

BORDENTOWN TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT #1

MINUTES OF MONTHLY MEETING
January 2, 2025
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., Timothy J. Kinsley, Salvatore Guido, Raymond Fackenthall.

Professionals Present: None.

Commissioner John Kinsley read the Open Public Meetings Act.

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

Sal Guido made a motion to approve minutes of regular meeting held on December 5, 2024.

- Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall
- Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes.

Communications

- No communications to report.

Solicitor's Report

- Absent.

Treasurers' Report

- Commissioner Sal Guido reported on the bills & expenses for January 2025.
- Motion by Sal Guido to pay January 2025 bills as submitted.
 - Motion was seconded by Ray Fackenthall to pay January 2025 bills.
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes

Unfinished Business

- No unfinished business to report.

New Business

- Commissioner John Kinsley introduced and read Resolution #2025-1 entitled "Resolution Establishing Municipal Approval of Elected Fire Commissioner Compensation Within Fire District No. 1, Township of Bordentown"
 - Motion by Sal Guido to move Resolution #2025-1.
 - Motion was seconded by Rat Fackenthall
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes
- Commissioner John Kinsley read the adopted 2025 Fire District Budget Resolution for the Fiscal Year January 1, 2025, to December 31, 2025. The annual Budget as introduced reflects Total Revenues of \$2,479,973.30 which includes an amount to be raised by taxation of \$2,314,805.30.
 - Motion by Sal Guido to accept the 2025 Budget as submitted.
 - Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall.
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes
- District Fire Chief Tom Komlosi swore in new Firefighter Michael T. Rathjen.

Chief's Report

- AFG Grant for Attack Hose Grant was submitted.
- AFG-SCBA - still waiting prices.
- AFRP Grant – Reimbursement for turnout gear was submitted & approved.
- Still working with an IT person, Jeff, to get the computer updates completed.
- Began working on quote for replacement FM vehicle.
- Captain Mezger & Chief Komlosi will be reviewing everyone's left over time from 2024 to confirm totals.

Equipment Purchase Request:

- Chief Komlosi compiled a final equipment order for 2024.
- Miller Spine board was used on the light rail train accident. The staff have checked all hospitals and cannot locate the board. Replacement unit cost being looked into.

Maintenance Items:

- PSTRax maintenance status report from Captain Mezger attached.
- TRK 3218 siren is inoperable. Will be repaired in 2025.
- FM-SUV: all equipment, wiring has been removed.
- Contacted Norcross electric, left message about the estimate. Still waiting a return call from Norcross.
- Front tires are worn to the wear indicators, need replacement. Quote from Custom Bandag for \$1,515.20.
- E3212: Lee's Emergency Equipment, waiting for parts to come in.

Captain's Report

- See Captain's Report for January 2025.

Bureau of Fire Prevention

- See Fire Marshal's Report for January 2025.

Public Comments and Questions

- No public questions or comments.

Sal Guido made a motion to adjourn the regular meeting @ 8:10 P.M.

Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthal.

Roll Call Vote. Vote All Ayes.

Respectfully Submitted,
Timothy J. Kinsley, Secretary