

Buttonwoods Fire District

Minutes of Meeting of Supervisors

Date 7/27/09 @ 6:00 PM

Casino Building 23 8<sup>th</sup> Ave., Warwick, RI 02886

Attendees: Deb Taylor, Bill Foley & Dave Tremblay - Supervisors  
J.Suffredini, Treasurer, Ken Mason, (former) Sr. Supervisor

Current Invoices were given to J.Suffredini, Treasurer, for review and payment. A discussion of reserves, expenses, balances and recent outgoing payments followed.

Deb outlined the supervisor meetings procedure with Dave the new junior Supervisor and his new duties for this position. Ken Mason advised the Supervisors on some new information and some tasks he will help Dave with.

Joe received a yearly maintenance contract from CINTAS who installed our sprinkler system. Joe has approval to negotiate and finalize an annual maintenance contract. Joe will finalize the contract in the coming weeks.

**A Big Thank You** to Dave Lussier who installed the light for the flagpole area. The Supervisors are now inspecting all the lighting surrounding the Casino areas and will be able to determine if the present lights are located uniformly, and if all deem necessary because of the high cost of electricity.

A RFQ has gone out for the purchase of a ceiling fan for the Casino, and if feasible, Dave Lussier will oversee the installation, or recommend a company to do this job.

The new sidewalk in front of the Chapel will be replaced again, with a different material than the experimental material currently installed. The status of this project is still ongoing.

**Security**-Once again the Supervisors are taking turns to set up and monitor the hired security detail this coming summer. On the days the Security detail is in place, please do your part and be considerate by stopping and showing your Buttonwoods decal. It only takes a minute and your co-operation will be appreciated. If you need a decal, please ask for one from any of the Supervisors.

The BBA/BFD properties sewer contract is being reviewed by the City of Warwick Sewer Dept. with the attorneys for BBA/BFD, on the original position that an assessment will only take place if property is transferred and developed.

**Auto Break-ins**- Although it has reported over a month ago there have been thefts of "stuff" in unlocked vehicles, notably on 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue. **LOCK YOUR VEHICLES!**

**A Coyote** was once again spotted recently in the Canopy area. Please stay alert when walking in the neighborhood especially early AM.

**Bees**, if you enjoy walking bare foot, please be aware that bees love clover, and are feasting on it in the grass area around the Casino area. Be careful.

The Minutes of July 27, 2009 meeting were read and approved by all at the end of the meeting, on July 27, 2009

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 PM