# CLERMONT FIRE COMMISSIONERS December 16, 2024

The Clermont Fire Commissioners held their regular meeting on Monday, December 16, 2024, at 7:17 P.M. at the Town Hall.

Those in attendance were Chairman Joe Scott, Commissioner Laurence Saulpaugh, Commissioner Marc Lebowitz and Commissioner Ronald Miller. Others present were Chief Ron Rifenburgh, Secretary Jennifer Flandreau, and Treasurer Brian Fitzgerald.

Chairman Scott opened the meeting with a salute to the flag.

**MINUTES:** The Minutes of the November meeting were reviewed. A motion was made by Commissioner Saulpaugh, seconded by Commissioner Lebowitz to accept the minutes with corrections. All in favor. So carried.

# TREASURER'S REPORT:

A motion was made to accept the Treasurer's Report by Commissioner Lebowitz, seconded by Commissioner Salpaugh. All in favor. So carried

#### CORRESPONDENCE:

- Membership invoice for association of fire districts \$300.00
- Happy thanksgiving card from RBC Wealth management
- North shores solutions web hosting yearly bill \$670.00
- RBC Wealth management \$369,512.27
- RBC Wealth management \$5,295.95
- DS home services Christmas card
- Iroquois calendar for 2025
- Penflex data request package

#### **OPEN DISCUSSION:**

New member was accepted by the fire company; James Hegarty's application and completed background check have been turned in.

Commissioner Lebowitz made a motion to accept James Hagarty as new member of the Fire Department, Seconded by Commissioner Saulpaugh. All in favor. So carried.

#### **BUILDING AND GROUNDS:**

January 15th service call for Valley oil.

### **FIRE EQUIPMENT:**

Chief will make a call to VRS to get the air horn and LED lights fixed.

# LOSAP:

Fred Gooderham needs to fill out his paperwork, Oren Dow has completed his paperwork.

LAWS AND POLICIES: All Commissioners

No discussion

**LEGAL:** All Commissioners

No discussion

**OLD BUSINESS:** All Commissioners

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

December Commissioner election results Joe Scott 6 votes for 5 year term Tyler Case 7 votes for 4 year term

#### **MISCELLANEOUS:**

# CHIEFS REPORT: There were 3 calls in November 2024

- 11/7 Alarm activation 5 FFs 4.5 man hours
- 11/13 Automatic crash notification call cancelled 4 FFs 0 man hours
- 11/21 Smoke investigation 6 FFs 1.7 man hours

# **WORK DETAILS**

• Drill - 11/25 - Chimney fires and ladder operations - 8 FFs - 16 man hours

#### Asking to purchase;

New cutter \$12,680.00 estimate; comes with two batteries

Automobile cribbing estimate \$2,458.00 two sets. Stabilizes vehicles in seconds during lifting operations.

Emergency plug to turn off an EV battery. Comes with two types of plugs and deactivates the car. Estimates \$1,500.00 each.

Commissioner Miller made a motion to purchase the new cutter and stabilizers. Seconded by Commissioner Saulpaugh. All in favor. So carried.

\$100.00 went to Barry Burch for using his cars in training. Monthly gas card went to Les Coon.

A motion was made by Commissioner Lebowitz to pay the bills, seconded by Commissioner Miller. All in favor. So carried

#### **FUEL REPORT:**

# gallons used 5

# **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

A motion was made to adjourn at 8:55 P.M. by Commissioner Miller, seconded by Commissioner Lebowitz. All in favor. So Carried.

Respectfully submitted Jennifer Flandreau Secretary, Clermont Fire District