

The Pomfret Fire District held its regular monthly meeting on October 20, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.

Members present: B Sheldon, J Dinsdale, P Boyd, B Geyer, D Morissette, T McNally, L Landry, T Goodier, D Newman, J Stoddard, C Wolfe and M Williams.

Guests: none

Seating of Alternates: none

Additions to Agenda: none

Citizens Comments: none

KB Ambulance report: none

Minutes of the previous meeting: a motion was made by B Geyer and second by B Sheldon to approve as presented.

Treasurers Report: a motion was made by B Sheldon and second by L Landry to approve as presented.

Committee reports:

1. Building Maintenance Committee: B Sheldon to have fall cleanup up of leaves done and will spread grass seed.
2. Personnel Committee: P Boyd told of going on WINY morning show to talk about recruitment and told of 5 people inquiring as a result of talk show.

Chief's report:

1. DEEP matching grant equipment ordered. B Sheldon made a motion to move \$2,500 from New Equipment line item to the Grant line item for this equipment. B Sheldon made a motion with second by T McNally, to pay Fire Store.com \$4,050.54 and J & S Radio \$600.00 for grant equipment.
2. B Sheldon had meeting with Board of Selectmen about raising the tax abatement. Other items talked about was raising the stipend for recruitment and retention of members.
3. Chief Sheldon stated the process has started with KB about the Supplemental R1 to KB Ambulance. The application to the State will need a letter from B Sheldon and M Nicholson which should be done soon. This will allow KB to respond as first responder legally in the town of Pomfret.
4. New \$35k rescue tool has come in and department had a drill with it on Monday. It's very quick and easy to use plus powerful.

Old Business: none

New Business: B Sheldon said that Bull Dog will be here to build a new bracket for rescue tool on ET170.

Bills to be paid for the Department: President Dinsdale reviewed the bills to be paid and recommends they be paid. A motion to pay the bills was made by T McNally and second by C Wolfe.

Citizens Comments: none

Meeting adjourned with a motion by P Boyd and second by T McNally at 7:17 p.m.

Marcia Williams
Treasurer/Clerk