

HAMPTON-VALLEY FORGE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT



MONTHLY BUSINESS MEETING FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2022

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY CHIEF CHRIS ISAACS AT 7:00PM

"ROLL CALL"

PRESENT:

CHIEF CHRIS ISAACS  
WILSON (E)

CAPTAIN JIMMY VINES

TREASURER DONNIE ISAACS

SECRETARY TINA WILSON

TREY RACHALL

ISAAC TOLLEY

NATHANIEL TOWNSEND

DARECK WOODS

ELIJAH SMITH

ZACH FORD

JARED O'HARA

ABSENT:

ASSISTANT CHIEF SCOTTIE

BRYAN CRUM (E)

AMOS HALAVA (E)

MARTY CABLE (E)

JOSH PIERCE (E)

NICK MONTGOMERY (E)

AUSTIN CLAWSON (E)

CODY BANKS (E)

CURT BOWEN (E)

LEE BEMILLER (E)

DOMINIQUE BEMILLER (E)

RUSTY HUMPHREY

- MOTION TO ACCEPT MINUTES OF LAST MEETING FOR THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 2022, WAS MADE BY ISAAC TOLLEY. TREY RACHALL SECOND THAT MOTION.

VOTE MOTION CARRIED

**OFFICER'S REPORT FOR 01-01-2022 THROUGH 01-31-2022**

- ACCIDENT WITH INJURY TOTAL:1
- ALARM TOTAL: 1
- ALARMS TOTAL: 1
- CARDIAC OR RESPIRATORY ARREST/DEATH TOTAL: 1
- ELECTRICAL HAZARD TOTAL: 1
- FALLS TOTAL: 2
- MOTORIST ASSIST TOTAL: 1
- OUTSIDE FIRE TOTAL: 2
- PRO-QA EFD TOTAL: 1
- SICK PERSON TOTAL: 1
- STRUCTURE FIRE TOTAL: 9
- TRAFFIC COLLISION/ TRANSPORTATION INCIDENT TOTAL: 3
- TRAFFIC HAZARD TOTAL: 1
- UNCONSCIOUS/FAINTING (NEAR) TOTAL: 1
- VEHICLE FIRE TOTAL: 1
- TOTAL CALLS: 29

**TREASURER REPORT AS OF 02-10-2021**

- HVFD CHECKING: \$17,134.05
- HVFD SAVINGS: \$21,899.07
- PAYPAL: \$217.94
- TOTAL: \$39,251.06
  
- \$500 LEFT OUT OF THE COUNTY BUILDING FUND FOR STATION 3
- \$23,810 LEFT OF LOAN ACCOUNT FOR STATION 3. WE WILL USE THOSE FUNDS FOR ELECTRICAL, INSULATION AND GRAVEL.
- OWE 304 PAYMENT IN MAY OF \$1,600
- PROPERTY TAX BILL FROM COUNTY FOR STATION 2 AND STATION 3 IS \$948. WE APPLIED TO THE STATE FOR EXEMPTION. DONNIE ISAACS CALLED THE STATE AND THEY STATED IT CAN TAKE 2-6 MONTHS TO GO THROUGH PROCESSING BEFORE ITS APPROVED. A DECISION WAS MADE BY THE FIRE DEPARTMENT TO WAIT AND PAY THE LATE FEE ON PROPERTY TAXES.

**WHAT WE STILL OWE:**

- 301: INTREST IS \$2,345, \$5,490 ON PRINCIPLE. WE OWE \$59,565.
- 304: \$4,600 IN INTREST, \$8,000 ON PRINCIPLE. WE OWE \$100,521.

- STATION 2: WE OWE \$57,325.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

- AIRPACK BRACKET IS ON 302, TWO AIRPACKS ARE IN THE OUTSIDE COMPARTMENT AS WELL AS TOOLBOX.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- JIMMY VINES TALKED TO THOMAS PROFFITT ABOUT DOING A 5K FUNDRAISER FOR OUR DEPARTMENT. CHRIS ISAACS ASKED JIMMY VINES TO HAVE HIM COME TO NEXT MONTHS MEETING TO LET US KNOW MORE ABOUT THE 5K FUNDRAISER.
- AED, WE THOUGHT WAS STOLEN WAS HID UNDER SINK AT STATION 2. NEEDS BATTERIES AND NEW PADS.
- DONNIE ISAACS BOUGHT NEW CREEPER OUT OF DRINK MACHINE MONEY
- THIS WEEKEND WE WILL BE WORKING AT STATION 3 PUTTING SHEETROCK UP
- IF ANYONE IS AVAILABLE, NEED TO START TAKING DOWN CHRISTMAS LIGHTS AT STATION 1.
- 2 SMART BOARDS WERE DONATED BY CITY SCHOOLS TO OUR DEPARTMENT. THEY ARE DUAL SCREEN. WE JUST NEED TO BUY WIRELESS ADAPTOR FOR THEM OR A CORD.
- AUSTIN CLAWSON HAS FULFILLED CALEB ODOM'S SPOT ON THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE.
- NO UPDATE ON RADIO SYSTEM.
- TRUCKS HAVE ALL BEEN SERVICED. 305 STILL HAVING ISSUES WITH STARTING CORRECTLY. MACHANIC IS GOING TO LOOK AT IT AGAIN. 305 GETS BREAKS THIS WEEK.
- NEED SOMEONE ON MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE TO GET MICHAEL CAVALIERI GEAR AND RETURN TO STATION 1.
- TRYING TO GET COUNTY TO HOLD LEFTOVER COUNTY FUNDS FROM THIS YEAR AND PUT INTO A LINE FUND SO WE DON'T LOOSE THE MONEY TO BUY JONESBOROUGH TRUCK WHEN IT IS AVAILABLE.
- SCOTTIE WILSON PUT THE REST OF THE LIGHTS ON 300.
- COUNTY COVID MONEY: COUNTY HAS ELEVEN MILLION DOLLARS AND ARE GOING TO START DECIDED ON WHAT TO DO WITH THE FUNDS. OUR COMMISSIONERS ARE GOING TO TRY AND GET SOME OF THE MONEY FOR ALL COUNTY AND CITY FIRE DEPARTMENTS.
- ASK SCOTTIE WILSON TO TALK WITH CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMBERS TO SEE IF THEY WILL DO SOME TRAININGS FOR US.
- ONCE WE GET ALL THREE STATIONS BUILT AND COMPLETED, WE WILL MOVE TRAININGS AND SOME MEETING AROUND TO THE OTHER STATIONS.
- THERMAL CAMERA IS FIXED AND BACK ON TRUCK.
- GAS DETECTOR IS OUT OF STOCK AND THEY CANNOT GET THEM ANYMORE.
- CHRIS ISAACS TURNED ELIJAH SMITH GEAR INTO INSURANCE
- NEW NOSAL ON BOOST LINE ON 306. OLD ONE FROZE AND BUSTED.

