

## Brookline Fire Department Board of Fire

Minutes Board of Fire Engineers Monday, October 8, 2018

- The Board and Chief met with the Finance Committee, Select Board and Town Administrator at 5:15 pm. We went over the Fire apparatus and why we need a new pumper. We have asked both boards to please give us their votes on the new pumper sooner rather than later.
- The Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm.
- Board of Fire Engineers members Dave Santuccio, Dave Joki, Dave Flannery and Chief Corey were present.
- September minutes were read and accepted.
- We have ordered a new air compressor for upstairs. This compressor is air for the exhaust system, feeds the pump on evaporator and blows the horn. We have ordered the parts for fixing the horn and it should be working later this week. We will order other new equipment near the end of the year. Pump on 5E3 is fixed and pump tested. All trucks passed their pump test. The 2018 budget is going well.
- We had to go to budget meeting at 6:45 pm. and came back at 7:20 pm.
- Went over the 2019 budget. It is flat except for the 3% pay raise for all of us.
- Radios are up, we have a few small problems and they should finish up this week. The coverage is much better than we had in the past.
- No new information on addition.
- The September Active Shooter training was canceled by the State. The new date is 1/26/19.
- Tad has given Bingham Lumber three weeks to put in the cistern.
- The paving of three water holes will take place the week of October 20<sup>th</sup>. The water hole at seven Main St. is finished. The weather has not helped with digging out Austin Rd. water hole.
- KME will meet with us on October 22, at 7:00 pm to give us updates on new pumper.
- The two members that were supposed to meet with us didn't show up.
- Bills were signed.
- Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm and next meeting is November 12, at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles E. Corey Sr.