

Board of  
Fire Commissioners Woodbridge Fire District No. 8

Minutes of Regular Meeting May 26 , 2026,

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

Roll call ----- 4 of 5 members present.

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

Bills 5650 to 5682 m/m Natole sec. Mayoros to pay the bills

Treasurers Report

Northfield Bank	910,202.74
Total	910,202.74

m/m Natole sec. Mayoros to accept the report

Finance and Budget

1. Budget workshop to start in September ( Petrick )

Buildings and Ground

1. Shower for fire house ( Aquino)
2. New computers needed for the fire house and annex ( Petrick ,Aquino )
3. Generator update ,passed inspection,needs chip ( Aquino )
4. Camera outside needs adjusted ( Aquino )

Apparatus, Vehicles and Equipment

1. Plow light lens broke , going out PMs o June 15th( Aquino )

2. Looking into purchase of new SCBA masks ( Aquino)
3. June 8<sup>th</sup> hose and ladder testing ( Aquino)
4. 8-3 A/C repaired ( Aquino)
5. Rescue 8 window needs repaired ( Aquino)
6. 1 SCBA to go out ( Aquino)
7. Step chocks ordered ( Aquino)
8. Medical supplies ordered ( Aquino)
9. New gear purchase (Aquino)

#### Communications

1. G- Tech in ,needs to be programmed in progress almost complete ( Petrick)
2. We are changing web site company from net link to parker web (Aquino)
3. All upcoming township events communicated at meeting ( Petrick)

#### Insurance and Human Resources

1. All LOSAP questions ( Mayoros)
2. 2026 life insurance re up to be done (Aquino)
3. Workers comp. audit in process ( Aquino )
4. HR files to be updated ( Mayoros ,Petrick)

#### Fire Officials Report --- see report

#### Fire Chiefs Report ( A. Natole)

1. 2 new engine drivers put on
2. Step chocks broke during drill ,need to be replaced
3. 8-3-1-plug not charging outside of annex
4. Working with FPB on updates' and various things

#### Fire Company President ( Turcotte )

1. Jamie Nieves thanked all members for his 28 years of service ,he will be moving out of state in June
2. One new member on rolls

### 3. One member resigned

#### Training Office ( Turcotte)

1. May drill went well (extrication)
2. This month's drill is RIC operations
3. One member passed fire one

#### Custodians report ( Velquez )

1. Floors in basement done
2. Flushed and cleaned out French drains
3. Flushed sump pumps

#### Grounds keeper ( Petz )

1. Monthly lubrication of all entry locks firehouse and annex
2. Debris removed from catch basins
3. Trash clean up at both site
4. Restocked ice for cert team
5. Electric snake to be purchased for fire house
6. Shrub maintenance to start
7. Lawn maintenance started
8. Old pallets from property removed

#### Unfinished Business

1. None

#### New Business

1. New heaters for the bays
2. Parking lot paving
3. Air shore line system

#### Resolutions –none

## 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 Gillespie
4. All members need to wear seat belts when in Fire Department vehicles

Adjournment m/m Natole sec. Aquino 7:30pm

**HOPELAWN FIRE DISTRICT #8**  
**MAY 2026 BILL LIST**  
 April 29 through May 26, 2026

Date	Num	Name	Memo	Amount
<b>Apr 29 - May 26, 26</b>				
04/30/2026	5650	AmTrust North America	Acct# 28255717 Po#PWC1255268 -2026...	-2,370.00
04/30/2026	5651	Approved Fire Protection & S...	Kitchen wet chemical system inspection	-418.89
04/30/2026	5652	Hopelawn Engine Co. #1	Reimbursement - Plaque for fire company ...	-400.00
04/30/2026	5653	Life Savers Inc	(4) adult AED pads &(3) AED battery packs	-651.85
04/30/2026	5654	OHD,LLP	Pure Adapter for fit test machine	-420.00
04/30/2026	5655	Richard Lucas Auto Center	Oil change - 8-3-1	-360.80
04/30/2026	5656	Stone Emergency Training	EMR Training classes for 3 members	-1,500.00
04/30/2026	5657	Township of Woodbridge.	1 Mobile radio head unit for 8-3-1 rec # R...	-9,253.50
04/30/2026	5658	New Jersey Fire Equipment Co.	2 FLR K2 Batteries	-468.00
04/30/2026	5659	Henning Building Supply	(50) Bagd of Oil Dri Absorbent	-862.50
05/11/2026	5660	Board Of Commissioners Dist...	Dispatch Services - May 2026	-4,280.08
05/11/2026	5661	Elizabethtown Gas	A/C#3768972651 - Annex gas- 03/19/202...	-118.60
05/11/2026	5662	Maria Bucsanszky, EA	Monthly Fee -May 2026	-2,375.00
05/11/2026	5663	Middlesex County Treasurer	Fire Election/February 21,1016	-1,031.96
05/11/2026	5664	NetLink Web Services, LLC	Website - NJ P.L. 2011, c. 167 -May 2026...	-275.00
05/11/2026	5665	Staples Credit Plan	C/S # RCH 27244586 Firehouse- OFFIC...	-339.99
05/11/2026	5666	USA TODAY Media Corp	A/C#1121755 2026 Legal Notice	-25.80
05/11/2026	5667	Verizon (Tablets)	Acct #542353425-00001/Tablets-- 03/24/...	-227.78
05/14/2026	5668	AAA Emergency Supply	Fit Testing Machine calibration	-1,235.00
05/14/2026	5669	Advanced Auto Parts	Account #1872556856 - Supplies	-59.69
05/14/2026	5670	AT&T MOBILITY	Account #287361176572 - ATT mobility	-152.96
05/14/2026	5671	Comcast	Account #8499 05 340 0831673 Internet a...	-643.51
05/14/2026	5672	Fizer Plumbing & Heating	Mens restroom toilet repair	-416.00
05/14/2026	5673	Luna Wash Co LLC	ACCT #6035517810944263 April Car Wa...	-24.98
05/14/2026	5674	NJ ADVANCE MEDIA (STA...	A/C#59373 - April 2026 public notice	-72.98
05/14/2026	5675	PSE&G	Account #6585293118 (Firehouse)	-718.06
05/14/2026	5676	Skylands Area Fire Equipmen...	Price difference for officer spec	-751.01
05/14/2026	5677	PSE&G	Account #6550513006 (Annex)	-96.49
05/20/2026	5678	Enforsys, Inc	Cloud hosted fire pro system annual subs...	-219.00
05/20/2026	5679	Fizer Plumbing & Heating	Water heater replacement	-2,450.00
05/20/2026	5680	Middlesex Water Company	Account #6022881542 Hydrant Service-M...	-2,498.95
05/21/2026	5681	EMR Power Systems LLC	Start up new generator	-2,542.12
05/21/2026	5682	Home Depot	Account #6035322501199354 - Supplies	-443.37
<b>Apr 29 - May 26, 26</b>				<b>-37,703.87</b>

**HOPELAWN FIRE DISTRICT #8**

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

As of May 26, 2026

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	<u>May 26, 26</u>
<b>ASSETS</b>	
<b>Current Assets</b>	
<b>Checking/Savings</b>	
Northfield Bank	910,202.74
<b>Total Checking/Savings</b>	<u>910,202.74</u>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<u>910,202.74</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<u><u>910,202.74</u></u>
<b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	0.00