



Burlington County Fire Chiefs Association
December 4, 2019 - Meeting Minutes
Delran Station 232

The Meeting was called to order by President George Meredith at 19:03 hours. He noted the exits, led the flag salute and a moment of silence. Chief Kevin Peak welcomed the association to Delran Fire Department. Red Cross Robert Rodriguez gave a presentation on the operations of the Red Cross. The minutes of the November meeting were posted on the Web Site and sent to all active chiefs and were approved by motion as posted.

REPORT OF OFFICERS

Chief Fire Coordinator Tim Pearson reported 13 All Company or 1 alarm fires for the month with not Coordinator response. He noted 2020 will be a review year and all guidelines will be reviewed. There is progress on the Haz-Mat Tech Rescue teams coming together. He noted the Joint Base will have an air show in May 2020. He also noted if you have a Chief Change please forward contact information.

County FM Bob Carr gave his report of the FM activities for the month.

ESAB will have a meeting on Dec. 6

NJ State Regional Coordinator Robert Tharpe was not present.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

Training Center Howard Black reported FF1 Graduation will be January 7th. The first FF 1 PT test is ongoing for the Spring FF1 class. New Class for Jr FF to cover all classroom portions of FF1.

Public Safety No Report

Radio Liaison No Meeting

Membership no applications

Radio Manual No Report

County Fire Police Ed Di Leo reported 6 incidents for 60 Fire Police for 220 hours

Utilities Bill Ruggiano reported on a meeting with PSE&G the county has new phone numbers and the meeting was positive.

BCTO Association – no report

Tech – No Meeting

Legislative – The Jr FF legislation will be held over till January

Dinner – Station 313, January 8th

Resource Directory no report

Leadership Conference – went well and the final report in February

Firefighters Association – Routine Meeting

Health and Wellness no report

Active Shooter – Fire and EMS document finished and being reviewed

Highway Traffic Safety – DOT Detours being looked at for all major highways

Unfinished Business

RIC/RIT Certification – no meeting

FF1 PT test – part of training center report

CAD – Chief Bittenbender reported still issues being sorted out

Bills – none

Communications – none

New Business

2nd reading of bylaw change on voting by active department chiefs. Show of hands vote all in favor
no objections

Haz-mat Team updated by Fire Coordinator report

Nominations - no oppositions for any executive office positions, the Secretary will cast an official ballot by motion, motion carried.

2020 Executive Officers

President Chris Burnett
Vice President Don Nesbitt
Secretary Carl Bittenbender
Treasurer Lee Daneker

Treasurer Report

Lee Daneker read the financial status of all accounts for this association \$63,232.92 with a detailed copy attached to the filed minutes was approved as read by motion. Motion carried.

Report of Emergencies – none

Report of Drills or Training – Station 171 to host a boaters safety class Dec 7th

Announcements – NJ State Chiefs Meeting for January at station 301

Safety Brief – no report

Good and Welfare – a round of thanks to the host department for the hospitality

Next Meeting – Dinner Meeting January 8th at station 313 Lenola

Adjournment at 22:15

Tim Pearson
Secretary