

Deep River Board of Fire Commissioners

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June 15, 2021

The June 14, 2021 (rescheduled from June 7, 2021) meeting was as an in-person meeting. It was attended by David, Budney, Kerop, Tim Lee, Tom Lee, Berardis and Kerop. Dube was absent. The meeting came to order at 7:02 PM.

Minutes of the May 3, 2021 were accepted with one correction. The minutes should have read that there was an issue with the Needs Assessment and a local contractor. Moved by Berardis, 2nd Lee. Unan.

Financial Statement were reviewed. Budney said there were two refunds from overpayments. There are a few more bills coming for hose testing, and repair a drainage problem at Winthrop Station. If there is any money left, they would like to purchase a new freezer for Headquarters.

The Chief reports they are doing in-person training.

Deputy had no report at this time.

Engineer said there were some repairs to vehicle.

The Fire Marshal reports 14 calls last month. He verbally stated his Activity Report.

The Chairman stated the Town would like to make sure the accounts are spent down. The Needs Assessment is going nowhere.

The Fire House expansion drawings have gone back to be redrawn. Chair will ask Selectman to speak directly to Nickerson to resolve an issue, and leave the Commission out of the discussion.

Selectman also said the guy to repair the roof should be calling.

Bowden will not be able to attend a Commission meeting, so it was asked if he could come to the picnic at Devitt's Field on 6/26/2021, to receive his plaque.

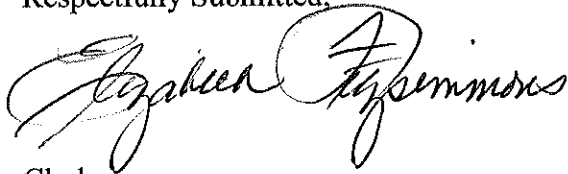
Under Old Business, Tom Lee, addressed the Commission with the RFPs they received on a new truck. The Truck Committee has selected the vendor they liked, although all the vendors came in over cost.

The Commission will be asked to be put on the agenda for the next joint Board of Selectman/Board of Finance meeting on 6/22/2021. They will address the new truck and the expiration of the cost of the new truck, as well as the Needs Assessment, and the Fire House Expansion project. Along with the Fire House Expansion project, a letter from the Deep River Fire Department Trustees was read, and that letter requires a prompt answer to where this project is. David will also discuss this with the Selectman.

There was no Other Business.

This meeting adjourned at 7:57. Moved by Budney, 2nd, Lee. Unan.

Respectfully Submitted,



Clerk