

# Meeting of the Board of Fire Engineers

June 23, 2004

**Meeting convened at 7:50 p. m.**

**Members present:** Chief Michael S. Trovato  
Deputy Warren G. Alexander  
Russell Zawaduk  
Gerard Menangas  
James Roderick Jr.

**Others present:** Police Chief Ted Meyer

**Dispatching problems** discussed.

**Paging of Lower Cape Ambulance crew** discussed. Barnstable County Radio Shack could install a button that would page only the LCA crew for ambulance calls. Equipment would cost \$3,000. Chief Trovato and Police Chief Meyer will look into the matter.

**Drivers List** of members interested in driving the ambulance to the hospital will be given to police dispatchers.

When rescue crew signs off the air the dispatcher will acknowledge them.

**Air Horn** on Town Hall was recently disabled after being hit by lightning. Long Point Electric will be contacted to repair the wire with the use of their bucket truck.

**Station #5** discussed. Cape Tip Aluminum will install 9 Triple track storm windows on 512 Commercial Street Station. Cost: \$1,035.00.

**Alarm monitoring** agreements received from Intercity Alarm for Johnson Street Station (\$ 675) and Station #5 (512 Commercial St)(\$700). Annual Alarm Monitoring service will cost \$259 for each station.

**Motion:** Alexander motioned to approve the installation of the alarm systems; Roderick seconded the motion, All in favor.

## **Engine Company #4**

Application received from John Francis Souza III for membership as a Junior Firefighter in House # 4.

**Motion:** Menangas motioned to approve the house vote of 6 in favor, 0 opposed to accept John Francis Souza III; Roderick seconded the motion, All in favor.

**CPR/FACTS Course** for members who missed the recent classes. The Chief will ask Mark Duarte if he can instruct another class and what the cost would be.

**HeartSafe Program** discussed.

\$28,800 in funds approved (Article 33, ATM) to purchase the AED's needed to implement the HeartSafe program. Secretary will contact the Tourism Board re obtaining the funds.

**Personnel Accountability Tags (Pat's)** discussed. Kevin Varley from the Brewster Fire Dept. is putting together the tags for Provincetown. The department will only pay for materials.

## **Adjournment**

**Motion:** Alexander motioned to adjourn the meeting Roderick seconded the motion; All in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 10:05 p.m.