#### OCEAN GROVE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS

# MINUTES FEBRUARY 12, 2015

# **OPENING**

Meeting called to order.

Flag Salute

Announce the meeting is held in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 231, New Jersey Public Laws of 1975, "Open Public Meetings", having been published in a March 2014 issue of the Asbury Park Press and The Coaster.

Roll Call: Commissioner Robert McEwan, Chairman present

Commissioner William Ball present
Commissioner Edwin Deuchar present
Commissioner Matthew Gannon absent
Commissioner Scott Jarmer present

# MINUTES of LAST MEETING

The minutes of the January 8, 2015 meeting were unanimously approved following the motion of Commissioner Deuchar and second of Commissioner Ball.

#### COMMUNICATIONS

Invitation to the Belmar parade on March 1, 2015.

Donation from Nancy Vandermeer

54-98 damaged in collision.

# **ACTION ON COMMUNICATIONS**

The Vandermeer donation was directed to the Exempt Association by unanimously approval following the motion of Commissioner Jarmer and second of Commissioner Deuchar.

Participation in the Belmar parade was left to the discretion of the Fire Chief. Repair estimate and the police report will be obtained for 54-98.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

The Report of the Treasurer and the bill list were unanimously approved following the motion of Commissioner Jarmer and second of Commissioner Deuchar.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

Purchase of a Roll n Rack hose management system efficiency package with go pack was unanimoused approval following the motion of Commissioner Jarmer and second of Commissioner Ball.

Motion to authorizing closed session for personnel and legal matter.

Offered by: Commissioner Jarmer Second by: Commissioner Deuchar

Roll Call: aye Commissioner Robert McEwan, Chairman

aye Commissioner William Ball
 aye Commissioner Edwin Deuchar
 Commissioner Matthew Gannon
 aye Commissioner Scott Jarmer

# FIRE OFFICIAL AND CHIEF'S REPORT

Chief: Chief Cole reported 20 alarms to date and 2 fires

Official: Official Cole reported 2014 report was filed

# **PUBLIC HEARING**

Comment was heard regarding ramps to cross hose lines, Storz connections for hydrants, additional hydrants and double steamer connections on main under Central Avenue believed to be underutilized.

Motion to reopen meeting following closed session after discussion of potential resolution of enforcement action.

Offered by: Commissioner Deuchar Second by: Commissioner Jarmer

Roll Call: aye Commissioner Robert McEwan, Chairman

aye Commissioner William Ball
aye Commissioner Edwin Deuchar
Commissioner Matthew Gannon
aye Commissioner Scott Jarmer

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn, approved unanimously by action.

# Approved March 3, 2015

DAVID M. SHOTWELL JR., Clerk Neptune Township Fire District #2