

# Deep River Board of Fire Commissioners

57 Union Street • Deep River, CT 06417

May 8, 2018

The May 7, 2018 meeting of the Deep River Fire Commission began at 7:09 P.M. with Bowden, Lee, Budney, and David, and Dube in attendance. Fire Marshal Kerop, also attended.

The minutes of the April 2, 2018 were reviewed and accepted as written. Moved by Budney, 2<sup>nd</sup> Dube. Unan.

Financial Statements were reviewed.  
Everything looked okay.

Chief reported there will be another Community Breakfast on April 20<sup>th</sup>.  
Fire boat is in the water and ready for service.  
He noted that the proposed new budget does not include any clerical help, or money for a new truck. In this discussion, it was also mentioned that Courtney's office agreed to help with grant writing to obtain a new truck.

There was no Deputy's report.

There was no Engineer's report.

The Fire Marshal submitted his Activity report and it was discussed.

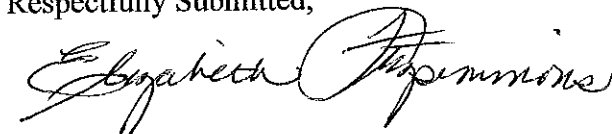
Chairman reported he was disappointed with the new budget, and felt the Commission should go out on their own to have Courtney's office assist with grants, without going through the Town.

Under Old Business, Budney looked into drones, and did not feel it was an acquisition the Fire Department needed.

Under Other business, the Fire Marshal presented new fire protection plans for a subdivision. It was agreed to support the plans with some changes to the language. The Chief and Fire Marshal will work on the details via email, before submitting.

This meeting adjourned at 8:11 Moved by Bowden, 2<sup>nd</sup>, David. Unan.

Respectfully Submitted,



Clerk

**Office of the Fire Marshal  
Town of Deep River**

**DRFD / FIRE MARSHAL ACTIVITY REPORT APRIL 2018**

**Activity summary for Deep River Fire Dept. during the Month of April, 2018:**

04/05/18: DRFD responded to 59 Rosemont Drive for the Chimney Fire  
04/09/18: DRFD responded to 53 Winterberry Dr. for the AFA  
04/13/18: DRFD responded to 27 Winthrop Rd for the outside smoke investigation  
04/16/18: DRFD responded mutual aid to Essex for the Structure Fire  
04/22/18: DRFD responded to 14 River Rd. for the MVA  
04/23/18: DRFD responded to 60 Main Street for the AFA  
04/29/18: DRFD responded to 18 Winter Avenue for the EMS assist

**During the month of April 2018, the Deep River Fire Department responded to 7 incidents.**

Motor Vehicle Accident	1
Automatic Fire Alarm	2
Mutual Aid	1
EMS Assist	1
Outside Smoke Inv	1
Chimney Fire	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7</b>

**Office of the Fire Marshal  
Town of Deep River**

**Summary of Activity for Fire Marshal's Office during April 2018:**

1. Submitted quarterly NFIRS data to the State of CT
2. Working with Resident's Insurance Underwriter regarding fire water supply and their renewal on Winterberry.
3. Reviewed Subdivision Application for Hoop Pole Rd
4. Completed inspections at the following locations:
  - a. John Winthrop JH
  - b. Follow up on oil tank inquiry for 33 Prospect
  - c. Deep River Plastics X2
  - d. 158 Main follow up (Red House)
  - e. 192 Main Street (Multifamily)
  - f. 181 Main follow up

**Burn Permits issued for the following:**

151 Union  
15 Hillside Terr  
66 Westbrook Rd  
94 Hemlock  
132 Cedar Swamp  
371 W Elm  
162 Westbrook Rd

**Blasting Permits:**

Haynes Materials monthly

Information recorded by:  
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Fire Marshal