

TINTON FALLS FIRE DISTRICT #1

WORKSHOP MEETING

MAY 19, 2022

CALL TO ORDER- The Workshop Meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners was called to order by President Costa at 7:03 pm.

ANNOUNCEMENT- Attorney Braslow advised the Board that all requirements of the Open Public Meeting Act of Chapter 231, Public Law 1975, adequate notice of this meeting had been met by advertising in The Coaster and The Asbury Park Press, and by posting on the bulletin board in the Tinton Falls Borough Hall and placed on file with the Borough Clerk 48 hours prior to this meeting.

FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL- Furman- present Chervinsky-present Costa-present

Harris-absent Matthews-present Attorney Braslow-phone

ATTORNEY REPORT – Mr. Braslow started the meeting discussing Assembly Bill 3818 which designates dates for special fire district elections. Currently, fire district special elections can be held on any date. Mr. Braslow has stated there have been objections made. Boards of Education can hold special elections on any date; deadlines could be met due to 60-day notice requirements to County and Borough Clerk and missed deadline can cost more money on a capital project purchase. He will keep the Board advised on any movement of this Assembly Bill.

Mr. Braslow also brought attention to A3868 which has been introduced and in committee. This bill addresses the use of recreational marijuana by first responders while off-duty. There is no clarity for first responders. He will keep the Board advised on any movement of this Assembly Bill.

CHIEF'S REPORT – Chief Kyle Williams submitted his monthly report. There were 49 incidents in April 2022 and a total of 220 incidents year to date for the District. All NFIRS have been submitted and mileage has been updated.

The Chief asked for permission to purchase two TL-9 stabilizers, and appliances for hi-rise packs to streamline the hi-rise packs across the District.

Upcoming training has been sent out, and there will be a live burn drill on June 7 at the Toms River Fire Academy.

Discussion held on training. The Chief is obtaining a quote for RIC/collapse training. It would be a 12-to-16-hour course.

President Costa brought up about updates to the District training policies in the near future.

Discussion held on Fit Test machine. Further discussion will be held at Regular Meeting.

Tyler Dobrzynski was a Junior Firefighter and has submitted his application for membership in Station 2 since he has reached the required age.

Station 1 Chief has requested the use of 36-3-77 for approximately three weeks while their apparatus is out for repair.

DEPUTY CHIEF'S REPORT – No report submitted

NEW BUSINESS – none to be discussed

OLD BUSINESS - none to be discussed

ADJOURNMENT- Motion to adjourn the Workshop Meeting was made by Commissioner Chervinsky and seconded by Commissioner Matthews. All in favor. Meeting was adjourned at 7:23 pm.