



Brookline Fire Department Board of Fire

Minutes Board of Fire Engineers Tuesday, April 18, 2017

- The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.
- Board of Fire Engineers members Dave Santuccio, Dave Flannery, Dave Joki, Lt./ Inspector JP Royea and Chief Corey were present.
- The Engineers went into a closed door session with Lt./ Inspector JP Royea for an hour.
- March minutes were read and accepted.
- Radios should be up and running by the end of June.
- The changes to the BFD rules and regulations were adopted.
- We are working on a master plan of the fire apparatus and equipment that will be needed over the next seven years.
- We reviewed the budget and we will be purchasing one Mustang Water suit, one chain saw for the tanker, as well as the exhaust system for all the trucks in the front bay. Scott Brooks will rip-rap the pipe at the overlook water hole.
- The Board voted to go with the bid from Air Cleaning Specialists on the Plymovent exhaust system. Our electrician will provide the wiring. They do everything else.
- We are going to have the bids for the ramp roof by our next meeting, on May 8, 2017.
- Eight sets of gear will be in by the first part of May.
- We have called and e-mailed our ISO contact and are continuing the process necessary to achieve a lower ISO rating, in order to lower insurance rates. There is no timeline as to when this will be completed.
- Mason is offering a Fireworks class on May 4, at 7:00 pm.
- Brookline Ambulance Service is having a class on Mass Casualty Incident Training here at fire station on May 24, at 7:00 pm.
- It was voted to do away with the emergency phone at the front of fire station. It was noted that most people have a cell phone, or the alarm can be pulled in an emergency.
- We are preparing for the drill at CSDA which will be conducted on June 24, 2017.
- Bills were signed.
- Meeting adjourned at 9:45 and the next meeting will be held on May 8, 2017 at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles E. Corey Sr.