

Board of Fire Engineers  
Town of Dover Fire Department

Minutes

Tuesday, December 6, 2011

Dover Fire Station  
One Walpole Street  
Dover, Ma. 02030

Attendees: Engineers Carlton J. Sherman, Ford Spalding & John Sugden  
Chief John M. Hughes III & Deputy Chief David Tiberi

Also Present: Richard Tiberi, John Cone (Warrant Committee) & Joe Melican (Selectmen)

The Board of Fire Engineers held its monthly meeting in the Fire Department Chiefs office at 5:30 PM.

The Board reviewed and approved the Minutes of November 1, 2011.

The Board reviewed and approved the Department expenditures for the month of November 2011.

Selectmen Melican reported that the Town has received Federal funds reimbursing the Town in part for expenses of hurricane Irene.

Chief Hughes reported that he and the Police Chief have talked about the training of the Dispatchers.

Pete Sherman reported on the November 25 meeting with the Capital Budget Committee concerning our \$45,000 request for the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the Turn Out Gear and approximately \$1m for the replacement of the Ladder Truck. The Department will host members of the Board of Selectmen, Capital and Warrant Committees at 7:30AM on January 10, 2012 to see the current Ladder Truck and to discuss its proposed replacement. The Deputy reported that Norwood just authorized to spend \$1.2m on a replacement Ladder Truck.

The Chief discussed the thought that the Department might ask at a future Town Meeting to refurbish the 1984 Squad 2.

The Chief reported that wages are up for this year based on an increase in Ambulance Calls and storms like hurricane Irene.

Ford Spalding was asked to write the Town Report for the Department.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ford Spalding, Clerk

