



# ANSONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

253 MAIN STREET  
ANSONIA, CT 06401

## FIRE COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

October 28, 2009

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

### Others Present:

3 <sup>rd</sup> Asst. Chief	Scott Trembley
4 <sup>th</sup> Asst. Chief	Ed Adamowski
Fire Marshal	Ray Tingley
Fire Alarms	Bill Hart
Co. #1	Captain Carl Smith
Co. #3	Captain Ken Pawlak
Co. #4	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt. Ed Norman
Co. #5	
Co. #6	1 <sup>st</sup> 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 if there was anyone from the public who wished to address the Commission. 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 September 30, 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

- Needs gas key for DPW.
- Waiting for hand lights to come back from repair.
- 2 lights on E1 out.
- 5" outlet leaking on E1.
- Need small pair of gloves
- Need wye gate valve.
- Need wand and filter for gas meter.
- E1 hose bed cover will be installed by chief driver.

### Company 3

#### Webster Hose

- Need 2 ac plugs for survivor lights.
- Garage door opener needs repair.

### Company 4

#### Charters Hose

- Air conditioner in E-4 needs to be fixed.
- Handle on rear door needs to be replaced ASAP.
- November 14 is old timers night. See 401 for tickets.
- Need 2 ½ hose and hose lost at testing. 15 foot steamer needed.

### Company 5

#### Hilltop Hose

- Need gear for new members.
- Discharge gauge on deck gun not working.

### Company 6

#### Eagle Hose

- Missing halligan bar from Sixth St fire.
- Need parts for saw.
- Need anti freeze and bar oil.

## Fire Marshal

- Thanks to all who helped on fire safety program.
- Thanks to all for efforts at Sixth St fire.

## Alarms

- All set.

## Training

- MRT class has started.
- New courses are scheduled and coming soon. See the training schedule.

## Fire Police

### Chief 25

- All set.

### Chief 24

- Progress on T-Pass repairs. Working with Derby AC Lenart.

### Chief 23

- All set.

Chief 22

- Chief 22 would like all bad 2 ½ hose.
- Pump testing will begin next week. See schedule for your day. Report all other issue needed to be addressed to chief 22.

New Business

Commissioner Jeannette

- All set.

Commissioner Blume

- Congratulations to AC Ed Adamowski on receiving the Ansonia Rotary Award for service to the community.

Chief 21

- Thanks to all for professional job at Sixth St fire. Co. 3 for staying all night.
- Thanks to all for help with hose testing. All went well.
- Reminder Box 3 pumper only on mischief night and Halloween outside boxes. S9 by request only.
- Congratulations to Ed Adamowski.
- Emergency contact list needs to be on file for all members. Please have your members comply. There will be no tax abatements given to anyone without an emergency contact list on file.
- Classes will be held on doing next years abatement to improve information.

Commissioner Sharkey

- Co. 3 does not want to purchase old E3. Request received from FD in Lee Maine to donate old E3 to them.

Commissioner Blume made a MOTION to donate old E3 to Fire Department in Lee Maine and send letter to the Board of Aldermen requesting them to approve this donation, seconded by AC Burgess. All in favor MOTION PASSED

Commissioner Blume made a MOTION to adjourn at 7:40 PM, seconded by Chief Eheman. All in favor MOTION PASSED.

The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 18, 2009 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard Bshara  
Secretary-Bookkeeper  
Ansonia Fire Department