

WORTHINGTON FIRE DISTRICT

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A regular Meeting of the Worthington Fire District Committee was called to order at 5:00 PM on Wednesday, October 15, 2025, at 1400 Berlin Turnpike, Berlin, CT.

PRESENT:

Stanley Pajor IV, Chairman
Anthony Letizio, Committee Member
Joseph Pagliaruli, Superintendent
Lynn Pagliaruli, Collector
Timothy Sullivan, Legal Counsel

ABSENT:

Peter Fliss, Committee Member

Stanley Pajor IV, Chairman, opened the meeting at 5:00 PM.

AUDIENCE OF CITIZENS:

There was no audience of citizens.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Anthon Letizio made a Motion to accept the Special Meeting Minutes of September 24, 2025. Seconded by Stanley Pajor. Motion Passed 2-0.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Joe Pagliaruli reported on the following:

CONSTRUCTION:

- Changing water meters due to malfunctions during quarterly readings
- Testing main meter pits October 16, 2025
- Committee response to Haley Ward bid for relining sewers
 - Anthony Letizio made a Motion to have Haley Ward develop an RF for the relining of sewers, not to exceed \$15,000. Motion Seconded by Stanley Pajor. Motion Passed, 2-0.

NEW NEWS:

- Water Purchase – the State has tentatively approved the diversion permit with Kensington Fire District

- Petition of Hearing issued to the State by Ray Jarema on behalf of Berlin Water Control

CROSS CONNECTIONS:

- Cross connections are ongoing and will be completed on time

ENGINEERING:

- Jason is continuing to update the GIS.
- Stanley Smolski has found documentation regarding the 16x12" main that was paid for by Worthington Fire District and installed by LTC Construction at Farmington Avenue and Massirio Drive. All businesses were tied to this main in 1992. Attorney Sullivan asked that this contract be sent to him.

A Motion was made by Anthony Letizio and Seconded by Stanley Pajor to accept the Superintendent's Report. MOTION PASSED 2-0.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The Treasurer's Report, as prepared by Treasurer, Karilin Villaran, was distributed to all attendees and was read.

A Motion was made by Anthony Letizio and Seconded by Stanley Pajor to accept the Treasurer's Report. MOTION PASSED 2-0.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT:

The Collector's Report was distributed to all attendees. The report, as prepared by Tax Collector Lynn Pagliaruli, is attached to these minutes as submitted.

A Motion was made by Anthony Letizio and Seconded by Stanley Pajor to accept the Collector's Report. MOTION PASSED 2-0.

LEGAL COUNSEL:

Timothy Sullivan discussed the following items:

- 22 Smoky Hill Road – owner was informed that a fence cannot be installed on the easement..
- 64 Mildrum Road – Attorney Sullivan has looked into this matter. The District is only responsible for the lateral break repair cost as opposed to replacing the line where the owner wanted the line rerouted. The District should not consider reimbursement.
- Horbal Property – Farmington Avenue – Attorney Sullivan has asked the Chairman to send a letter stating that we have not received any feedback or action regarding this property.

OLD BUSINESS:

No old business was discussed.

NEW BUSINESS:

No new business was discussed.

A Motion was made by Anthony Letizio and Seconded by Stanley Pajor to adjourn the meeting at 5:51 pm. MOTION PASSED 2-0.

The Meeting Adjourned at 5:51 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lynn J. Pagliaruli

Lynn J. Pagliaruli, Tax Collector