



Massachusetts Antique Fire Apparatus Association

Meeting Minutes



September 7th, 2025

Location: Wilmington Fire Dept

- Call to order @ 1000.
- Pledge of Allegiance & moment of silence for Departed members.
- Minutes from the previous meeting (June 2025) read and motion to accept.
- Treasurer report read and motion to accept.
 - Muster Report: 22 trucks attended. Approx revenue after expenses was \$700. Event was successful despite the rain early in the day. \$500 donation was given to All People Church for hosting. The church willing to host again next year, prior to National. Event approx date of June 13th 2026. Looking into secure food vendor and increase participation next year.
- Convention Report : Board gave an update of Summer 2026 Convention plans so far. Finalizing details. Dates of Aug 26-29, 2026 locked in. Hotel block available in November. Hope to secure bus trips and other details this month. All members are encouraged to get involved. Discussion on seeking primary sponsors.

Motion to get a table at Allentown PA Spring Melt event (April 2026) to advertise for Summer Convention (approx \$90) 2nd and passed. Looking for helping staffing table if you're planning to attend.

Fall Newsletter going out shortly. Always looking for content Email Mike Zarella with ideas, photos etc.

Upcoming events:

Sept 14 RH Chapter Show

Sept 20 Lee MA Berkshire Show

Oct 4th NH chapter show at Concord Fire Academy

Nov 29th - Medway Christmas Parade 530pm

Upcoming Meetings:

Oct 5 Mafaa meeting Malden Fire Dept 10AM

Nov 2nd - Uxbridge MA Fire Museum - waiting on confirmation

Dec 7th - Xmas Party will be held 1pm @ Garrisons in Billerica MA

Motion to adjourn @ 1100

Following the meeting, a tour was given of Wilmington Fire Apparatus.