

Board of Fire Commissioners Woodbridge Fire District No. 8

Minutes of Regular Meeting September 27 , 2022

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. Gillespie to dispense the reading of last month's minutes

Bills 4138 to 4177 m/m Natole sec. Gillespie to pay the bills

Treasurers Report

Northfield Bank 1,245,245.45

Total 1,245,245.45

m/m Natole sec. Gillespie to accept the report

Finance and Budget

1. Budget workshop to start in October

Buildings and Grounds

1. New shed ordered
2. Knock Box system to be replaced
3. White fence behind fire house to be extended
4. Painting to started in basement

Apparatus, Vehicles and Equipment

1. Gear washing is ongoing.

2. Rescue ladder ordered
3. 8-2 hose straps to replaced
4. SCBA fames ordered
5. 8-2 air leak
6. 8-3 air leak needs fixed
7. 8-3-1 tires need replaced
8. 8-3-6 needs new tires
9. 8-3 hydrolytic leak fixed

Communications

1. New pagers to be handed out to replace out ones
2. New pagers to be ordered in 2022
3. Batteries for portable radios ordered
4. Board to look for new vendor for radios
5. New batteries needed for Harris radios

Insurance and Human Resources

1. Carteret suit in hands of the insurance company
2. Paper work for 2023 line officers handed in to Board from two members interested

Correspondence - none

Fire Officials Report --- see report

Fire Chiefs Report

1. Drill Thursday
2. Fords standing by during drill (live burn at academy)
3. District 4 invited to our drill

Fire Company President

1. Thanks to Board for use of the vehicles for convention
2. Open house on October 14th
3. B.O.E. thanks company for back to school night at our fire house

Training Office

1. Drill Thursday
2. 2 members in fire one

Engineers report

1. Engineer duties done on all vehicles
2. Fluids checked on all vehicles
3. Oil added were needed

Custodians report

1. Changed lights in bay
2. Clean pumps in boiler room
3. Cleaned out French drains
4. Painted line in parking lot

Grounds keeper

1. Locks oiled
2. Debris removed from catch basins
3. Trash cleaned up as needed
4. Bi-monthly fertilizer done
5. Shrub maintenance ongoing
6. Ordered need shed

Unfinished Business

1. None

New Business

1. Girl scouts to use our building for meeting this week

Archive Items

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

Resolutions

1. Resolution 22-24 Prurchase of new vehicle
Vote 5 yes - 0 no

Public - none

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