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BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS' WORKSHOP MEETING January 26, 2000

ATTENDEES: Comm. John Richardson, Chairman

Comm. Ralph Chiumento Comm. Gerard Philipp

Comm. Paul Lahey (arrived at 6:15 p.m.)

Comm. Karen Pells

Attorney: Gerard Comatos (excused)
Treasurer: James Passikoff (excused)
Secretary: Renee Gaddis (excused)

Chairman Richardson opened the meeting of the Arlington Fire District Board of Fire Commissioners' Workshop Meeting at 6:10 p.m.

A motion was made by Comm. Chiumento and seconded by Comm. Philipp to adjourn to Executive Session to conduct interviews.

- Motion Carried.

The Board came out of Executive Session at 7:50 p.m. and returned to Open Session.

I. Comm. Richardson requested Comm. Philipp and Comm. Lahey to review Abstract 1A.

II. MINUTES

A. <u>January 11, 2000 Board of Fire Commissioners' Reorganizational</u> Meeting.

A motion was made by Comm. Philipp and seconded by Comm. Chiumento to approve the Minutes as printed.

- Motion Carried.
- B. <u>January 11, 2000 Board of Fire Commissioners' Monthly Meeting.</u>
 A motion was made by Comm. Philipp and seconded by Comm. Chiumento to approve the Minutes as printed.
- Motion Carried.

III. MONTHLY REPORTS

A. Fire District Affairs - December 1999

IV. CORRESPONDENCE

- A. Letter dated January 24, 2000 to President Grundon, Local 2393 from Chief Hellmann responding to letter received regarding ambulance responding to structure fires.
- B. Letter dated January 20, 2000 to the Town of Poughkeepsie Board from DC Pells requesting waiving of all fees that are a result of normal business.
- C. Letter dated January 13, 2000 to Chip Grundon, Local 2393 from DC Pells regarding the discontinuing the temporary increase of manning.
- D. Memo dated January 12, 2000 from the Board to all Presidents informing all about input needed regarding the future substation.

V. **DONATIONS**

A motion was made by Comm. Philipp and seconded by Comm. Chiumento to turn over the total donation amount to the Four Company Fund.

<u>NAME</u> <u>REASON</u> <u>AMOUNT</u>

IBM Corp. In Memory of \$75.00

Doug Anson

Charlene Fitchett Assistance Received \$150.00

Motion Carried.

VI. SCHOOL REQUESTS

A motion was made by Comm. Chiumento and seconded by Comm. Lahey to accept the attendance of the following members to the schools/seminars listed:

- A. FF Lisa Monaco: "PALS", February 5 6, 2000 at DCC South.
- B. FF Lisa Monaco: "ACLS", February 26 27, 2000 at DCC South.
- C. FF Peter Spielvogel: "Training Officers Workshop I", March 11 12, 2000 at Montour Falls.
- D. Inspector Patrick Rose: "NYS Arson Conference", May 15 19, 2000 at Saratoga Springs.
- Motion Carried.

VII. COMMISSIONERS' ITEMS

- A. Chairman Richardson No Items.
- B. Comm. Lahey No Items
- C. Comm. Chiumento No Items.
- D. Comm. Philipp No Items.
- E. Comm. Pells No Items.

VIII. <u>CHIEFS ITEMS/COMMENTS</u>

- A. Chief John Hellmann
 - 1. Two (2) Personnel Items for Executive Session.
- B. Deputy Chief Pells No Items.

A motion was made by Comm. Chiumento and seconded by Comm. Lahey that we adjourn to Executive Session at 7:54 p.m.

- Motion Carried.

IX. <u>EXECUTIVE SESSION</u>

The Board came out of Executive Session at 10:10 p.m. and returned to Open Session.

X. ABSTRACT 1A

A motion was made by Comm. Lahey and seconded by Comm. Chiumento to approve

Abstract 1A in the amount of \$73,252.54, consisting of 150 transactions charged to 47 accounts.

Motion Carried.

XI. <u>NEW APPOINTMENTS - FIREFIGHTERS</u>

The following are scheduled to enter the Fire Academy in one of the two classes held in Montour Falls in March.

- 1. Vincent Lopez, Jr. Transfer, not a civil service hire.
- 2. Louis Cassinelli
- 3. James Josh Brown
- 4. Sean Jackson
- 5. Michael Bohack

A motion was made by Comm. Pells and seconded by Comm. Chiumento to accept the aforementioned, pending physicals.

- Motion Carried.

With no further business to conduct, a motion was made by Comm. Pells and seconded by Comm. Lahey that we adjourn at 10:18 p.m.

- Motion Carried.

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Renee Gaddis District Secretary

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