

MINUTES

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSION

OCTOBER 23, 2013

A regular meeting of the Board of Fire Commission was called to order at 5:00 PM by Chairman Pasquale Nuzzolillo. Also present were Commissioners Sam Muzio, Michael Zuccarelli, Peter Criscuolo, Joseph Cappucci, Chief Vincent Landisio and Deputy Chief David Marcarelli.

Commissioner Criscuolo made a motion to accept the minutes of September 25, 2013. Commissioner Muzio seconded.

Voted: Nuzzolillo-yes, Muzio-yes, Zuccarelli-yes, Criscuolo-yes, Cappucci-yes

The Chief's report was given by Chief Landisio; he spoke of items involving the department such as the alarms; Recruit Spoldi doing well at CT Fire Academy; PSA Task Force was discussed; Building Projects right on schedule Company # 1 and Company # 2; North Haven Way blog was discussed; FF Shea out doing military training with the US Navy; and training that has been completed. Lastly, he stated sick/injury leave to be discussed in executive session.

Brief discussion was held amongst the commission regarding the Chief's report.

Chairman Nuzzolillo spoke to the public and stated that should any Town residents have any concerns regarding the building project to come in front of the Board of Fire Commission and discuss the issues. The board will answer any concerns that the residents may have. He once again thanked the residents for approving the renovations for the fire houses. Lastly, thank you to Chief Landisio and Deputy Chief Marcarelli for all their oversight and keeping within the budget.

Chief Landisio stated the department sent a thank you letter to Chief Struble from Wallingford Fire Department for the use of their training center for the FFI class.

Chief Landisio spoke of the new business in the department. He spoke of the FFI class and what a great program with 14 firefighters passing. He thanked Captain Tim Mayer for all his hard work and dedication to this program and all the career instructors that assisted in the class.

Chairman Nuzzolillo on behalf of the Board of Fire Commission thanked Captain Tim Mayer and all the instructors for hosting the FFI class and congratulations to all the students on passing.

Chief Landisio spoke of unfinished business in the department. The EMS Committee met recently and are in the process of writing a business plan for the budget presentation in January 2014; new apparatus is still being reviewed.

Chief Landisio discussed the good of the department. Hope Christian Church hosted an event and he thanked Pastor Jim Detweiler and all who participated for putting it on. Several career FF's ran 6.9 miles for the Tommy Fund; Deputy Chief participated as well. He thanked all for participating and raising money for a good cause. Local 2987 and the department are wearing Pink Shirts in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness throughout the month of October. He thanked the union for their participation.

Chairman Nuzzolillo thanked Pastor Jim Detweiler and the Hope Christian Church for the wonderful breakfast and a special thank you to the speaker for his insight on his fire related incident.

There being no further public business to come before the Board, Commissioner Muzio motioned to convene an executive session at 5:30 PM. Commissioner Criscuolo seconded.

Voted: Nuzzolillo-yes, Muzio-yes, Zuccarelli-yes, Criscuolo-yes, Cappucci-yes

Chairman Nuzzolillo moved to reconvene the meeting at 5:35 PM and asked if there was any public comment? No

Therefore, there being no further business to come before the Board, Commissioner Criscuolo moved for adjournment at 5:37 PM. Commissioner Muzio seconded.

Voted: Nuzzolillo-yes, Muzio-yes, Zuccarelli-yes, Criscuolo-yes, Cappucci-yes

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Zuccarelli, Secretary

The next Board of Fire Commission Meeting is scheduled for November 20, 2013 at the Park & Rec. Center in Game Room at 6:00 P.M.