

BORDENTOWN TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT #1

MINUTES OF MONTHLY MEETING
August 7, 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, Raymond Fackenthall, Matthew Mezger, Jr.

Professionals Present: None.

Commissioner John Kinsley read the 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 July 10, 2025.

- Motion seconded by Matt Mezger, Jr.
- Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes.

Communications

- No communications to report.

Solicitor's Report

- Absent.

Treasurers' Report

- Commissioner Raymond Fackenthall reported on the bills & expenses for August 2025.
- Motion by Raymond Fackenthall to pay August 2025 bills as submitted.
 - Motion was seconded by Matthew Mezger, Jr. to pay August 2025 bills.
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes

Unfinished Business

- No unfinished business to report.

New Business

- Commissioner Tim Kinsley introduced and read in full Resolution #2025-7 "Resolution Establishing and Creating Paid Fire Captain Position within Fire District No. 1, Township of Bordentown, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey".
 - Motion by Tim Kinsley to move Resolution #2025-7.
 - Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Aye

Chief's Report

- AFG Grant for Attack Hose Grant – no movement to report.
- AFG-SCBA Grant – Fit Testing for new masks has been completed.
- AFRP Grant – Turn-Out Gear; working on the next order.
- FM vehicle replacement: Received vehicle cost and emergency accessories with installation.
- DeAngelo Electric - will be out the week of August 18th to complete work.
- Report on No crew Response Calls for June.
- New Firefighter Candidates – interviews for 4 candidates where conducted. There are three (3) candidates from the 2nd group of candidates that are getting scheduled for interviews.

Equipment Purchase Request:

- E3212 vent saw is not repairable. Need to purchase new vent saw. Received a quote Joseph Steinert & Co. for new vent saw in the amount of \$1,636.98.
- Motion by Tim Kinsley to purchase new vent saw at the quoted price.
 - Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall
 - Roll call Vote Vote All Ayes
- Motion by Tim Kinsley to purchase One (1) 2025 Ford F150 Crew Cab Police Responder from Winner – Cherry Hill Ford. Purchase will be made through the N.J State Contract #20-Fleet-01189.
 - Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes
- Motion by Tim Kinsley to purchase the Lighting Package & Console from Emergency Accessories & Installation at the quoted price of \$4,188.00.
- Motion by Tim Kinsley to have Auto FX install the radios, console & emergency lights at the quoted price of \$3,814.00
 - Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall
 - Roll Call Vote Vote All Ayes
- Motion by Tim Kinsley to Sorks N More, LLC do the vehicle stripping & lettering.
 - Motion seconded by Ray Fackenthall
 - Roll call Vote Vote All Ayes

Maintenance Items:

- PSTrax maintenance status report from Captain Rinaldi attached.
- TRK 3218 siren is repaired with a temporary fix.

- FM-SUV: What are the next steps.
- E3211 – Captain Rinaldi is still working with EES to ensure all PM items have been addressed.
- E3213 – No quote, there is an air leak that needs to be diagnosed and repaired. Booster reel rewind is not working.
- Front bathroom water heater – reached out to Wilson plumbing, waiting to hear back on status of water heater.

Captain's Report

- See Captain's Report for August 2025.

Bureau of Fire Prevention

- See Fire Marshal's Report for August 2025.

Public Comments and Questions

- No public in attendance.

Ray Fackenthall made a motion to adjourn the regular meeting @ 8:23 P.M.

Motion seconded by Matthew Mezger, Jr.

Roll Call Vote. Vote All Ayes.

Respectfully Submitted,
Timothy J. Kinsley, Secretary