



**BOARD OF FIRE CHIEFS**

**SEYMOUR FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**1 FIRST STREET  
SEYMOUR, CONNECTICUT**

Meeting Minutes

June 1, 2015

7:30 p.m.

Great Hill Hose Company

COPY RECEIVED  
DATE: 6/8/15  
TIME: 10:10 AM  
TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE

**Chief's attending:** Michael Lombardi, Thomas Tomasheski, and Doug Zaniewski.

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

**3. April Minutes:**

**Motion made to accept April Minutes made by Asst. Chief Tomasheski, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Asst. Chief Zaniewski. Approved 3-0.**

**4. Correspondence: None**

**5. Unfinished Business-**

A. Asst. Chief Tomasheski asked about department patches. Asst. Chief Lombardi stated there was a hold up because of email going to a spam folder and the production started as of about a week and half ago.

B. Asst. Chief Zaniewski stated that all information has been entered for Great Hill on Salamander system and he will work with Citizens next.

**6. Driver Training-**

Asst. Chief Lombardi asked if anyone has been training on the Ladder truck. LT. Leonard stated not yet they are trying to clear on engine's first. Capt. Edwards stated they have a couple of members getting close. Asst. Chief asked to make sure that as new drivers are cleared to please inform the Chiefs. Captain Edwards stated he has a list of some members to cross train driving downtown.

**7. Training-**

Captain Edwards stated that 100% of annual training has been run with a few members with makeups. LT. Leonard stated Citizens is about 90%. Asst. Chief

Lombardi stated that he would like to see a mandatory makeup on June 14<sup>th</sup> at Great Hill. Asst. Chief Zaniewski stated he would like to see a 2<sup>nd</sup> date of July 12<sup>th</sup> at SEMS room for a final makeup date.

Asst. Chief Lombardi stated he sent out an email about solar panel class in Ansonia on 6/10 at 6:30.

Asst. Chief Lombardi stated that on June 17<sup>th</sup>-reserving a house at Beacon Falls for RIT class. Asst. Chief Lombardi stated he will check into a second date of June 30<sup>th</sup>.

#### **8. Physicals-**

#### **9. Marine 2-**

Asst. Chief Lombardi stated that a while back during Marine 1 being out of service Marine 2 didn't get out for water calls. LT. Leonard stated he will talk to the dive members at Citizens'.

Asst. Chief Zaniewski asked again about Dive officers coming to meetings.

#### **10. Ladder 14-**

Asst. Chief Lombardi stated that he has numerous conversations with Gowans and Knights. They are awaiting information from KME. As of today they are waiting for specification's from KME. The rep from Gowans' stated as of today they still haven't received. Asst. Chief Lombardi stated he talked to the Vice president of parts at KME today and they promised that Gowans would receive them by the end of the week.

#### **11. Numbering of apparatus-**

Asst. Chief Zaniewski stated that he would like to have all trucks numbered. He asked about reflective decaling to have this done. Asst. Chief Zaniewski stated he will look into the cost to having this done especially for the engines. Asst. Chief Lombardi also stated he would like to see the hose tarps replaced if need be.

#### **12. Recruitment Event-**

Asst. Chief Zaniewski stated he is awaiting a date from Capt. Nelson and then get everything moving forward.

Capt. Edwards stated Great Hill got 5 juniors and 8 new members from the recruitment drive.

LT. Leonard stated that August 13<sup>th</sup> will be recruitment event at Citizens.

Asst. Chief Zaniewski asked about gear and ppe for new members coming in.  
Asst. Chief Tomasheski suggested adding 3 more probationary shields to tonight's reqs.  
Asst. Chief Tomasheski stated he wants to see new members start off on right foot.

### **13. Parades/event forms-**

-Asst. Chief Lombardi reminded everyone to make sure that all forms are filled out and submitted as soon as possible.

-Asst. Chief Tomasheski asked about Founder's Day. Capt. Edwards and LT. Leonard stated both houses have booths. Asst. Chief Zaniewski stated he believes there should be at least one engine staffed for the event near the food area. Asst. Chief Lombardi stated that officers should stage trucks and also staffing of trucks.

### **14. Public Comment-**

-None

### **15. Executive Session with Dale Cann-**

FF Cann requested an open executive session. Asst. Chief Lombardi stated that after discussing the incident with the other Chief's it was decided that an SOG was violated by FF Cann not using a backer. Asst. Chief Lombardi stated that a verbal warning will be put into personnel file and that FF Cann should review the SOG's and also go review driver training. FF Cann agreed to the verbal warning and signed the warning.

**16. Motion to add new Business to the agenda made by Asst. Chief Zaniewski, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Asst. Chief Tomasheski. Approved 3-0.**

### **17. New Business-**

Captain Edwards asked if after the first of the year the computer in the officer's room can be looked at as its running very slow.

