

JAMESBURG BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Fire District No. 1

Minutes

January 16, 2025

CALL TO ORDER: This meeting was called to order by Attorney Joseph Youssouf. The meeting is being held pursuant to The Open Public Meetings Act of 1974 and the provisions of that Act have been met. Meeting commenced at, 7:37pm

FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL: Dwayne Fitzpatrick
Salvatore Georgianna
Pradeep Mathew
Stephanie Rampacek
Brian Wright
Attorney Youssouf
Gerry Stankiewicz

MOTION TO ACCEPT MINUTES:

Proposed By: S. Rampacek
Seconded By: D. Fitzpatrick
All in Favor: Yes

TREASURER'S REPORT

S. Rampacek:

	Checking:	Savings:
<i>Bal. Bt. Fwd.:</i>	20,006.58	757,394.72
<i>Deposits:</i>	33,409.60	157.66
<i>Vouchers:</i>	(33,409.38)	
<i>Rec. Bal.</i>	20,006.80	724,149.58
<i>Grand Total Cash on Hand:</i>		744,156.38

MOTION TO ACCEPT TREASURER'S REPORT:

Proposed By: B. Wright
Seconded By: S. Georgianna
All in Favor: Yes

REQUISITIONS:

Nothing

MOTION TO ACCEPT REQUISITIONS:

Proposed By:

Seconded By: N/A

All In Favor: Yes

CORRESPONDENCE:

S. Rampacek:

The 2022 audit notice was placed in newspapers.

Received notice of a seatbelt component shall be inspected by General Motors.

Received the Annual Report from MELS.

ATTORNEY’S REPORT:

Joseph Youssouf:

The attorney read into the record the final adoption of the 2025 budget resolution.

Motion to open the meeting to the public for comments:

Proposed by: D. Fitzpatrick

Seconded by: S. Georgianna

All in favor: Yes

Seeing no one from the public coming forward a motion to close to the public:

Proposed by: D. Fitzpatrick

Seconded by: S. Georgianna

All in favor: Yes

Chairman called for a motion to accept the proposed 2025 budget.

Motion by: D. Fitzpatrick

Seconded by S. Georgianna

Roll Call:

P. Mathew Yes

S. Rampacek Yes

B. Wright Abstain

S. Georgianna Yes

D. Fitzpatrick Yes

Motion carries to accept the 2025 budget

Attorney Youssouf stated that the candidate form and the budget questions must be to the counties office by the end of business on January 17, 2025.

PRESIDENT’S REPORT:

Andrew Stonaker:

Annual Fire Inspection was completed by the North Brunswick Fire Marshal on 12-30-2024.

All violations except for one exit light in the basement back stairwell has been corrected, all reports have been submitted to the North Brunswick Fire Marshal’s Office.

FIRE CHIEF’S REPORT:

Christopher Rampacek:

J3 went for service because the pump was coming out of gear on a mutual aid fire call in Cranbury with J6 The tech’s found out it was an issue with the break switch and also an issue with the seatbelt, waiting on all parts to come in and then they will come to pick the truck up and make the necessary repairs, then return the engine to the JFD

We had a second alarm fire on Monday January 13, 2025 at 16 Lake Street, apartment #8, crews were on scene approximately 3 hours, no injuries reported.

NEW BUSINESS:

S. Rampacek:

April 17, 2025 meeting needs to be changed because of a conflict, A proposed new meeting date is April 10, 2025.

Chairman requested a motion to change the meeting date.

Proposed by: S. Rampacek

Seconded by: S. Georgianna

All in Favor: Yes

OLD BUSINESS:

B. Wright:

The board has received a resolution from the Borough’s Mayor and Council approving the compensation that was proposed to the Board of Commissioners for the year 2025. The resolution will be uploaded into the States FAST system.

MOTION TO OPEN PUBLIC COMMENT:

Proposed By: S. Rampacek

Seconded By: S. Georgianna

All in Favor: Yes

PUBLIC COMMENT:

No Public

MOTION TO CLOSE TO THE PUBLIC:

Proposed By: D. Fitzpatrick

Seconded By: S. Georgianna

All in Favor: Yes

MOTION TO ADJOURN MEETING: 8:22pm

Proposed By: S. Georgianna

Seconded By: D. Fitzpatrick

All in Favor: Yes

Brian Wright, Clerk