

**TOWNSHIP OF MANALAPAN
BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
DISTRICT NO. 1**

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

March 5, 2025

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, Fire District No. 1, in the Township of Manalapan, was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by Chairman Spector, in compliance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act.

PRESENT: A. Spector, G. Schmatz, D. LaRocca, M. Alongi, M. Wilson, S. Burdick, J. Aronson, J. Shalika, M. Wechsler & C. Parker

Mr. Parker swore in Commissioners Spector and LaRocca.

BILLS AND COMMUNICATIONS

No report.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Wells Fargo Money Market	\$1,477,609.91
Wells Fargo Checking	\$6,880.93

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

Election is over and Commissioners were sworn in.

INSURANCE REPORT

Workers comp audit has been completed and Aflac policy has been updated.

EQUIPMENT REPORT

No report.

RADIO REPORT

Installing vehicle chargers on trucks.

TRUCK REPORT

Rehab trailer jack not working all the time.
26-1-87 - portable charger installed.
26-1-74 - damaged length of 5 inch replaced from stock.
26-1-67 - replacement batteries.

CHIEF'S REPORT

Tanker /water class looking to split cost with 26-2 and 12-1 (total cost \$3500).
Extinguishers are in the process of being serviced, have a few remaining waiting to be completed.
The vent on the Satellite gear dryer is leaking from the roof into the dryer.
ISO class looking to hold it in-house.
SCBA flow test March 20th.
Lights on the outside of the rehab.
Additional heater for rehab/replacement parts for the existing heater.

Requests

\$475 for 10 replacement stream light batteries.
One replacement LT shield up \$100.

ASSOCIATION REPORT

Roofer came by yesterday to look at roof leak. Will get a quote for a mason to repair.

TRUSTEES' REPORT

No report.

OLD BUSINESS

See attached.

NEW BUSINESS

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion to pay all vouchers; this was seconded by Commissioner Wilson. All voted aye.

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion for \$475 for 10 stream light batteries, this was seconded by Commissioner Wilson. All voted aye.

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion for \$1,000 to purchase 8 shields, this was seconded by Commissioner Wilson. All voted aye.

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion for \$2,532 for service agreement for Holmatro tools with ESI Equipment, this was seconded by Commissioner Wilson. All voted aye.

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion for \$6,600 to East Coast Emergency Lighting to add lights to rehab trailer, this was seconded by Commissioner Schmatz. All voted aye.

Commissioner LaRocca made a motion for \$21,000 to East Coast Emergency Lighting for lighting for new Chief's truck, this was seconded by Commissioner Wilson. All voted aye.

Commissioner Schmatz made a motion for \$4,650 for DeAngelis Landscape Design to do lawn maintenance at both houses, this was seconded by Commissioner LaRocca. All voted aye.

Commissioner Schmatz will look into getting pricing for painting the back building.

Need to look into carpeting for the office.

The Chiefs were asked to make up an equipment listing for the new trucks.

Commissioner Schmatz discussed the parking in fire lane issue at shopping center on Gordons Corner Road.

Still waiting on quote from John for boiler.

Meeting opened to the public at 8:50 p.m.

A motion was made by Commissioner Spector to adjourn; it was seconded by Commissioner LaRocca. All voted aye.

Meeting adjourned at 8:52 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael Alongi, Clerk

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS – 3/5/25

Commissioner Schmatz to install light in Commissioner's closet.

Golf cart rehab.

Door lights for 81.

Ordered light for the Satellite.