

**Board of Fire Commissioners  
Fire District #4  
672 East Main Street  
Bridgewater, New Jersey 08807**

**Minutes of Regular meeting  
7/31/2019**

**Location of meeting:**

Finderne Fire House  
672 East Main Street  
Bridgewater, NJ 08807

**Members:**

Allen Kurdyla  
Anthony Ranallo  
Carl Spolarich  
Paul Orloff  
Samantha Ally

The regular meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Finderne Fire Department was called to order at 7:30 pm on July 31, 2019 by Anthony Ranallo.

- Salute to the flag.

**I. Roll call of Attendance:**

Allen Kurdyla (absent); Anthony Ranallo; Carl Spolarich; Paul Orloff; Samantha Ally  
Chief Michael Jannone; President Steve Spolarich; Finderne Rescue Squad – no representative

**~Please silence all phones~**

**II. Review of Previous Minutes**

The minutes of the June 26, 2019 meeting were distributed and reviewed.

Motion to accept as printed: P. Orloff; Second: C. Spolarich

Motion unanimously approved

**III. Treasurer's Report**

The Treasurer's report was distributed and reviewed. (see attached)

Motion to accept report– S. Ally; Second – P. Orloff

Motion unanimously approved

**IV. Presentation of Fire Department and Rescue Squad Bills**

The monthly bills were distributed and reviewed in the treasurer's report.

Bills: \$24,363.30

Motion to pay bills– S. Ally; Second: P. Orloff;

Motion unanimously approved

**V. Correspondence**

- A. Email correspondence with Bridgewater Township re: Fine monies
- B. Department of Environmental Protection grant copy as supplied by T. Marshall

**VI. Old Business**

- A. Grant Application **FS19-136**
  - 1. From Forestry Service
  - 2. Ready to make purchase and execute grant

3. 50/50 split
4. Total amount \$6,626.45 – Board cost \$3,323.98

## VII. New Business

1. None

## VIII. Chief's report

### A. Apparatus Report

1. 301
  - a. Repairs Made
    - A. In Service
  - b. Repairs Needed
    - A. Repair estimates – M. Jannone has.

- A. 302
  - a. Repairs Made
    - B. Out of Service \*\*Returned\*\*
  - b. Repairs Needed
    - A. None

- B. 303
  - a. Repairs Made
    - A. AC repaired
  - b. Repairs Needed
    - A. Air Fill Seat belts
    - B.

3. Tower 30
  - a. Repairs Made:
    - A. AC repairs
  - b. Repairs needed
    - A. None

4. Rescue 30
  - a. Repairs:
    - A. AC repaired
  - b. Repairs needed
    - A. None

5. Mini Pumper
  - a. Repairs Made
    - A. None
  - b. Repairs needed
    - A. Limited Service

6. Car 30
  - a. Repairs
    - A. No update
  - b. Repairs needed
    - A. No update

### B. Fire Calls

1. 21 calls in June
2. Fire call man hours: 230
3. Work detail, training and meeting hours: 419

### C. Equipment Needed

1. Saw blades

### D. K. Bereheiko's filled Stitley's Lt. position by nominations and trustee review

### E. August 1 – Ladder coverage in Bound Brook

- F. August 3 – Cover Somerville
- G. August 6 – National Night Out
- H. August 9 – 4H Fair
- I. Would like to purchase turn out gear and boots in the future after a review

**IX. Presidents report**

None

**X. New Members**

None

**XI. Resigning Members**

None

**XII. Status Changes**

None

**XIII. Finderne Rescue Squad Report**

No report

**XIV. Public Portion**

- A. Motion to open to the public at 7:39 pm by S. Ally; Second – C. Spolarich;  
Motion unanimously approved.

Motion to close public portion of meeting at 7:40 pm to go back to public portion by S. Ally; Second – P. Orloff

- . Motion unanimously approved.

**XV. Adjourn meeting**

- A. Motion to adjourn the meeting 7:41 pm by S. Ally; Second – P. Orloff;  
Motion unanimously approved.

The public meeting was adjourned at 7:41 p.m.

The next meeting will be held at 7:30 pm on August 28, 2019 at  
Finderne Fire House  
672 East Main St  
Bridgewater, NJ 08806

Respectfully submitted by: Samantha Ally