



# ANSONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

253 MAIN STREET  
ANSONIA, CT 06401

## FIRE COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING NOVEMBER 17, 2010

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

### Others Present:

3 <sup>rd</sup> Asst. Chief	Scott Trembley	Present
4 <sup>th</sup> Asst. Chief	Ed Adamowski	Absent
Fire Marshal	Ray Tingley	
Fire Alarms	Bill Hart	
Co. #1	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt. Dempsey	
Co. #3	Captain Brian Mohyde	
Co. #4	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt. Ed Norman	
Co. #5	Captain Robert Caruso	
Co. #6	1 <sup>st</sup> Lt. Chris Schwartz	
Fire Police		

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

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 October 27, 2010 regular meeting was made by Commissioner Blume and seconded by AC Burgess. 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 :

- Invitation from High Acres Christian Church on November 21, 2010 at 6:00 PM. All fire department personnel are invited.

## Reports:

### Company 1

#### Fountain Hose

- Boot drive on 11/27/2010.
- Need 9 volt batteries.
- All officers and commissioners are invited to dinner on 11/24/2010 at 7:00 PM.
- One tire changed. Will check on rest.

### Company 3

#### Webster Hose

- What are guidelines for extrication. AFD will do car extrications with ARMS. All other rescues will have Derby FD called in to perform.

### Company 4

#### Charters Hose

- Need 9V batteries.
- Supply list presented.
- Need gear for 2 members.

### Company 5

#### Hilltop Hose

- Need 9V batteries.
- Need 1  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch smooth bore nozzle.
- Need training foam.
- Radio case received.
- Truck floor is cracking.
- All are invited to Christmas party on December 12, 2010.

### Company 6

#### Eagle Hose

- All set.

## Unfinished Business

### New Business

- December meeting is on the 15<sup>th</sup>. A Christmas gathering will be held at Company 3 immediately following.
- ARMS and Public Works new frequencies will be added to all radios soon.

A MOTION to adopt the 2011 meeting schedule as presented was made by Commissioner Blume and seconded by Chief Eheman. All were in favor. MOTION PASSED.

## Fire Marshal

- Antonio's on 314 Main Street is open and alarm is online.
- Thanks for support of Fire Prevention Program.

## Alarms

- All set.

## Training

- Infectious Control course 11/29/2010 at 7:00 PM at Company 6.
- Hazmat on 12/11/10 at 0900 hours at Company 4.
- Valley Fire School will host FFI course in January.
- We have several vehicles at PW complex for drills.

## Fire Police

Eileen Krugel

- Training list is for 2011. Keep info coming.

Chief 25

Chief 24

Chief 23

Chief 22

- DOT testing is ongoing. For minor repairs, leave a list on driver's seat.
- Need all missing truck reports.
- S9 needs pump test.

Commissioner Jeannette

Commissioner Blume

- Congratulations to Dan Kershaw on Rotary Award.

Chief 21

- Thanks to all officers on rescheduling of pump testing.
- Hope to schedule a gear repair after the first of year.
- Chief Eheman is on committee to build new valley fire school.

Commissioner Sharkey

- Winter weather is coming. Check your chains now.
- Do not use spreaders with roller chains.
- Tires we use are good up to 4 inches with drop down chains.
- Have a nice Thanksgiving.

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, December 15, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard Bshara  
Secretary-Bookkeeper  
Ansonia Fire Department