



Cherry Hill Board of Fire Commissioners

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MINUTES WORKSHOP MEETING JANUARY 11, 2024

In accordance with Section 5 of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231 P.L. 1975, notice of this meeting was posted on the Fire District and Township of Cherry Hill bulletin board designed for that purpose. Notice was published in the official newspapers on December 28, 2023.

CALL TO ORDER

Public meeting call to order at 19:01 hours .

FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL

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| ARROYO | PRESENT |
| DORAN | ABSENT |
| KELLY | PRESENT |
| LIPSETT | PRESENT |
| MULHOLLAND | ABSENT |

Also present: AC McGeady, BC Reis, and PSA Fiorentini.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- BC Reis briefed the Board on the current training initiatives that are underway; the officers are currently working on the new engine specifications and the new BC vehicle. BC Reis briefed the Board on recent fire activity on Saxby Terrace and calls in Maple Shade and Voorhees and most recently that the Department responded to 38 calls for service during the recent storm.
- AC McGeady briefed the Board on EMS hiring; the plan to hire eight full time EMTs' is moving forward, the seventh full time employee has just started. The increase in staffing has already shown benefits in the EMS scheduling. The new Per Diem pay increase is in effect and three new per diems will be coming on board. EMS calls for service have been steadily increasing.
- PSA Fiorentini distributed the 2022 Audit to the Board members for their review and directed the members to forward any questions to Fire Chief Houlihan. Dates

for the audit exit interview will be forthcoming. The resolution acknowledging that the Board has reviewed the audit will be presented at the February meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT PRIOR TO CLOSE OF MEETING

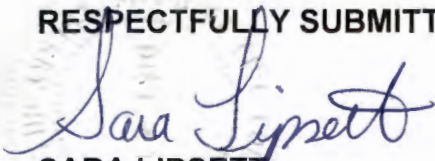
THIS SECTION OF THE PUBLIC MEETING IS RESERVED FOR THE COMMISSIONERS TO ACCEPT "COMMENTS" FROM THE PUBLIC. IF A COMMISSIONER WISHES TO RESPOND TO ANY OF THE COMMENTS, IT WILL BE DONE AFTER THE COMMENT PORTION OF THE MEETING IS CLOSED. PUBLIC COMMENTS SHALL BE DIRECTED THROUGH THE CHAIRPERSON.

There were no public comments received. .

MOTION TO ADJOURN MEETING

Motion by Commissioner Arroyo and seconded by Commissioner Lipsett to adjourn meeting at 19:20 hours. Motion carried.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED



**SARA LIPSETT
CLERK, B.O.F.C. DIST. #13**