

Board of Fire Commissioners
Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills
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-REGULAR MEETING-

DATE: July 3, 2023

TIME: 8:02 PM

ROLL CALL:

Commissioners	Pres.	Abs.	Officers	Pres.	Abs.
John (Jack) J. Wieners	X		Chief S. Colantoni	X	
R. Greg Schneider	X		Deputy Chief R. Bifano	X	
John (Jay) J. Wieners III		X	Chief Engineer D. Hess	X	
Byron Tracey	X				
Brian Sysko	X				

Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided in accordance with the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Law by form of a legal notice, which appeared in the Daily Record on December 8, 2022 and was posted on the Fire District's website (www.lhfd4.com) as well as at the Lake Hiawatha Fire House.

MINUTES of PREVIOUS MEETING:

Read by:	Comm. Jack Wieners
Motion to Accept:	Comm. G. Schneider
Seconded by:	Comm. B. Sysko
Carried	

CORRESPONDANCE:

- None

BILLS:

Read by:	Comm. G. Schneider
Motion to Pay Bills:	Comm. B. Sysko
Seconded by:	Comm. Jack Wieners
Carried	

CHIEF'S REPORT:

Given by:	Chief S. Colantoni
Attached	

<u>FIRES:</u>	Day:	19
	Night:	10
	Total:	29
	YTD:	129

INCIDENTS:

- 6-2-2023: RIC to D2, 2 Cranberry Drive, electrical fire
- 6-2-2023: E41 mutual aid to Town of Boonton, Walmart, large gas leak
- 6-16-2023: Full response to D5, Partridge Run Apartment K-21, kitchen fire
- 6-27-2023: RIC to D6, 1561 Route 46 East, roof fire

NOTES:

- Oil change on 2016 Tahoe performed.
- Still waiting on 2022 build-out from East Coast Emergency Lighting
- Donated the following equipment to the Frelinghuysen Fire Department in Warren County:
 - o 1,000 feet of 4" hose
 - o 400 feet of 1.75" hose
 - o 3 SaberJet 1.75" nozzles
 - o 1 ISG thermal imaging camera and vehicle cradle/charging port

DEPUTY CHIEF'S REPORT:

Given by: Deputy Chief
Attached

DRILLS:

Sun: Engine Co. Ops- Picatinny Arsenal
Wed: Pump Operations
R.I.C.: Disoriented Firefighter
Other: FF K. Bifano qualified on Ladder 43

EQUIPMENT:

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MAINTENANCE REPORT:

Given by: Comm. Sysko

ENGINE 41:

- No Issues

ENGINE 42:

- Mechanical Siren Switch not working from Officer Seat
- Officer Side Front Flasher repaired
- Air Leak found in compressor, Fire & Safety to replace

LADDER 43:

- Check Engine Light on
- Fuel Gauge not working properly

RESCUE 44:

- Looking for covers for Driver Side Spot Light
- Condensation Issue with AC due to cracked tube
- Handlight Charging Bracket broken, needs replacement

CHIEF 4:

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DEPUTY 4:

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RESERVE ENG. 641:

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GENERAL:

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ELECTRONICS REPORT:

Given by:

Comm. Tracey

- Progress

INSURANCE REPORT:

Given by:

Comm. Schneider

- Progress

FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU:

Given by:

Chief. Colantoni

- Two (2) new Full Time and One (1) Part Time Inspector hired

PUBLIC HEARING:

- None

OLD BUSINESS:

- 2022 Audit Complete

TREASURER'S REPORT:

ATTACHED

Given by:

Comm. G. Schneider

Motion to Accept:

Comm. Jack Wieners

Seconded by:

Comm. B. Sysko

Carried

GENERAL ACCOUNT:

MAJOR IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT:

NOTES:

NEW BUSINESS:

- All new purchases need to go through Commissioners and/or Chief of Department.
- Schneider and Sysko to work on a more improved internal notification process.
- \$85 purchase from Parsippany Best for Sunday July 2nd drill refreshments. Motion by Sysko, Second by Wieners.
- Schneider discussed need for a new copier in Commissioner office
- Beefsteak to be scheduled.

MOTION TO ADJOURN:

Made by:

Comm. G. Schneider

Seconded by:

Comm. B. Sysko

Carried

TIME: 8:47 PM



John J. Wieners III, Clerk