

Board of Fire Commissioners Woodbridge Fire District No. 8

Minutes of Regular Meeting December 28,2021

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.

Meeting started with Resolution 2125 to amend the 2022 budget

5 yes - 0 no

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

Bills 3817 to 3856 m/m Gillespie sec. Natole to pay the bills

Treasurers Report

Northfield Bank 1,303,182.96

Total 1,303,182.96

m/m Natole sec. Gillespie to accept the report

Finance and Budget

1. Budget approved by state

Buildings and Grounds

1. Parking lot will be restriped after construction is done behind building
2. Basement floor , meeting with vendor on 11/24/2021
3. We will talk with contactor building new building behind fire house about tearing down our old fence

4. We will be rented bays in new storage units next door for outside equipment
5. Talk about renting a Bobcat for snow removal
6. Electrician being brought in to check breaker for rescue truck

Apparatus, Vehicles and Equipment

1. Gear washing is ongoing.
2. New rescue truck updates
3. Tight tower needs repair
4. Ram out for repair
5. 5 inch hose ordered
6. Chain saw out for repair

Communications

1. New pagers to be handed out to replace out ones
2. Tablets in ,payment made to township to get them operating
3. New pagers to be ordered in 2022
4. 2 batteries ordered for radios

Insurance and Human Resources

1. 2 members out

Correspondence

Fire Officials Report --- see attached

Fire Chiefs Report

1. 2 pieces responding to all calls
2. Chief thanks board for all their help during the year

Fire Company President

1. Swearing in at fire house this new year's day

2. Furniture to be bought for basement

Training Officer

1. Waiting on spring calendar for classes at fire academy

Engineers report

1. Checked all fluids on rescue 8
2. Checked all fluids on 8-3
3. Checked all fluids on 8-2
4. Checked generators on 8-2 and 8-3
5. Checked all fluids on 8-3-5
6. Checked all fluids on 8-3-1,8-3-2 8-3-6
7. Added fluids were needed
8. Checked tire pressure's on all vehicles

Custodians report

1. Cleaned out French drains
2. Changed bays in firehouse
3. Opened building for girl scouts
4. Cleaned out sump pumps
5. Changed lights in basement

Grounds keeper

1. Locks oiled
2. Catch basins cleared
3. Lawn maintenance done
4. Fertilizing done
5. Fire hydrants cleaned
6. Shrubs cleaned
7. Weed killer put down
8. Annex lawn repaired
9. Assisted in basement cleanup an annex

Unfinished Business

1. 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

Resolution – 21-26 transfer monies

Gillespie -yes Mayoros - yes Natole - yes Petrick - yes Aquino – yes

Resolution 21-27 adopting temporary budget

Gillespie –yes Mayoros-yes Natole –yes petrick –yes Aquino –yes

Resolution 21-28 adopt new budget

Gillespie –yes Mayoros –yes Natole –yes Petrick –yes Aquino –yes

Public - none

Adjournment m/m Gillespie sec. Aquino at 7:05 pm