BOLTON FIRE COMMISSION

REGULAR MEETING

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2022

BOLTON FIRE HOUSE – 7:00 P.M.

AND VIA ZOOM

Fire Commission chairman John Morianos convened the Bolton Fire Commission meeting at 7:00 P.M. at the Bolton Senior Center.

Commission members present were Chris Moquin, Danny Moquin, Robert Langton and Elizabeth Malone. Also present were Fire Chief Bruce Dixon and Deputy Fire Marshal Bill Call. James Rupert attended via Zoom.

PUBLIC COMMENT - None

CORRESPONDENCE - None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES - Motion to approve the November 28, 2022 meeting (CM/DM) VU.

PAYMENT OF BILLS – No new bills were paid since the November meeting.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHIEF

- Assisted Vernon with mutual aid for a major structure fire this morning.
- There was an electrical fire in the EOC radio room and outside light fixtures at the Women's Auxiliary Pancake Breakfast this past weekend. An electrician was called and the problem has been fixed.
- Forestry 134 has been appraised. The vehicle will be going up for auction. With the starting bid starting at \$15,000.

DEPUTY FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT

Activities:

- 1- Office Duties
- 2- ESO inspection reports
- 3- Preparation for South Road Apartments
- 4- CRFMA meeting
 - Jim mention that the ESO inspection reports are in the computer and they are also keeping a paper copy in the file. If a town resident would like to see a report on a home that is for the file is available at town hall.

Inspections since last meeting:

- 1- Dollar General
- 2- Bolton Center School with Fire Marshal and educators
- 3- Sunset Apartments Contact with the state

OLD BUSINESS – Chief Dixon presented the budget including the rotation of SCOTT bottles over the next few years, gear, hose and tires. John Morianos suggested that we compile a list of NFPA items and the years they need to be replaced. Chief Dixon said he would work on the list. After a detailed and lengthy discussion, motion to present the budget to the Board of Selectmen by December 23, 2022. (JM/RL) VU.

NEW BUSINESS – Motion to approve the 2023 meeting dates for the Bolton Fire Commission. (JM/RL) VU.

Next meeting scheduled for January 23, 2023.

ADJOURNMENT – Motion to adjourn at 7:50 pm (EM/CM) VU

Respectfully submitted,

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