

## **BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS**

**The regular meeting of the Board of Fire Engineers was held Tuesday, June 26, 2012; meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. In attendance: Chief Al Galinelli, Norman Blank, Robert Miner, Brian Remy, Scott Little, Christopher Stanley, and Steve Asselin; also: Jeff Dallaire.**

**Minutes of previous meeting read. R. Miner made motion, with second by N. Blank, to accept as submitted; motion unanimously carried.**

### **Correspondence:**

**„« Individual company correspondence distributed.**

**„« July 14th iV N. Attleboro Kids Day Parade; Eng. 1 may want to participate.**

### **Old Business:**

**„« Firemen's Memorial Parade iV Chief stated went well; good turnout. Chief said fire department has basket from flowers which were on Tower 1; it can be re-used in future years. Will use artificial roses in the future due to expense.**

**„« Updated Company Membership Lists iV Please turn in if you haven't already.**

**„« Hose Testing iV Cards distributed. Please complete and return as soon as possible.**

**„« July 4th Bristol Parade iV Eng. 6 will stand-by in Bristol; rescue**

**will stay in Warren but be available to take patients from Bristol to transport. Eng. 6 also going to fireworks on July 3rd.**

**„« Quahog Festival ¡V July 21-22. Need one firefighter and one EMT. S. Asselin to post sign-up sheet; Chief will choose individuals for details.**

### **New Business:**

**„« Pump Tests ¡V Not yet scheduled. J. Sousa has been working with someone. If he cannot do it, Chief has someone who will come here to do it. Third party must do the testing; we cannot do our own.**

**„« Fuel Slips ¡V 2011/2012 ¡V Any company still having any, please turn in to Chief's office.**

**„« Oct. 6th ¡V Second Bristol/Warren Competitive Blood Drive.**

**„« Arlington Ave. fire ¡V Chief stated thinks we did a good job over-all. Chief stated to remind everyone water bottles placed on the trucks are not for every day consumption; they are on the truck for use at fire scenes. Also, if no rescue on scene for rehab due to heat, put individuals in apparatus with a/c on high. S. Asselin will address rehab requirements with rescue.**

**„« Chief gave radio information to be provided to B. Guertin for use during America's Cup races in Newport in the event Warren should be called in.**

**„« Tower 1 called in to Grist Mill Restaurant fire. Individual operating turntable was not sure how to operate the bucket. Chief will issue general order that if you do not attend training and company meeting but show up on fire calls, you will be suspended.**

**„« Chief and K. McPhillips working on a grant to be used to replace 35 1997 Scott air packs, 5 for each truck. 35 packs and a compressor will be apprx. \$280,000. Bottles also must be replaced. Old equipment will be given to small departments who request them if we get the grant.**

### **Station Reports:**

**„« Steve Asselin now captain of rescue.**

**„« Sta. 5 iV has two new heaters. Chief said remind everyone truck i§stopsi” cannot be moved back any further; it will cause heaters to be hit. S. Little said new overhead door needs to be checked; there is a gap between two panels. Windows need to have tinted film put on.**

**„« Headquarters roof leak being worked on. Repair will be added to bid for Mary V. Quirk and old rescue station repair. Contract for new generator at headquarters signed; waiting for it to come in. Rented generator would have been apprx. \$4,500 per month, but fire department generator has been being used.**

**„« All cameras are up and running. Chief stated everyone is to be careful of what transpires in all apparatus rooms, as it can be seen by the dispatchers. There are still some slight problems, but are being addressed.**

**„« Chief still needs two keys to the side door for Sta. 3. N. Blank to check with V. Calenda.**

**„« Trying to get double beds from Roger Williams for rescue.**

### **Training:**

**„« July calendar distributed.**

**„« Marine Training scheduled for three Mondays nights at the Town Dock.**

**There being no further business to discuss N. Blank made motion, with second by S. Little, to adjourn. Motion unanimously passed; meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.**