



ANSONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

253 MAIN STREET
ANSONIA, CT 06401

FIRE COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

APRIL 28, 2010

Commissioner	Eugene Sharkey, Chairman	Present
Commissioner	Steve Blume	Present
Commissioner	Joseph Jeannette	Absent
Chief	Michael Eheman	Present
1 st Asst. Chief	Ronald Burgess	Present
2 nd Asst. Chief	Joe Kingston	Present

Others Present:

3 rd Asst. Chief	Scott Trembley	Present
4 th Asst. Chief	Ed Adamowski	Absent
Fire Marshal	Ray Tingley	
Fire Alarms	Bill Hart	
Co. #1	Captain Carl Smith	
Co. #3	1 st Lt. John Buckley	
Co. #4	Captain Jay Fainer	
Co. #5		
Co. #6	2nd Lt. Rich Schwarzenberg	
Fire Police	Captain Henry Boladz	

The regular meeting of the Ansonia Fire Commission was called to order at 7:00 by Chairman Sharkey. A roll call was taken and the chair declared a quorum present.

All present rose and Pledged Allegiance to the Flag.

Public Session

FF Ed Sokolnicki representing St. Joseph's Church extended an invitation to all firefighters and their families to attend the annual tradition of the Blessing of the Trucks. It will be held on October 3rd at Warsaw Park. Mass will be said and all are invited to participate in the annual outing of the church.

Chairman Sharkey asked three times if there was anyone from the public who wished to address the Commission. Being none, the chair declared the public session closed.

Approval of Minutes

A MOTION to accept the minutes from the March 31, 2010 regular meeting was made by Commissioner Blume and seconded by Chief Eheman. All were in favor. MOTION PASSED.

Approval of Bills

A MOTION to pay all bills if found to be correct was made by Commissioner Blume and seconded by Chief Eheman. All were in favor. MOTION PASSED.

Correspondence :

Reports:

Company 1

Fountain Hose

- Bell in basement does not work. Please check.
- Need speedy dry.
- Gas meter AC charger not working. Need replacement.
- May 6 having pancake breakfast. E1 OOS.
- Blood drive is June 5.

Company 3

Webster Hose

- All set.

Company 4

Charters Hose

- CO meter out for repair. When will it be returned.
- E4 air conditioner not working.
- Rear cabinet latch defective.
- Cab lift control not working. Needs to be fixed.
- Cab headliner cracked and broken.
- Federal siren not working.
- Need battery and bulb for hand light.

Company 5

Hilltop Hose

Company 6

Eagle Hose

- Water still leaks at back of building.

Unfinished Business

New Business

Fire Marshal

Alarms

Training

- Instructors class had 100% pass the certification test.
- Pump Operator class is half complete and going well.
- Aerial Operator class out for sign up.
- Check the training website.
- 2Q course late May or early June.
- Fit testing Saturday May 1 from 9-5 at Co. 5. bring mask, t-pass and pager.
- FF1 class just finished with 7 completing the course.
- T-pass machine being upgraded.
- Flow test of packs will be scheduled.

Fire Police

Chief 25

Chief 24

Chief 23

Chief 22

- All ladders passed the test. New sensors are coming soon.

Commissioner Jeannette

Commissioner Blume

Chief 21

- Cumberland Farms has 3 underground tanks of 8,000 gallons each. FYI.
- 81 Hubbell Ave has an oxygen user living there.
- May 12, ARMS having a LIFESTAR presentation.

Commissioner Sharkey

- AFD will be taking over the responsibility of light rescue in conjunction with ARMS after the May Board of Aldermen meeting.

Commissioner Blume made a MOTION to adjourn at 7:25 PM, seconded by AC Burgess. All were in favor. MOTION PASSED.

The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 26, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard Bshara
Secretary-Bookkeeper
Ansonia Fire Department