

Quaker Street Fire District #1

Commissioners Meeting Minutes

APRIL 8 2026, 6:30

ATTENDEES

Bill Griessler, Eric Tkaczyk, Ethan Lowry, Barbara Griffin, Peter Tkaczyk

AGENDA

- **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- **REVIEW/APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Motion to approve previous two meeting's minutes made by Ethan Lowry. Motion seconded by Eric Tkaczyk and passed unanimously.

Drafts for the policy on use of the fire chief's car and policy to ensure efficient and effective auditing of financial claims have been submitted to the company for review.

- **CHIEF'S REPORT**

Mikes for the radios have been acquired from River Valley.

Two Schoharie County radios have been acquired, and one has been installed in its truck.

Quotes have been acquired from Work Fitness Solutions and will be provided. Albany Med has been contacted for a quote but has not responded.

EMS Chief Carolyn will be made a life member.

The Chief requests that the truck chargers be made to run on a timed circuit and that an additional suit of gear be purchased. A trailer of higher quality is for sale for \$1500 from Central Bridge. These requests will be examined in the context of the budget before any decision is made.

\$150 is requested for catering at MCI training on May 2nd. Motion made by Eric Tkaczyk to allow the payment. Motion seconded by Ethan Lowry and passed unanimously.

Request has been made to the state for driveway repair. The request is expected to be fulfilled in the spring.

A quote has been received for NRB lawn care totaling to \$50 per lawn cutting. Any decision is pending Liam's approval.

03/08 pump out. 03/11 medical call. 03/14 carbon monoxide alarm. 04/7 motor vehicle accident.

- **BILLS/VOUCHERS REVIEWED & SIGNED**

Vouchers reviewed, approved, and signed.

- **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Bills total to \$18910.71. Approximately \$7500 currently exists in checking. Motion made by Bill Griessler to move \$11500 to checking for payment. Motion seconded by Eric Tkaczyk and passed unanimously.

The firehouse is currently \$15000 over budget when projected to year's end. Options for fundraising and redistricting are being investigated.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

APPARATUS & EQUIPMENT:

BUILDING & GROUNDS:

No further discussion.

LEGAL:

No further discussion.

Old Business

No further discussion.

New Business

A meeting will be held with the prospective grant writer.

Local stores will be investigated for donations of bottled water.

MOTION TO CLOSE