BOLTON FIRE COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2019 BOLTON FIRE HOUSE

Chairman John Morianos convened the Bolton Fire Commission meeting at 7:00 P.M. at the firehouse. Commission members present were Robert Langton, John Roback and Cheryl Udin. Chris Moquin was absent. Also in attendance was Fire Chief Bruce Dixon and Fire Marshal James Rupert was absent.

PUBLIC COMMENT - None

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES - Motion to approve minutes from May 20, 2019 meeting (RL/CU) V.U.

PAYMENT OF BILLS - Bills that were paid in May were circulated.

CORRESPONDENCE – The Agreement Between The Bolton Volunteer Fire Department, Inc. and the Town of Bolton, Connecticut was signed.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CHIEF

- The Bolton Volunteer Fire Department (BVFD) responded to 38 emergencies over the last month including several motor vehicle accidents, fire alarms and medical calls.
- Every year the BVFD contracts out the apparatus maintenance for annual DOT inspections and pump testing, including unexpected repairs. This is historically done in the spring. We were faced with an unforeseen expense of \$3,800 for brakes on one truck last month. We are still waiting for the last invoice for ET334. Due to the possibility of any unforeseen expensive mechanical repairs on your emergency vehicles, the department delays other purchases until late in the fiscal year. This has been our practice every year in an effort to be fiscally responsible to the taxpayers.
- BVFD had a number of certifications this past month including three new EMTs, one EMR, one Firefighter 1 and a new Fire Instructor.
- The new officers appointed for the next year are Fire Chief Bruce Dixon, Deputy Chief Peter Morra, Assistant Chief Michael Eremita, Captain Joseph White, Captain Stephen Maroney, Lieutenant Matthew Perreira, Lieutenant Dan Ross, Lieutenant John DeMorro and Chief Engineer John Roback.
- The new training area construction is well underway, thanks to a lot of work by many dedicated town staff.
- The BVFD is planning another 9/11 ceremony for the community in September.

FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT - None

OLD BUSINESS - None.

NEW BUSINESS - None.

Next meeting scheduled for Monday, July 22, 2019.

ADJOURNMENT - Motion to adjourn meeting at 8:11 p.m. (CU/JM) V.U.

Respectfully submitted

Janet Kurys Assard

Board Clerk

PLEASE SEE MINUTES OF SUBSEQUENT MEETING FOR APPROVAL/CORRECTIONS TO THESE MINUTES.