

STAMFORD FIRE COMMISSION

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Minutes - February 13, 2024 Regular Meeting of Fire Commission

Call to order: Commissioner Alswanger called the meeting to order at 5:08pm

Roll Call: Present: Commissioner Alswanger, Commissioner Baker, Commissioner Hubbard (via zoom), Commissioner Linares (via zoom), Commissioner Munger (via zoom); Fire Chief Morris. Also attending: A/Fire Chief Robles, Barbara Murphy, Fire Administrative Supervisor.

Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence: All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence

Public Comment: N/a

Chiefs Report: Chief Morris gave a brief report on the department activities: in the past month the Department responded to approximately 1002 calls, of which 53% were EMS/Medical, 26 fires of which two (2) were building fires. Chief Morris stated that one of the building fires prompted aggressive attention to the Department smoke/carbon monoxide detector initiative. monitors and the Department initiative. Chief Morris went on to discuss Elevator calls and the issues around them. The Department is working in concert on the elevator issues with the Building & Health departments, Director of PSH&W and the State. Discussion took place.

Personnel Items: The Firefighter round of interview dates agreed upon were firmed as March 20, 21 & 26, 2024 with March 27 as an alternate date and the proposed start time of 11:00am. Promotional round of interviews potential start date in April, possibly the regular meeting date, with the Deputy Chief online July 1, 2024.

New Business: NA

Minutes: Commissioner Alswanger asked for a motion to approve the December 12, 2023, minutes.

Motion: A motion was made by Commissioner Linares, seconded by Commissioner Hubbard, and approved by all, 5 in favor, 0 against. Commissioner Alswanger, Baker, Hubbard, Linares & Munger in favor.

Adjournment: Commissioner Alswanger asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. **Motion:** Motion was made by Commissioner Baker, seconded by Commissioner Munger, and approved by all. Motion passed 5 in favor, 0 against; Commissioner Alswanger, Commissioner Baker, Commission Hubbard; Commissioner Linares, and Commissioner Munger in favor. Meeting adjourned at 5:25 pm