance for transferring non residence to hospital or from hospital.

MOTION by Schmidtke, second by Simpson to adjourn the meeting.