

BORDENTOWN TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT #1

MINUTES OF MONTHLY MEETING
May 2, 2024
BOARD of FIRE COMMISSIONERS
51 Groveville Rd.
Trenton, NJ 08620

Meeting called to order at 8:00 P.M.

Members present: John D. Kinsley, Jr., Salvatore Guido, Raymond Fackenthall, Timothy J. Kinsley, Matthew Mezger, Jr.

Professionals Present: None.

Commissioner John Kinsley read Open Public Meetings Act.

- Pointed out the emergency exits.
- There will be no smoking.

Ray Fackenthall made a motion to approve minutes of regular meeting held on April 4, 2024.

- Motion seconded by Sal Guido.
- Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes.

Communications

- No communications.

Solicitor's Report

- Excused Absence.

Treasurers' Report

- Commissioner Sal Guido reported on the bills & expenses for May 2024.
- Motion by Sal Guido to pay May 2024 bills as submitted.
 - Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall to pay May 2024 bills.
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes
- 2023 Audit is being worked on.

Unfinished Business

- No unfinished business to report.

New Business

- No New Business to report.

Chief's Report

- ARFP Grant – No update on their web site. Received information the State of NJ is currently processing everything, but they are running behind.
- Still working on the items for ISO. ISO most likely to be visiting this month.
- FEMA SAFER Grant was submitted. Should hear something around September.
- Waiting on Chief Lynch to get back to Fire District about taking over the foam trailer duties.
- Candidate schedule was emailed out for review on April 24, 2024. Are we good to move forward with hiring process?
- OSHA is currently purposing major changes to regulations for the fire service. They are looking to incorporate in whole or part of NFPA Standards that could have sever impacts to the way we operate& training requirements.

Equipment Purchase Request:

- There was a discussion about straight / smooth bore nozzles.
 - Motion by Sal Guido to purchase straight / smooth bore nozzles, provided the cost stays under \$1,000.00.
 - Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall.
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes

Maintenance Items:

- PSTrax maintenance status report from Captain Mezger attached.
- Will delay the following repairs in order to complete drivers training on E3211. Received an estimate for E3211's diagnosis & repairs from the PM Inspection. Total is \$2974.03. There may be additional work& costs depending on some of the items that need to be diagnosed.
- TRK 3213 PM repair quote is \$3,597.44.
- TRK 3218 siren is inoperable. EES provided a quote of #386.70, if they find the siren speaker to be bad.
- Motion by Sal Guido to have TRK 3213 PM repairs completed at the quoted price.
 - Motion seconded by Matthew Mezger, Jr.
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes

Captain's Report

- See Captain's Report for May 2024.

Bureau of Fire Prevention

- See Fire Marshal's Report for May 2024.

Public Comments and Questions

- No public questions or comments.

Sal Guido made a motion to adjourn the regular meeting @ 8:21 P. M.
Motion seconded by Matthew Mezger, Jr.
Roll Call Vote. Vote All Ayes.

Respectfully Submitted,
Timothy J. Kinsley, Secretary