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## **DALTON FIRE DISTRICT BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS' MEETING**

**September 26, 2023**

Present: Jim Driscoll, Camillus Cachat, Michael Kubicki, Melanie Roucoulet, Al Nadeau, Interim Chief Robert Czerwinski, Daniel Filiault. Charlotte Crane, Captain Mike Cachat, Gary Hayes, Tyler Colby

Public: Dr Henry Rose,  
Jim Driscoll called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

### **General Business:**

- Minutes
  - o Jim Driscoll made a motion to accept the minutes from September 26, 2023, as printed, Michael Kubicki seconded, approved unanimously.

### **Ambulance:**

- We responded to 140 calls in September. 39 Fire, 101 EMS
- Responding to Middlefield, The Chief would like to discuss a policy for Middlefield.
- Currently looking for per diem EMT/Paramedic.
- A-6 out for repair and service
- Engine 2 power steering cylinder to be repaired next week.
- Dennis Tinker has been handling all the Apparatus repairs.
- Engine 1 and Squad evaluated by VRS, much work to be done locally. Front tires on both trucks are over 10 years old, USDOT requires replacement.

### **Fire Department:**

- Planning in process to review FF I/II materials during training over the winter.
- The Chief is attempting to put together a class on CAF's
- Average turnout for drills is about 17 members.
- Reviewing of OEMS protocols for resuscitative efforts.

### **Water Department:**

- N/A

### **Treasurer's Report:**

- All Semi-Annual bills have been completed and sent to Zip & Sort for mailing out on Friday.
- AFG Grant was received and accepted for Turnout gear for \$15,800.00
- Had to lien only 15 properties due to non-payment.
- Louise will be coming in the next few weeks to help me collect water payments.

Jim Driscoll made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:42 seconded by Cam Cachat, passed unanimously.

The next meeting will be October 31, 2023 at 6:30pm

Respectfully submitted,

*Melanie Roucoulet*

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Treasurer/Clerk

