

Waterford Fire Department  
03.06.23

Attendance:

Will Rivers, Betty Ann Ryan, Roy Ash, Taran Gillander, Jeff Gingue, Ryan Aremburg , Kevin Gillander, Kevin Colby, Barbara Whipple, Colleen Cook Kozlowski, Ashton Fischer, Jim Spaulding, Scott Gingue, Jacob Fucci, Adam Aremburg, McKenna Beben, Jeannie Kroeger, Colin Fucci

Public Comment: None

Minutes from February, 2023: Roy Ash made a motion to approve last month's minutes and Jim Spaulding seconded that motion. WFD unanimously agreed to accept the February, 2023 WFD minutes.

Treasurer's report: February expenses were paid on equip. maintenance, Tanker 1, internet, fuel, and supplies. LR \$97,348.98  
WFD earned \$1,335.00 on the annual Pancake Breakfast! This includes \$15 for t-shirts and \$25.00 for a 911 street sign. Approximately \$500.00 still needs to be paid out for expenses. Our Recognition Dinner cost was dropped to \$450.00 due to a few donations. While on the topic of donations, WFD received an anonymous \$300.00 donation for our accountability system. It's nice to receive such generous support!

New members: No new members.

EMS training: Ryan Aremburg brought the trailer and Rescue truck to district five meeting last month. Inventory proved some items were missing. **Ryan is to replace items this week.** District five meeting is tonight.

Fire training: 03.21.23 Hazmat training at the WFD lot at 18:30 hr.

Fundraising: Nothing. Gearing up for the Northeastern Speedway car show event in July, 2023.

Hydrants: Warmer weather event TBD will include High Ridge, and Calco hydrants. The Birchwood Heights hydrant needs to be tested.

Building: Security cameras are hooked up and a new battery is in the generator. BRAVO will do the cleaning of the station this month! Air quality certificate was received. **The air compressor needs to be installed.**

General: There is a possibility of the E911 Coordinator position to be opened in the future. Taran Gillander said he would be interested in learning more about the position if it came available.

Alarm codes must be submitted by Wed at the latest- contact Will Rivers.

Truck maintenance: None.

**Critique:**

02/04/2023	2023-21	MM 7 I-93 HWY N	EMS call	Waterford Area 3
02/08/2023	2023-22	1037 Valley View RD	EMS call	Waterford Area 3
02/12/2023	2023-23	931 Duck Pond RD	EMS call	Waterford Area 3
02/17/2023	2023-24	Shadow Lake RD	Building fire	Concord
02/17/2023	2023-25	6983 VT Rt 18 HWY	EMS call	Waterford Area 3
02/18/2023	2023-26	MM 0.2 I-93 HWY S	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	Waterford Area 3
02/20/2023	2023-27	162 Town Forest Rd,	Building fire	Barnet
02/26/2023	2023-28	I-91 HWY N	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	Waterford Area 1

Concord fire hydrant use provides poor drafting. Sanding on Cross Road was an issue.

**Your safety is our number one priority. Whether you are responding to a medical or fire call remember, SAFETY FIRST!!!**

Chief Notes: Everyone has a new department number! Get to know your identification.

Insurance policies were reviewed.

T-Mobil has increased our signal strength.

Barbara Whipple put for a motion to promote Connor Turner from Cadet status to Probationary status. Jim Spaulding seconded this move and the entire WFD verbally agreed. **Congratulations, Connor!!!**

A new checking account with debit cards has been established, Do not purchase anything with your own money. Receipts are NECESSARY!

Please note: Will Rivers is vacationing March 11, 2023 for two weeks, Colin Fucci will be leaving once Will returns.

Unfinished business: The department held a question and answer session regarding the WFD by-laws. The review of the by-laws has been tabled for the time being.

New Business: None.

Where is that? East Village Road, Waterford Hollow Road, Mill Pond, Maple Street, West Hill Road. **Be certain you know how to get to these locations!**

Roy Ash put proposed a motion that we conclude the meeting and Betty Ann Ryan seconded this idea. WFD voted to end the February business meeting at 20:03 hr

Minutes respectfully submitted by Colleen Cook Kozlowski

**BE SMART! BE SAFE!**

