

MINUTES

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Board of Fire Engineers Board, Committee, Office, Etc.

Date: January 22, 2018 Time: 6:30 P.M.
Present: Chief Hamilton, Asst. Chief Gasco, Asst. Chief Piscitelli,
Absent: Deputy Chief Rudge (working), Asst. Chief Silver (ill)

Minutes from December 18, 2017 were approved. Minutes from January 8, 2018 will be held for the next meeting. Invoices were signed. Mail was read. Account balances were reviewed.

The Board interviewed three applicants tonight. With each, they stressed the time commitment needed to become a firefighter. All were told about the Fire Academy's rigorous recruit training course and the physical ability test.

6:45 P.M. INTERVIEW NICHOLAS LANGEVIN

Nicholas Langevin met with the Board to review his application for membership. After some questions & answers, Asst. Chief Piscitelli made a motion to appoint Nicholas Langevin as a recruit-in-training pending a successful physical exam, physical ability test, drug screening, and C.O.R.I. report. This was seconded by Asst. Chief Gasco and carried on a 3-0 vote. Recruit Langevin will be assigned to Station 5.

7:00 P.M. INTERVIEW AARON CLUETT

Aaron Cluett met with the Board to review his application for membership. He served as a recruit in 2012. He took the physical ability test but did not go through the recruit training program. After some questions & answers, Asst. Chief Gasco made a motion to appoint Aaron Cluett as a recruit-in-training pending a successful physical exam, drug screening, and C.O.R.I. report. This was seconded by Asst. Chief Piscitelli and carried on a 3-0 vote. Recruit Cluett will be assigned to Fire Headquarters.

7:15 P.M. INTERVIEW MITCHELL ROBBINS

Mitchell Robbins met with the Board to review his application for membership. He is a member of Millbury's Explorer Post. After some questions & answers, Asst. Chief Gasco made a motion to appoint Mitchell Robbins as a recruit-in-training pending a successful physical exam, physical ability test, drug screening, and C.O.R.I. report. This was seconded by Asst. Chief Piscitelli and carried on a 3-0 vote. Recruit Robbins will be assigned to Station 3.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ID'S

The Board discussed purchasing their own ID machine with funds from the Gift Account. Asst. Chief Gasco will get estimates.

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TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR 2018

Chief Hamilton told Asst. Chief Gasco about a program on Alzheimer's that is available through the Senior Center. Asst. Chief Gasco will look into this and will work on a schedule for the remainder of the year.

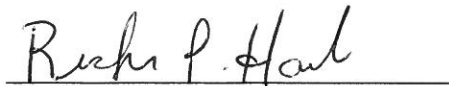
PRE INCIDENT PLANS

There was nothing new to report on pre-incident plans.

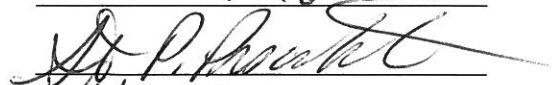
OLD & NEW BUSINESS

- Chief Hamilton said demolition on the southbound side of Rt. 146 will begin next week. A meeting will be held tomorrow to go over details. Chief Hamilton will provide more information after that.
- Opticomms for Engine 1 and Rescue 1 are ready to be installed. The work will be done in the station. The developers of Cobblestone Village (51 Howe Avenue) are providing the units as part of their permit requirements.
- Chief Hamilton would like to attend one day of the FCAM conference being held in Worcester. The cost is \$175 and he will attend on 3/1/18. Asst. Chief Gasco made a motion to approve the funds for Chief Hamilton to attend a single day of the FCAM conference. This was seconded by Asst. Chief Piscitelli and carried on a 3-0 vote.
- Chief Hamilton reported that Tractor Supply is installing a 1000-gallon dispensing station at their site on Rt. 146. They already store 2000-gallons and the additional storage will require a license from the Board of Selectmen. The license request is on the Agenda for the next Selectmen's meeting.
- Chief Hamilton reported District 7 is working on a district-wide RIT policy based on National Standards. The purpose is to have all towns operate in the same way. Chief Hamilton will provide a proposal for the Board to review.

Asst. Chief Piscitelli made a motion to adjourn at 19:30.









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