

# Massachusetts Antique Fire Apparatus Association



Date: March 9, 2025

Location: Boston Fire Museum, Boston MA.

Meeting called to order at 1015AM.

# Secretary Report:

Minutes from previous meeting Read, motion to accept, 2nd and passed.

### Treasurer Report:

- Treasurer Report given. Motion to accept, 2nd and passed.
- Most members have renewed, reminder email was sent out to those who haven't renewed for '25.

#### **BOD Report:**

No Report to Present.

#### Old Business:

- June's muster is in limbo. The Shriners decided to sell the original agreed date
  to another vendor who offered a lot more money to rent. The only date in June
  was available conflicted with the National in Kansas City. Looking into alternative
  sites, possibly back in Lynnfield or North Reading. Muster committee reaching
  out to various sources.
- Planning for National in 2026 is under way. Hotel link will not be available until November. Looking to offer online registrations to streamline the process once everything is finalized.

## New Business:

- Looking to have a spring pumping event at the May meeting. Location potentially Bolton Fair in Lancaster at the pomp we used a few years ago.
- New member introduced, Cornell H. He brought his 1993 Pierce Lance 10 man cab pumper to the meeting and allowed us a quick walkaround of his apparatus.

#### Motion to Adjourn at 1100AM

At the conclusion of the meeting, VP Kelly gave the group a tour of the Fire Museum and spoke to its history as a firehouse and now The Sparks Assoc. museum/canteen service to the Metro Boston area.