

Dartmouth Fire District 2 Minutes

Dec 9, 2024 At District Fire Station

Start at 19:15

Board members present: Paul Abranties, Ralph Medeiros, John Sousa , Eric Turcotte Chief, Creryl Abrantes district treasure, Deputy Chief.

1/ Discussion with bylaw committee on the completion of there work reviewing bylaws. Motion was maid by John to accept draft bylaws and to set up a joint meeting with the committee to explain there recommendations, the vote was unanimous.

2/ Chiefs report: month November. Total of 24 calls, 6 EMS assist, 4 resident falls, 1 for chest pain issue. 2 motor vehicle accidents one with injures, 3 smoke scare calls, 1 assist to the Police dept, 2 fires: lawn mower fire and out of control wood stove fire, 1 illegal burn, 2 oil burner backfires, 1 powerline down, 4 brush fires, 1 mutual aid call to Westport, call from Environmental Police assist in a deer rescue. 2 training drills and one drone team training. Purchased 5" hose for drafting from a pond. Generator parts to fix gen on Engine 6 arrived. Tango tango plain was updated with cost savings. Two people on drone team have earned their FCC licence. Paul made motion to accept Chiefs report vote: unanimous

3/ Approval of Meeting Minutes for Oct 7 made by Paul second by Ralph, approved with John abstaining. Motion to amend May 13, 2024 minutes showing John present was made by John second by Paul, the vote was unanimous.

4/ Treasures report, motion to approve was made by Paul, by John, the vote was unanimous. Tax rate for 2025/26 will be \$0.95 up 2.6% from \$0.93 last year.

5/ Vendor Warrant,, motion to approve was made before my arrival.

6/ Payroll Warrant, motion to accept was made before my arrival.

7/ Next meeting Jan 13, 2025.Special bylaw review meeting Jan 21, 2025 @ 18:30.

8/ Motion to adjourn was unanimous.

Prepared by: Ralph Medeiros

