

Plumsted Township Board of Fire Commissioners #1

New Egypt, NJ 08533

Monthly Meeting Minutes

March 2nd, 2020

The regular meeting of the Plumsted Township Board of Fire Commissioners was held on Monday March 2nd, 2020. In compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, Chairman Brady stated that the notice of his meeting was contained in the annual meeting schedule furnished to The Trenton Times, and The Trentonian. Posted on the Municipal bulletin board and filed with the municipal clerk.

The Meeting was brought to order at 7:00 pm

Board Members Present:

R. Brady

C. Chaney

K. Friedrich

K. Hagen (arrived at 7:30)

D. Robbins

Also Present: Richard Braslow, Esq

Suzanne Heller

The Board reviewed January's regular and workshop meeting minutes. No changes noted. Motion made by C. Chaney to approve the minutes as presented. Seconded by K. Friedrich.

Treasurer's Report:

The board reviewed the treasurers report, no changes noted. Motion was made by Chris Chaney to approve the treasurers report as presented and seconded by Don Robbins

Correspondence: No Report.

Old Business: The following were discussed under old business

- Rick Byrne spoke updated board on air line; Kevin working on.
- Ride along policy discussed
- Ambulance
- Radios- Rick is working on getting quotes, waiting for numbers and will send in for grant
- Upper Freehold Township- Jodi reported no issues

New Business: None

Chief's Report:

Chief R. Byrne reported the following:

- American water- small grant- Rick will investigate
- Safety vests are in
- Mandatory classes are underway
- Getting gear prices
- Tablets- would like to get 3 to start, \$2415.00

EMS Report:

Captain J. Byrne reported the following:

- February 2020-112 EMS calls with 17 refusals
- Per-diem sick leave policy- Rich Braslow says looks good
- Mandatory staff meeting 4/13 @ 7:00 am
- Flyer- working on, would like to get out before next meeting

LEA Report:

See attached report submitted by FM Paolo

Mechanic's Report:

-FF/EMT Panacek reports his monthly report was submitted via email. Would like to purchase seat for 3915. Motion was made by Don Robbins to authorize purchase, seconded by Chris Chaney; approved by all. Kevin is out due to birth of new baby, will start PM's when returns

Career Staff/Union Report: No Report

Volunteer's Report:

Need to install new boiler

Public: Township committeeman Bob Bowen asked board about smoke in town; Chief Byrne advised from a control burn in the area

Motion made by D. Robbins to close the regular meeting at 1930 hours and move to executive session. Seconded by K. Friedrich.

Meeting was adjourned at 2130 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Barbara Brady

Board Secretary