

**DELRAN BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
CAUCUS MEETING
MAY 11, 2021**

The meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Delran Township Fire District #1 was held on Tuesday evening, May 11, 2021 at the fire district office.

President Joseph Parento, commencing with the flag salute called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

The President announced that this meeting is being conducted within the provisions of N.J.S. 10-4.6 to N.J.S. 10:4-41 titled Open Public Meetings and that the time and place has been posted on the bulletin board of the Municipal Building, and was advertised in the Burlington County Times on February 10, 2021.

Other members of the Board of Fire Commissioners and appointed persons present were Commissioners; James Bauer, Anthony Quaciari, James Turcich. Also, present were: Deputy Chief Joseph Cunningham Sr.; Battalion Chief 232 Daniel Pfeiffer; Captain #232 Joseph Cunningham Jr.; Lt. #232 Dugme, and Fire Marshall Ronald Hubbs (Ret.) Fire Commissioner Kendra was in the hospital.

COMMUNICATIONS- All communications that have been received by the Board were distributed.

SECRETARY – Commissioner Bauer reported that we received the certified absentee ballot count from the Burlington County Board of Elections. The Clerk and myself have finalized the 2021 election. Charles Kendra 324 votes; James Turcich 319 votes; For the Budget 222 votes; Against the Budget 135 votes. Charles Kendra and James Turcich were duly elected as commissioners to a three-year term, and the fire district budget was approved.

CHIEF- Chief Peak submitted his written report. (See attached.)

DEPUTY CHIEF- Deputy Chief Joseph Cunningham submitted his written report. (See attached).

Chief Cunningham also reported that 2324's portable gas detector needs an O2 sensor replaced.

BATTALION Chief #232- no report.

LINE OFFICER'S- Captain Cunningham reported that Engine #2321 will be going to Burlington County Emergency Training Center for the Firefighter 1 Class.

TRUSTEES- Bob Borsuk reported that the Bridgeboro Station has installed L.E.D. lights in the Engine Room. The Engine room door for #2312's bay has a bad roller bearing that needs to be replaced and the storm drains were cleaned. Station 231 is purchasing a pressure washer for the station use.

FIRE EQUIPMENT- no report.

E.V.T. – Commissioner Joseph Parento reported that Campbell Supply Company will perform the preventative maintenance, repairing foam valve and research why temperature gauge light keeps coming on Engine #2312.

UNIFORMS- Tony Quaciari stated that the committee will make sure that all firefighters have Class B's first, then look at Class A's.

FIRE POLICE- Fire Police Captain Bobby Borsuk requested a list of all Fire Police, this is needed so the township clerk can swear them into office.

TREASURER'S REPORT- Commissioner James Turcich made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Quaciari for the Treasurer to pay all bills presented. The Board was polled. all AYES. The motion was carried.

NEW BUSINESS- Commissioner Quaciari asked Deputy Chief Cunningham to place sign-up sheets at both stations for Top Golf outing in July as part of the Department's retention program.

PUBLIC COMMENTS – No public comments

BOARD COMMENTS – No Commissioners comments

President Joseph Parento asked if anyone had any further business to discuss. Hearing none, has asked for a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Turcich made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Quaciari to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 pm. The Board was polled. All AYES. The motion was carried.

Respectfully submitted,
James C. Bauer
Secretary