

MINUTES
WEST DEPTFORD TOWNSHIP
EMERGENCY SERVICES COORDINATING COUNCIL
FEBRUARY 13, 2012

Chief Bilger called the February 13th, 2012 meeting of the West Deptford Township Emergency Services Coordinating Council to order at 19:30 hours.

Flag Salute.

Sign-in sheet and minutes from January were distributed. Chief Matson motioned to approve minutes, seconded by Chief Nordaby. Motion approved unanimously.

In Attendance:

Colonial Manor:	Chief Kevin Nordaby
Alternate:	T. Pickering
Greenfields:	Chief Marty Matson
Alternate:	D. Raso
Thorofare:	Chief Phil Zimm
Alternate:	
Verga:	Chief Jeff Bilger
Alternate:	J. Miller
Public Safety Director	Mayor Raymond Chintall
Mayor's Alternate:	Eric M. Campo
Police Chief	
Township Liaison	John Austin
Citizen-At-Large	Mike Nahas
Citizen-At-Large	Chuck Weikel
Recording Secretary	Robert Cargill
Emerg. Mgmt. Coordinator	
Vehicle Maintenance	Thomas Jefferson
Public Works Department	Ed Coates

Fire Official's Report:

See Attached. Mr. Austin also noted timeframe for permit/life hazard fees will be coming in over the next couple of months. Chief Bilger thanked Mr. Austin for his assistance and direction during recent fire inspections. Chief Zimm stated he and the other Chiefs discussed the possibility of the Fire Official having uniforms and the request should be forwarded to the Administrator.

Vehicle Maintenance Report:

Thomas Jefferson stated both boats were taken care of and there were only a few things left open for 626, 621 and 666 and will still wait until March or April for pump test. Chief Nordaby voiced his concern regarding an issue with 632; Mr. Jefferson stated he would check into the problem. Mr. Jefferson also stated he would get the information

Mr. Austin has requested. Mr. Austin informed everyone of a meeting with Mike Douglas, Water/Sewer Superintendent regarding the audit. Chief Bilger asked Mr. Austin if he knew what the Township's ISO rating was, Mr. Austin responded. Chief Zimm gave an overview of how the ISO rating was achieved. Mr. Campo stated he would look into it.

Training Committee

Mr. Harris stated "progress".

Mayor's Alternate:

No Comment.

Public Safety

Mayor Chintall stated the ordinance concerning the ESCC members will be changed to reflect the original ordinance with two exceptions, the Police Chief will be added and the quorum will be five. Chief Bilger discussed the issue of keeping the votes fair between the Fire Companies. Mr. Hurst stated the ordinance was designed to give each fire company one vote each and the Ambulance Squad one vote. Since the Ambulance Squad is with the County and no longer a member of the ESCC, the ESCC created a second Citizen at Large. A discussion was held regarding voting members and non-voting members. Chief Nordaby requested Chief Mangano be given a voting seat on the ESCC. Mr. Campo and Mayor Chintall gave their thoughts and the discussion continued.

SOG:

Gary from Colonial Manor stated "progress". Chief Bilger stated information could be coming through Chief's Association. But there will be more on Chief Zimm's report.

POLICE CHIEF:

N/A.

OEM:

N/A.

Citizens at Large:

Mike Nahas thanked Mr. Campo for the insurance information. Mr. Nahas also requested a copy of the email from the insurance company be forwarded to the ESCC secretary. Chief Nordaby requested it be forwarded to the Chiefs.

Township Liaison:

No Report.

Old Business:

Chief Zimm thanked Mr. Austin for getting the brush behind CVS cleaned up. Chief Bilger reminded everyone on the ESCC to turn in the paperwork to the Township.

New Business:

No new business.

Chief's Meeting:

Chief Nordaby gave an overview of the Chief's Meeting. Items discussed were: ISO, testing for SCBA, driver's licenses number update, uniform spec for Mr. Austin, Meeting at Colonial Manor, on March 14th at 18:30 - Township wide officers meeting , Saturday at noon programming of pagers for Verga and Colonial Manor, Right to Know make up class will be scheduled, received confirmation regarding insurance coverage and various other items.

Chief Zimm gave an overview of the Gloucester County Chief's meeting. Some of the items discussed were, all companies must report staffing, unified highway plan, redoing bylaws, radio issues - the 700 megahertz radio system is on hold for now. A discussion was held bringing everyone up to date on the 700 megahertz issue. Chief Bilger, Chief Nordaby, Mayor Chintall Mr. Harris and Chief Matson shared their thoughts and ideas.

Public Comment:

Mr. Harris asked if the Township could request a fire apparatus of any new, large company planning on opening in West Deptford.

Motion to adjourn made by Chief Zimm, seconded by Chief Matson and approved by all.

Meeting adjourned at 20:10 hours.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert S. Cargill
Recording Secretary

MAYOR
RAYMOND CHINTALL

TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE
Samuel Cianfarini
Denice DiCarlo
Sean Kilpatrick
Donna Szymborski



Amy Leso, Acting Township Clerk

Eric M. Campo, Esq., Administrator
Richard M. Giuliani, Treasurer

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TO: Emergency Services Council
FROM: John H. Austin, Fire Official
DATE: February 13, 2012
RE: Report for the Bureau of Fire Prevention, January 2012

REVENUE

Life Hazard Fees:	0
Local Business Fees:	0
Permit Fees:	\$ 2,076.00
Smoke Detectors:	0
Tickets:	0
Other Penalty/Reports:	0
TOTAL:	\$ 2,076.00

INSPECTIONS/REINSPECTIONS

John	Dave
29 - 7	15 - 2

FIRE INVESTIGATIONS/COMPLAINTS

Dumpster Fire/ Sta. 6-6
Fire Alarm High School /Sta. 6-2
Dryer Fire 39 Holly Dr. / Sta 6-6
Fire Alarm ACC Central Kitchen / Sta. 6-1

NEW BUSINESS

Perfect 10 Nails & Spa / 530 Crown Point Rd.

TOTAL MONEY FOR THE YEAR AS OF January 31, 2012 = \$ 2,076.00