Good Morning,

1. I met with a representatives from NJFFS and the Division of fire safety about any reimbursements that may be or come available for the Jones fire in Ware Town, Lacy Township.

2. The water pump broke on 3911 and was replaced in Ware Town at the fire academy. Kevin and myself thanked them for letting us store the engine there until we could get the parts to fix.

3. I went to Ocean County Vocational School to see if they (staff and students) would repaint the cover and the bed on the 3900 truck. The spray booths are down for the summer maintenance.

4. We had a Fire person get injured, they were sent for treatment and released to full duty.

5. Classes for May; 8th fire alarms and sprinkler systems, 15th class A sizing, 22nd Memorial Day parade prep, and the 29th is the SCBA recert for those who missed the first class.

6. The budgeted 5 sets of gear have been ordered.

7. On Wednesday April 23rd. Ladder 3915 was (has) been out of service in Plainfield waiting for the new injectors and the UL ladder test. Engine 3911 was out of service in Ware Town for three days due to the water pump on motor failing. Tanker 3918 was out of service due to a break issue, they locked and would not move. This left Plumsted with a brush truck and rescue. I am aware that new apparatus breaks but the average age is 25 years old for our trucks. Engine 3911(1998), Ladder 3915 (2001), Tender 3918 (2001), Rescue 3902 is (2006). I recommend the Board to move forward with a replacement plan.

Thank you,

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