

**BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
FIRE DISTRICT #3
P.O. BOX 1233
TOWNSHIP OF GLOUCESTER, COUNTY OF CAMDEN
BLenheim, NEW JERSEY 08012**

**MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
07/07/2021**

The regular meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, District #3 was held on July 7, 2021, at Blenheim Fire Company, located at 34 Almonesson Road, Blenheim New Jersey.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Stires, at 6:30 p.m. A roll call was taken:

COMMISSIONER FOGGIO	PRESENT
COMMISSIONER JOWETT	PRESENT
COMMISSIONER T PAFFENROTH	PRESENT
COMMISSIONER STIRES	PRESENT
COMMISSIONER TARVES	PRESENT

Also in attendance: Harry Nerozzi, Accountant, Solicitor Chris Long, Chief Sean Zoccalli, and Ellen Reese.

MINUTES:

The minutes for the June Regular meeting were reviewed. Commissioner Stires asked for a motion to adopt the minutes. A motion was made by Commissioner Foglio and seconded by Commissioner Paffenroth. A roll call was taken:

COMMISSIONER FOGGIO	YES
COMMISSIONER JOWETT	YES
COMMISSIONER PAFFENROTH	YES
COMMISSIONER STIRES	YES
COMMISSIONER TARVES	YES

The motion carries.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. A motion was made by Commissioner Jowett and seconded by Commissioner Paffenroth to allow \$6000.00 to supplement the Fire Company funding for building repairs and improvements. A roll call was taken:

COMMISSIONER FOGGIO	YES
COMMISSIONER JOWETT	YES

COMMISSIONER PAFFENROTH YES
COMMISSIONER STIRES YES
COMMISSIONER TARVES YES

The motion carries.

2. A formal inquiry will be sent from Solicitor Long to the town asking if there is any available funding from federal funds they received available to small business/ volunteer Fire Departments to improve public safety, drainage issues, and/or infrastructure.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

INSURANCE: No report.

WATER SUPPLY: No report.

FIRE OFFICIAL: No report.

CHIEF'S REPORT: The Chief indicated the printer was broken and he could email a report at a later date. A verbal update from the Chief indicated the addition of two new Fire Company members. There were 28 calls last month and none were scratched. 100% response. Bay door 3 is waiting for a garage door opener. Will schedule ladder truck inspection UL Certification.

PORTABLE EQUIPMENT: No report.

COMPUTERS: No report.

MEDICAL: No report.

UNIFORMS: No report.

TRAINING: No report.

TRUCKS: All is good per Commissioner Stires.

RADIO: No report

FIREFIGHTER'S EQUIPMENT: A motion was made by Commissioner Foglio and seconded by Commissioner Jowett to allow \$5124.00 to be spent for the following:

Witmer Public Safety Group 1900.00 Cairns TFS Houston w/ NFPA Bourkes
MES (Municipal Emergency Supplies) 2780.00 Fire coat 1620 fire pants 1160
MES (Municipal Emergency Supplies) 444.00 6 ft NY Hook with chisel end

A roll call was taken:

COMMISSIONER FOGLIO	YES
COMMISSIONER JOWETT	YES
COMMISSIONER PAFFENROTH	YES
COMMISSIONER STIRES	YES
COMMISSIONER TARVES	YES

The motion carries.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Commissioner Stires requested a motion to dispense funds in the amount of \$35,295.06 (attached) for the billing month of June 2021. A motion was made by Commissioner Foglio and seconded by Commissioner Paffenroth. A roll call was taken:

COMMISSIONER FOGLIO	YES
COMMISSIONER JOWETT	YES
COMMISSIONER PAFFENROTH	YES
COMMISSIONER STIRES	YES
COMMISSIONER TARVES	YES

The motion carries.

PUBLIC PORTION: No public in attendance.

GOOD OF THE BOARD: None.

There being no further business a motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Foglio and seconded by Commissioner Tarves and was approved unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 6:42 P.M.

Respectfully submitted:

Amy Tarves (ER)

Amy Tarves, Commissioner
Board of Fire Commissioners, District #3

Dated: 07/31/2021