Captain Edwards asked about the status of rescue 17's light bar repair.

Captain Edwards also asked about possibly purchasing new pagers in the new fiscal year.

Captain Edwards handed in a quote for a bulb for the projector at Great Hill that needs to be replaced.

Asst. Chief Zaniewski asked about changing the meeting time to 7:30 from 7:00 for the rest of the year.

**Motion to move Board of Fire Chiefs meetings to 7:30 made by Asst. Chief Zaniewski, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Asst. Chief Tomasheski. Approved 3-0.**

**Motion to add 3 probationary shields to the requisition list made by Asst. Chief Tomasheski, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Asst. Chief Zaniewski. Approved 3-0**

**Motion to approve requisition's made by Asst. Chief Zaniewski, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Asst. Chief Tomasheski. Approved 3-0.**

**Motion to adjourn at 8:47 pm by Asst. Chief Tomasheski, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Asst. Chief Lombardi Approved 3-0.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Kathleen Pelletier  
Clerk

**Seymour Fire Department  
Chief's Requisitions**

Qty	Item Description	Vendor	Price ea.	Total	Acct. No.	P.O. No.
1	Computer for Training room	Dell	\$1,153.55	\$1,153.55	720	
1	Repairs to LAD 004-found during testing	Century Ladder	\$75.00	\$75.00	430	
1	1 inch tubular webbing Blue-200ft	Shipmans	\$0.45	\$90.00	743	
1	1 inch tubular webbing Red-200ft	Shipmans	\$0.45	\$90.00	743	
1	8mm prusik card Green 300ft	Shipmans	\$0.60	\$180.00	743	
4	Motorola HT1250 12v Vehicle Chargers	Communication services	\$400.00	\$1,600.00	743	
8	Floor Marking tape Item-112107 3"x100ft yellow	Grainger	\$104.50	\$836.00	743	
2	Absorbant pads item 36MV40	Grainger	\$57.20	\$114.40	743	
1	Havis Shiels 10" angled console-18	Communication services	\$209.00	\$209.00	745	
2	Whelen M7 led-18	Communication services	\$169.00	\$338.00	745	
1	VHF antenna + coax-18	Communication services	\$29.00	\$29.00	745	
2	Whelen M4 LED-18	Communication services	\$127.00	\$254.00	745	
2	Whelen M7 led-18	Communication services	\$155.00	\$310.00	745	
2	Whelen M9 led-18	Communication services	\$232.00	\$464.00	745	
2	Whelen pioner Nano 6 led black-18	Communication services	\$175.00	\$350.00	745	
1	Main power solenoid-18	Communication services	\$120.00	\$120.00	745	
5	Motorola HT1250 12v vehicle chargers	Communication services	\$400.00	\$2,000.00	745	
4	24" pipe wrenches	Oxford Hardware	\$40.00	\$160.00	745	
6	Black Cairns 1044 Defender w/visor Helmets	Shipmans	\$255.00	\$1,530.00	340	
6	yellow Cairns 1044 defender w/visor Helmets	Shipmans	\$255.00	\$1,020.00	340	
				\$255.00	745	
				\$255.00	610	

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6	Shelby gloves with wristlet-large	Shipmans	\$69.35	\$416.10	340	
6	Shelby gloves with wristlet-med	Shipmans	\$69.35	\$416.10	340	
	LED light bulbs both houses	Home Depot	\$514.53	\$396.49	720	
				\$76.45	580	
				\$41.59	610	
12	Hoods	Shipmans	\$24.95	\$149.70	615	
				\$149.70	745	
5	Probie Shields plus shipping	thefirestore.com	\$52.49	\$104.98	743	
				\$298.88	610	
2	Pre mix holders	Shipmans	\$41.20	\$82.40	743	
1	Wiring for 18	Communication services	\$450.00	\$450.00	530	
1	O2 sensor for Meter	Fire Equipment	\$165.00	\$165.00	610	
1	Twin Tox Sensor CO-H2S	Fire Equipment	\$350.00	\$350.00	610	
1	LEL sensor	Fire Equipment	\$170.00	\$170.00	610	
1	repair to gear coat-GH	Shipmans	\$50.00	\$50.00	430	
20	Safety glasses	Grainger	\$3.82	\$83.08	745	
1	Projector bulb-GH	Ken Pallant	\$53.58	\$53.58	530	
6	shelby gloves with wristlets-small	Shipmans	\$69.35	\$416.10	610	
1	repairs to Engine 15	Truck center	\$2,453.73	\$2,453.73	430	

**\$17,756.83**

By our signatures below, we approve the requisitions indicated above:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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John Cronin, Chief

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Michael Lombardi, Asst. Chief

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Thomas Tomasheski, Asst. Chief

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Doug Zaniewski, Asst. Chief

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