

**TOWNSHIP OF MANALAPAN  
BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS  
DISTRICT NO. 1**

**REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING  
April 6, 2022**

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, Fire District No. 1, in the Township of Manalapan, was called to order at 8:25 p.m. by Commissioner Spector, in compliance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act.

**PRESENT:** A. Spector, G. Schmatz, D. LaRocca, A. Macchio, M. Alongi, F. Kuka, S. Burdick, M. LaVecchia & C. Parker

**BILLS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

No report.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Wells Fargo Money Market	\$1,006,058.53
Wells Fargo Checking	\$ 417,618.57

**ATTORNEY'S REPORT**

No report.

**INSURANCE REPORT**

No report.

**EQUIPMENT REPORT**

Received 2 DeWalt light stands, 2 DeWalt leaf blowers, magnetic mics for mobile radios, 6 streamlight batteries for flashlights, 2 pairs of firefighting gloves, super vac fan and 1 helmet. Waiting for 1 helmet, 5 sets of gear (should be here this week), 2 Lt. shields, foam inductor, 4 lengths of 1 ¾ hose), Fire Prevention cutouts, supervac fan and adapters for foam packs.

**RADIO REPORT**

Magnetic mics were installed on all mobile radios.

**TRUCK REPORT**

26-1-73 – generator is in place; working on starting it with a switch.  
26-1-91 – retest is scheduled for Friday.

## **CHIEF'S REPORT**

Gear sizing was conducted prior to the meeting.

Had the opportunity to demo the new Scott SCBA's; both with the AV3000HT mask and C5 masks as well as both regulators. The feedback is go with the AV3000HT's with traditional regulator.

Foam Pak training was conducted and have been placed into service.

Fire Rescue International in San Antonio, TX – August 24-26. Flights \$350 and rooms blocked.

Requesting to send 3 firefighters to Rehab Training on April 14<sup>th</sup> in Sea Bright – Schmatz, Nicosia & Wechsler and 2 DeWalt batteries.

## **MEMBERSHIP REPORT**

No report.

## **ASSOCIATION REPORT**

Television for Satellite came in and was installed.

Lights on the ceiling in the Satellite are falling and need to be repaired.

Commissioner Macchio received a quote for \$8,000 for the replacement railing in the atrium.

## **TRUSTEES' REPORT**

No report.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

See attached.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion to pay all vouchers; this was seconded by Commissioner Schmatz. All voted aye.

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion for \$150 to send Schmatz, Nicosia & Wechsler to Rehab Training in Sea Bright; this was seconded by Commissioner Spector. All voted aye.

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion for \$150 to purchase 2 DeWalt batteries; this was seconded by Commissioner Spector. All voted aye.

Commissioner Spector made a motion not to exceed \$700 to purchase brackets; this was seconded by Commissioner LaRocca. All voted aye.

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion for \$1,000 to hold the After the Fire presentation at Manalapan High School on June 6<sup>th</sup> at noon; this was seconded by Commissioner LaRocca. All voted aye.

Commissioner Spector made a motion for \$3,500 to line stripe the Main House parking lot; this was seconded by Commissioner Macchio. All voted aye.

Commissioner Schmatz made a motion for \$142,521.60 to purchase 12 Scott X8915025305304 Air-Pak X3 Pro SCBA and 18 Scott 200970-01 cylinder & valve from New Jersey Fire Equipment Co. – State Contract #17-FLEET-00819; this was seconded by Commissioner LaRocca. All voted aye.

Meeting opened to the public at 9:32 p.m.

A motion was made by Commissioner Spector to adjourn; it was seconded by Commissioner LaRocca and all voted aye.

Meeting adjourned at 9:34 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
George Schmatz, Treasurer

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**UNFINISHED BUSINESS – 4/6/22**

Discussion held regarding replacing the Scott packs.

Window in compressor room needs to be replaced – cost will be approximately \$1,200.

Meeting room side door is on order.