# Board of Fire Commissioners Woodbridge Fire District No. 8

Minutes of Regular Meeting April 28, 2020

The regular meeting of the Hopelawn Fire Commissioners Fire District 8 as published in The Home News Tribune was called to order by President T. Mayoros at 6:00pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was followed by a moment of silence for our sick and deceased members.

Roll call ------ 5 of 5 members present

Minutes m/m Natole sec. Gilespie to dispense the reading of last month's minutes

Bills 3196 to 3228 m/m Aquino sec. Natole to pay the bills

## **Treasurers Report**

Northfield Bank	523,992.67
Provident Savings	243,921.86
Provident Checking	239,444.78
Total	1,007,359.31

m/m Gilespie sec. Natole to accept the report

Finance and Budget

- 1. 2019 audit box was delivered to Bart. We need lowest rate before we go to the News paper
- 2. We are waiting for Property Tax relief Bill

**Buildings and Grounds** 

- 1. Vendor for outside awning to be looked for in the Spring.
- 2. Parking lot will be restriped in the Spring.
- 3. New chairs to be ordered for the Commissioner meeting room.
- 4. Updates will be done to the annex this year. More to follow.

Apparatus, Vehicles and Equipment

- 1. 8-3 air pump needs looked into
- 2. Hose ordered
- 3. Gear washing is ongoing.
- 4. Rescue 8 has possible air leak
- 5. New rescue ,progress .Monies don't need to be in till September .
- 6. Continental worked on the sir system
- 7. Fire and safety dripped off PM supplies ,we will schedule them to come in
- 8. PU Truck to get oil change
- 9. Safety glasses ordered

## Communications

- 1. New pagers have been delivered and are engraved.
- 2. Outside billboard still being discussed.

Insurance and Human Resources

1. Progress

Correspondence

1. None

Fire Officials Report --- see attached

## **Fire Chiefs Report**

- 1. All drills cancelled due to pandemic
- 2. Any members caught Buffing fire will be suspended
- 3. Quincy Court response plan in effect
- 4. Still waiting for equipment to come in
- 5. Driver training to start in May

**Fire Company President** 

- 1. All meeting cancelled until further notice
- 2. Bills and checks will still be paid
- 3. All company news will be relayed via email

### **Training Officer**

- 1. Fire Academy closed until further notice
- 2. Spring semester cancelled
- 3. Getting quote for fire engineering videos

## **Engineers** report

- 1. Engine checks on all the trucks.
- 2. Added fluid where needed

## Custodians report

- 1. Light bulbs changed throughout fire house and annex
- 2. Pumps bleached
- 3. Drain cleared in bathtub
- 4. Cleared out pump in basement
- 5. Picked up materials needed
- 6. Flushed out French drains
- 7. Cleaned out sump pumps

## Grounds keeper

- 1. Door locks oiled
- 2. Debris removed from catch basins
- 3. Lawn fertilized
- 4. Lawn and shrub maintenance altered
- 5. All lawn equipment and shed sanitized after use
- 6. Fence cleaned
- 7. Hydrants weeded

Unfinished Business - None

#### **New Business**

- 1. Request that all new equipment issued stay in fire house.
- 2. Board request that they be notified when items are to be dropped off.
- 3. All Vehicles problems to be reported to Commissioner Natole.
- 4. All members need to wear seat belts when in Fire Department vehicles.
- 5. As per President Mayoros any employee who neglects to submit their monthly work report at the Commissioner meeting will not be issued a pay check until the report is submitted.

Public - none

Adjournment m/m Petrick sec. Natole at 6:45 pm