- WORKING ON GETTING A LIST TOGETHER FOR NEW TRUCK TO APPLY FOR THE MOUNTAIN ELECTRICAL GRANT.
- QUOTE FROM OUR SUPPLIER FOR 1 3/4" PISTOL GRIP NOSAL IS \$490.00 FOR TRASHLINE ON TRUCK. MOTION WAS MADE BY TREY RACHALL TO PURCHASE THE NOSAL FOR \$490. ELIJAH SMITH SECOND THAT MOTION.  
VOTE: MOTION CARRIED
- MITCHELL VESTAL DAUGHTER-IN-LAW CONTACTED THE DEPARTMENT WANTING THE DEPARTMENT TO BE APART OF HIS FUNERAL AND TO DO A LAST CALL FOR HIM. CHRIS ISAACS TOLD THEM WE WOULD TRY TO SEND A TRUCK TO THE SERVICE BUT WE DO NOT DO LAST CALLS. HE HAS BEEN OUT OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR OVER 30 YEARS.

### CALLS

- SIMS HILL FIRE WENT WELL OTHER THAN TELLING CHRIS RUSSELL HE WAS NOT ALLOWED ON OUR CALLS DUE TO PREVIOUS ISSUES IN OUR DEPARTMENT.
- AUSTIN, ELIJAH, AND JIMMY ASSISTED STONEY CREEK ON FIRE
- ROAN MOUNTAIN CHIMNEY FIRE WENT WELL. JIMMY VINES MADE A STATEMENT STATING TERRY RAY HAS STATED TO HIS DEPARTMENT IN THERE LAST MEETING, IF THEY GET ANY CALLS FROM WHITEHEAD HILL DOWN TO OUR DISTRICT, FOR US TO RESPOND. HE SAID TERRY RAY TRUSTED OUR DEPARTMENT TO DO WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE ON CALLS.
- TALK TO EMS ABOUT NOT LEAVING OUR TRUCKS ON SCENE TO ASSIST THEM WHEN NEEDING ASSISTANCE.

### STATION 3

- ANYONE THAT IS AVAILABLE THIS WEEKEND, WE NEED YOUR HELP AT STATION 3 SATURDAY TO PUT IN THE SHEETROCK.
- CHRIS ISAACS IS GOING TO TALK TO MOUNTAIN ELECTRIC ABOUT GETTING AN INVOICE AND GETTING POWER TURNED ON.
- STILL WAITING FOR LESTER RAINBOLT TO RECEIVE PART FOR HIS TRACTOR, IN ORDER TO DO SEPTIC. WE ARE STILL WAITING ON WATER METER.

### STATION 2

- TRUSSES FOR STATION 2 WILL COST \$14,000. EVERYONE THAT WILL BE WORKING TEARING DOWN AND REBUILDING STATION 2 IS SCHEDULED EXCEPT CONCRETE. STILL WAITING ON HIM TO CONTACT US.
- USE LEFT OVER PAINT FRONT STATION 2 TO PAINT STATION 1.
- FOUR BAY DOORS HAVE BEEN ORDERED. EACH DOOR HAS A ROLL OF WINDOWS.
- POST TIN FROM THE ROOF OF STATION 2 FOR SALE.
- SCOTTIE WILSON WANTS A COUPLE OF LIGHTS FROM BAY IN STATION 2.
- WE WILL RENT A CONTAINER TO KEEP EVERYTHING WE ARE KEEPING IN.

- **GET GRAVEL FOR STATION 1**
- **UNION BAPTIST CHURCH IS GOING TO DO A SPAGHETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER FOR THE DEPARTMENT. WE STILL NEED TO GET WITH RICHARD TESTER AT UNION BAPTIST CHURCH FOR THE \$500 CHECK DONATION AND SCHEDULE WITH ELIZABETHTON STAR TO DO AN ARTICLE ABOUT THE DONATION.**
- **TALKED ABOUT PUTTING DRINK MACHINES ON THE OUTSIDE OF STATION 2 AND STATION 3.**

**MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:45PM BY CHIEF CHRIS ISAACS**