

# Board of Fire Commissioners Woodbridge Fire District No. 8

## Minutes of Regular Meeting January 25,2021

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. Moment of silence for members of NYPD ,Baltimore Fire and Texas .

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

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

Bills 3857 to 3892 m/m Gillespie sec. Natole to pay the bills

### Treasurers Report

Northfield Bank	1,224,491.25
Total	1,224,491.25

m/m Natole sec. Gillespie to accept the report

### Finance and Budget

1. Commissioner paper work had to in by the 19<sup>th</sup>
2. Budget lowered as per DCA
3. 2022 down payment in for new rescue truck

### 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. Ram out for repair
4. 5 inch hose ordered
5. Chain saw out for repair
6. Helmets ordered
7. M 95 masks ordered
8. Gas meter ordered
9. 1 bottle out 1 returned
10. Boots ,gloves ,glove straps ordered
11. 8-3-1 oil changed
12. Pick up battery bordered
13. 8-3-2 wipers replaced
14. Small tool kits ordered
15. Feb .14 meet with vendor for tool mounting meeting for new rescue truck
16. Ladder to go under new rescue truck

#### 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. Township agreement to be signed

#### Insurance and Human Resources

1. 2022 update to be done

## Correspondence

Fire Officials Report --- see attached

Fire Chiefs Report

1. Rescue 8 back in service

Fire Company President

1. Pool table taken out of building
2. Thanks to board for their help during service

Training Officer

1. Three members in fire academy
2. Drill schedule for 2022 out
3. Three live burns scheduled this year

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

Public - none

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