



BOARD OF FIRE CHIEFS

SEYMOUR FIRE DEPARTMENT

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SEYMOUR, CONNECTICUT**

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Meeting Minutes

December 6, 2010

7:30p.m.

Great Hill Hose Company

Chief's Attending: Tom Tomasheski, Steve Childs, Jim Smith, Dale Cann

Meeting called to order at 7:30 pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion made to accept November Meeting Minutes by Asst. Chief Childs, 2nd by Asst. Chief Smith. Approved 4-0.

Correspondence:

- Chief Tomasheski received two letters from the Board of Education thanking them for working with the school regarding the oil spill. Chief Tomasheski wants to have a meeting with them regarding their drills for the school.
- Chief Tomasheski received a letter from Peak Fitness regarding the food drive. They apologized for not having it.

Chief's Report:

Health:

- Asst. Chief Cann stated that the computers do not have accurate birthdates on some of the members and that has caused some errors.
- Chief Tomasheski stated that he will discuss these members in executive session.

Training:

- Asst. Chief Smith stated that both Companies received lists for the AED CPR training.
- Asst. Chief Smith said that there is a list for the dive team. He needs to know who is interested.
- The rope class is scheduled for January 19th and January 26th.
- The meter class needs to be scheduled.

- Asst. Chief Smith stated that he needs drill records for the year.
- The FF1 class is filled up already with approximately thirty five (35) people.
- Asst. Chief Smith wants a standard form for records created for both Fire Houses.

Maintenance:

Citizens:

- Rescue 12's compressor has been fixed.
- Engine 13's generator has been repaired.

Great Hill:

- Chief Tomasheski stated the quote received for the red boat is half of what the bill came out to be.
- The traffic manager on Engine 15 will be worked on this week.
- Engine 16's deck gun base is broken. Parts are on order.
- Large boat is in service.

Accountability:

- Asst. Chief Childs stated that he is up to date on the tags for everyone. He also said that a few guys are using the spare tags with their names on them.
- Chief Tomasheski told everyone to use their own gear. He doesn't want anyone using other people's tags.

Old Business:

- Ladder testing will take place on Thursday.
- Gear sizing is scheduled for tomorrow night.
- Chief Tomasheski and Asst. Chief Smith stated that they did a lot of work on updating the files. Chief Tomasheski wants the books updated.
- Chief Tomasheski discussed the Bloodborne Pathogens. Asst. Chief Smith suggested having a first report of exposure form added to the plan.
- Asst. Chief Smith took care of everyone's polo shirts.
- Asst. Chief Cann wants to start FIT testing.

New Business:

- Chief Tomasheski has forms for the Captains to fill out when they receive receipts.
- Blue light permits have to be turned in for January 1, 2011.
- The tax abatement will be taxable again starting January 1st.

- Dates needed for Super Sunday. Asst. Chief Smith suggested the end of February.
- Asst. Chief Childs was approached by Asst. Chief Ron Burgess from Ansonia regarding a credentialing program for fire photographers. He wanted to know if Seymour wants to join in. Asst. Chief Childs offered to handle it. Chief Tomasheski thinks it is a good idea.
- Captain Zaniewski stated there is a new member, Christopher Edwards.
- Captain Lombardi stated there are two new members, Ted Jensen and Jason Abrams.
- Rich Kazewski suggested starting a canteen truck. He stated that they can probably get the equipment donated. He is willing to get it going with permission. Chief Tomasheski stated that he will look at the budget in a few weeks for this.

Executive Session:

Motion made to go into executive session at 8:21 by Asst. Chief Cann, 2nd by Asst. Chief Smith. Approved 4-0.

Motion made to come out of executive session at 9:24 by Asst. Chief Cann, 2nd by Asst. Chief Smith. Approved 4-0. Note votes or actions were taken while in executive session.

Other Business: None

Juniors: None

Public Comment: None

Requisitions:

Quantity	Item	Vendor	Price
	Latex Gloves		TBD
2	Optimum Lights	Shipmans	10.76
	Extrication Gloves	Fire Store	29.95
	Smooth Bore Nozzles	Fire Store	28.05
2	FF1 Applications	Fire School	1,400.00
20	CPR Class	Seymour Ambulance	1,300.00
3	Recalibrate Meters	RSA Laboratories	180.00

Motion made to approve requisition by Asst. Chief Smith, 2nd by Asst. Chief Childs.
Approved 4-0.

Motion made to adjourn at 9:35pm by Asst. Chief Childs, 2nd by Asst. Chief Smith.
Approved 4-0.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Michele Mrazik".

Michele Mrazik
Board Secretary