

Meeting of the Board of Fire Engineers

June 7, 2017

Meeting convened at 7:46 p.m.

Members present: Chief Michael S. Trovato
James Roderick Jr.
Gerard Menangas
Russell Zawaduk

Others present: Rescue Captain Denise Russell
Vaughn Cabral

Rescue Report

Letter of resignation received from Alan Felton as a member of the Provincetown Fire Department and Rescue Squad. Letter will be sent thanking him for his service and should he change his mind in the future please re-apply.

Rescue vehicles will be serviced before the summer season begins.

Captain Russell asked about 4th of July rescue coverage. Russell has scheduled 4 Paramedics for the fourth celebration. The Chief will discuss the extra coverage needed with Chief Pauley from Wellfleet.

Chief's Report

Chief Trovato attended a work session with Chief Pike and Chief Clark at Orleans Fire Department to discuss and renew the mutual aid running cards. The possibility of chiefs from other departments responding to fire calls in town was also discussed.

Vaughn Cabral submitted an application to re-join the department as a member of House #1.

Motion: Menangas motioned to approve Cabral's application, pending the vote of the house members and a physical exam; Roderick seconded the motion, all in favor.

Propane Generator for Station #5, at 514 Commercial St. discussed.
Estimate for the installation of 11 KW Propane Generator with 100 amp automatic transfer switch was received from Quahog Electric. Cost: \$ 6,500. Price includes all Labor, Materials, and Permit Fee. Gas piping is not included.

Motion: Roderick motioned to purchase the Generator for Station #5 if the funds are available; Zawaduk seconded the motion, all in favor.

Chuck LaCross will begin servicing our fire vehicles on Monday, June 12th.

Chief Trovato and Deputy Menangas attended the Rescue dinner at Fanizzie's Restaurant on May 21st and enjoyed the event.

Plan submitted by Attorney Robin Reed for a Marijuana Dispensary at 94 Harry Kemp Way (Old McHoul Funeral Home). The plan was reviewed. The Fire Department has no issues with the plan as long as it meets all building and fire codes.

House Reports

House #4

Election of Officers

Election was held on May 15, 2017. Same slate of Officers were voted in by house members:

Captain – David Gonsalves
Lieutenant – Rodrigo Santos

Personnel Equipment request submitted by Captain Gonsalves. He has lost quite a bit of weight and needs a new fire coat. Chris Guerreiro from NE Rescue will be asked to measure Gonsalves for the gear.

Adjournment

Roderick motioned to adjourn the meeting; Zawaduk seconded the motion; all in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 10:02 p.m.