# February 14, 2022

### **MEETING OPENED:**

The East Fishkill Board of Fire Commissioners held their regular board meeting at district headquarters. The meeting was called the meeting to order at 8:33 p.m.

## **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Those members present were: Chairman Shultis, Vice-Chairman Ehrhart, Commissioner McNamara, Commissioner Dixon and Commissioner Jodlowski.

All motions were unanimous, unless otherwise stated.

Bank statements were not opened at this meeting.

On a motion by Commissioner Jodlowski and seconded by Commissioner Dixon, the bills payable as presented were approved. Motion Carried.

## **MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS:**

DEKSILL	ATTLICATIONS.
Station 1	Ester Harrington - Pending Physical, Pending Arson
	Bred Friedman - Pending Physical, Pending Arson
Station 2	Matthew Alfultis - Pending Physical, Pending Arson
Station 3	Andre' Graham - Pending Physical, Pending Arson
	Emily B. Carrie - Pending Physical, Pending Arson
	Brendan Moran - Pending Physical, Pending Arson
	Nicolette Panettiere - Pending Physical, Pending Arson

On a motion by Commissioner McNamara and seconded by Vice-Chairman Ehrhart, these applications, pending physical and arson, were approved.

## **DRIVER/TRAINING APPLICATION:**

None

### **COMMUNICATIONS:**

1. Request from Red Cross to do a blood drive on Wednesday June 15<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>.

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

Commissioner McNamara made a motion to drop the following members from the District rolls due to their not meeting the 2021 yearly requirements:

Station 1 Joan Jackob Debbie Prunella Station 2 Matthew Chan

**Dmitry Konunchuk** 

Alissa Kunzer Hunter Nuzzo Jeff Qualters

Paul Roughgarden

Station 3 Marissa Freyhagan

Joseph Giancaspro

Station 4 Vishnu Adapa

James Buttacavoli

Chris Dunne John Vasilak

Motion was seconded by Vice-Chairman Ehrhart and carried. Secretary Kaye will notify all Chiefs and advise members via regular mail and certified return receipt, as per the policy.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Commissioner Dixon made a motion to change signatories for banking and LOSAP to Steve Shultis and Corey Ehrhart. Seconded by Commissioner Jodlowski and the motion was carried.

A motion was made by Commissioner Dixon to allow the Red Cross use of the meeting room for blood drives on June 15<sup>th</sup> and November 8th. Seconded by Commissioner Jodlowski and carried.

Vice-Chairman Ehrhart made a motion to send up to five members to a SWIFT/Flood Water Rescue Tech class in Oriskany, NY, to include breakfast and dinner. Motion seconded by Commissioner McNamara and carried.

A motion was made by Commissioner Dixon and seconded by Vice-Chairman Ehrhart to change the April meeting from April 27<sup>th</sup> to April 21<sup>st</sup>. A notification will be placed in the newspaper.

Chairman Shultis made a motion for Secretary Beyer and Secretary Kaye to attend two accounting classes each, at a cost of \$85.00 per class. Seconded by Vice-Chairman Ehrhart and carried.

A motion was made by Commissioner McNamara and seconded by Vice-Chairman Ehrhart to transfers \$100,000 from NYClass B&L to Mahopac Reserve for B&L and \$50,000 from NYClass General Fund to Mahopac Checking. Commissioner Dixon abstained. Motion was carried.

On a motion by Vice-Chairman Ehrhart and seconded by Commissioner McNamara, pending the successful completion of a permissive referendum, \$100,000 has been authorized to be spent out of the Reserve for Building and Land for the new training building currently under construction. Motion was carried.

Vice-Chairman Ehrhart made a motion to authorize the Chairman to sign the ESIP insurance renewal for 2022 in the amount of approximately \$105,000. Seconded by Commissioner Dixon and carried.

Commissioner Jodlowski made a motion to purchase the hose requested by 39-2. Seconded by Vice-Chairman Ehrhart and carried.

A motion was made by Commissioner Jodlowski to authorize the Board to sell surplus radios, with an estimated value of under \$20,000, upon reasonable terms. Seconded by Commissioner McNamara and carried.

Chief Lacalamita advised the Board that 39-41 will be going into service this evening. 39-96 will be returned to headquarters and the boat and trailer will be returned to Station 1. Commissioner Dixon requested the bank of radios from 39-11 be returned to headquarters.

First Assistant Chief Jackson requested that mutual aid company Kent Fire attend the next extrication class at headquarters. The Board agreed to this request.

### ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn was made at 8:42 p.m. by Vice-Chairman Ehrhart and seconded by Commissioner Jodlowski.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kathe Kaye Secretary/Deputy Treasurer