

Town of Plymouth

Board of Fire Commissioners

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Fire Commission Minutes

August 11, 2022

Call to Order: Vice-Chairman Gerard Wunsch called the scheduled August 11, 2022, Fire Commission Meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Terryville Fire Department Headquarters, 21 Harwinton Avenue, Terryville, Plymouth, Connecticut.

Roll Call: Vice-Chairman Gerard Wunsch, Chairman Martin Sandshaw, Commissioner Daniel Wollenberg, Commissioner Mark Redman, Commissioner Keith Golnik and Commissioner Victor Mitchell. Also, in attendance were: Fire Chief Mark Sekorski, Deputy Chief Greg Cody, Deputy Chief Derek Freimuth and Fire Marshal Raymond Kovaleski.

Pledge of Allegiance:

Vice-Chairman Wunsch led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes dated June 9, 2022:

A motion was made by Commissioner Victor Mitchell, seconded by Commissioner Daniel Wollenberg to approve the June 9, 2022 Minutes. This motion was approved unanimously.

Commissioners' Reports

Chief's Report:

Was asked to be on the search committee for the Public Works Director by the Mayor.

Car 2 has his new vehicle.

Issue with the generator – Charlie Wiegert did not follow up with email from company.

Assistant Chief Masi handling it.

Met with Water Company – re: Wood Court

Gave the town \$10,000 for selling SCBA equipment.

Waterbury Area Chiefs Executive July 6 and August 8.

Bucket drive – October (Fire Prevention).

Waterbury Area meeting – in Wolcott on Sept 22.

Doing a lot of lift assists – will set a meeting with PVAC and Police department.

Deputy Chief Cody will be meeting with the tanker committee.

Litchfield County meeting July 13th and Aug 8th.

Training over the summer.

The building at the fairgrounds is finished.

Received an email that payment of \$146,000 for the ladder truck is due in June. Went to see the Mayor. He is looking into it.

Finance director thinks the janitors need to fill out a 1099 form. Talked to mayor. Will go out to bid if that is the case. Will follow up with Mayor.

Signatures:
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Treasurer's Report: Commissioner Keith Golnik reported utility bills not being paid on time.

Fire Marshal's Report: Fire Marshal Raymond Kovaleski went over his Monthly Report, Monthly Budget Expenses and List of Incidents in detail for the months of June and July.

Communications:

Radio Report: Deputy Chief Greg Cody reported everything is good.

Buildings and Grounds Report: Chief reported the generator issue. Assistant Chief Masi is getting the bay room done at headquarters and new lockers.

Equipment Report: Deputy Chief Derek Freimuth reported Hurst tools came in through the grant. Waiting on items ordered from last year's budget.

Training Report: Chief Sekorski reported that training on Hurst tools and the boat went out on the reservoir.

Trucks Report: Deputy Chief Greg Cody reported that the new tower is beginning construction. The pump test will be in September. He looked at two difference tankers. Mounting new brackets on the trucks for the Hurst tools.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Public Comment: None

Adjournment:

There being no further business of the Fire Commission, a motion was made by Commissioner Keith Golnik, seconded by Commissioner Daniel Wollenberg to adjourn. This motion was approved unanimously. The meeting ended at 7:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Linda Schnaars
Recording Secretary