



ANSONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

253 MAIN STREET
ANSONIA, CT 06401

FIRE COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING June 24, 2009

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
Fire Marshal	Ray Tingley
Fire Alarms	Bill Hart
Co. #1	Captain Carl Smith
Co. #3	Captain Ken Pawlak
Co. #4	Captain Jay Fainer
Co. #5	
Co. #6	2 nd Lt. Chris Schwarz

The regular meeting of the Ansonia Fire Commission was called to order at 7:00 PM 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 April 29, 2009 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 : None.

Reports:

Company 1 Fountain Hose

- Strobe light out on E-1.
- Leak on 5" inlet.
- Need gas key.

- Kussmaul being repaired.
- Portable light out for repair. Request status.
- Need gear for two new members. See AC Burgess.
- Need batteries for T-PASS.
- Drills will be held twice weekly. Drills are open to all companies.
- Saturday after 1st Tuesday will be new member drills. All new members are invited.
- Need garage door sensors.

Company 3

Webster Hose

- Need SCBA webbing.
- S-9 door needs to be fixed.
- New E-3 will be here in August.
- Request s-9 for Seymour parade. OK.
- S-9 needs to go to Tracy's to check engine.

Company 4

Charters Hose

- Need SCBA straps.
- Fire alarm bell is working only intermittently.
- Need garage door sensors.
- Need incident reports.

Company 5

Hilltop Hose

- E5 still out for repairs.
- Need garage door sensors.

Company 6

Eagle Hose

- All set.

Fire Marshal

- New alarm system going in at 301 Main Street.
- Lincoln condos will be occupied as of July 1.
- Nolan condos working to tie into city alarm system.
- Renovations ongoing at N. State St. fire. Be careful.
- Boys Club tour went well.

Alarms

- Alarms going into Nolan Manner, Lincoln condos and maybe Assumption church.

Training

- Hazmat Operations full class will be run soon. Infectious control, fire watch, RIT, FFI, MRT, pump operator and flashover class and others coming soon. See AFD training website for details.
- Fit testing will be held on 7/6/2009 at 6-9 PM at the chief's office.
- SOGS are progressing.

Fire Police

Chief 25

Chief 24

- All set.

Chief 23

- All set.

Chief 22

- All set.

New Business

Chief 21

- Handouts on Boys Club given out.
- S9, T7 and E4 are going to Seymour parade.
- If masks are missing, we may need a police report. Please be careful to not lose track of your gear.

Commissioner Jeannette

Commissioner Blume

- All Set.

Commissioner Sharkey

- Insurance cards handed out tonight.
- Fairfield Fire School may be looking for engine. Would need formal request.
- Large repairs needed on several trucks.
- New E3 will be inspected in July.

Commissioner Blume made a MOTION to adjourn at 7:35 PM, seconded by Chief Eheman. All in favor MOTION PASSED.

The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 29, 2009 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard Bshara
Secretary-Bookkeeper
Ansonia Fire Department