

February 11, 2026 WORKSHOP
MEETING LOCATION- 1766 UNION AVENUE. HAZLET- CAUCUS ROOM

The **WORKSHOP MEETING** was opened by Vice Chairman Frank Wood at **6:32pm**.

1. **Resolution**

- 2026-003 disposal of apparatus 1-77
- 2026-004 disposal of apparatus 1-76
- 2026-005 disposal of apparatus 3-81
- 2026-006 disposal of apparatus 2-79
- 2026-007 disposal of PPE WKFC

2. **Correspondence-**

Commissioner Kozielski reviewed the correspondence- recalls and registrations

3. **New Members**

All applications approved, will be voted on in regular meeting.

- WKFC- Stas Zhilinsky
- WKFC Kevin Kane Jr
- NCVFC – Elliot Fest- Cadet
- NCVFC – Aidan Catena - Cadet

4. **First Due Software**

- Still trying to update the reports, still issues with software.

5 **Update Paid per call policy**

- Motion to update clarifications on training will be at regular meeting

6. **LOSAP policy**

- Motion to update number of members at full department drill at regular meeting

7. **Redline Gear Cleaning** - dates set, line officer to approve repairs, must contact Michelle

8. **SCBA Capital Purchase** -Order placed after clarifying state contract.

9. **LFN- Increase Losap** -increase LOSAP as per state regulations 3-1%-

Board in favor- Michelle will prepare resolution for next meeting

10. **Fire Inspector** - Resolution to approve Fire Inspector- PT for Fire Prevention resolution next Meeting.

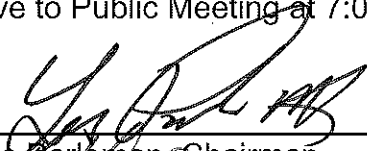
11. **Insurance Risk Audit**-Meeting completed with VFIS, committee to work on required updates

12 **HFC new apparatus**- Pete visit scheduled in 2 weeks

- Truck delivery approximately Mid April
- Additional est from August- never presented to QPA or board for approval- Michelle will review and notify Pete.

Commissioner Schroeck requests a Motion to move to Public Meeting at 7:05 pm.

ALL IN FAVOR-AYE



Les Parleman, Chairman



Peter Kozielski, Clerk

HAZLET TOWNSHIP BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MEETING

The public meeting of February 11, 2026 was opened by the Vice Chairman at 7:11pm.

Salute to Flag followed by Moment of Silence

Chairman Parleman read the following statement:

This meeting is being held in conformance with the Open Public Meeting Act. Notice has been given to the newspapers on record, posted in the Municipal Building and filed with the Township Clerk. The next public meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners will be held on March 11, 2026.

ROLL CALL

Commissioners

Commissioner Malloy- Present
Commissioner Kozielski -Present
Commissioner Schroeck-Present
Commissioner Wood-Present
Commissioner Parleman-Absent

Other Professionals

Attorney – Dominic DiYanni- Present
QPA - Michelle Barney- Present
Township Chief – Chief McCarron- Present
Deputy Chief – Chief Murray- Present
Assistant Chief – Chief Scanlon- Present
Fire Official – Thomas Horner- Present
Hazlet First Aid – Stephen Schmidt- 7:20pm

Minutes

Vice Chairman, requested a motion to approve the Executive Session, Workshop, and Regular minutes from the January 11, 2026 meeting.

Offered by Commissioner Malloy 2nd Commissioner Schroeck
In Favor- Aye

Financial report

Treasurer read the attached financial reports indicating account balances. The report of account balances was read.

Chairman Parleman- requests a Motion to approve the financial reports

Offered Commissioner Malloy 2nd Commissioner Kozielski

Roll call vote:

Commissioner F. Wood ☐ yes ☐ No ☐ absent Commissioner Malloy ☐ yes ☐ No ☐ abstain
Commissioner Kozielski ☐ yes ☐ No ☐ abstain Commissioner JC Schroeck ☐ yes ☐ No ☐ abstain
Chairman Parleman ☐ yes ☐ No ☒ absent

Treasurer presented a list of Operating and Fire Bureau bills to be paid; there are adequate funds in the accounts to pay the bills.

Chairman Parleman - a motion to pay the bills

Offered Commissioner Malloy 2nd Commissioner Schroeck

Roll call vote:

Commissioner F. Wood ☐ yes ☐ No ☐ absent Commissioner Malloy ☐ yes ☐ No ☐ abstain
Commissioner Kozielski ☐ yes ☐ No ☐ abstain Commissioner JC Schroeck ☐ yes ☐ No ☐ abstain
Chairman Parleman ☐ yes ☐ No ☒ absent

Requisitions/purchase orders

QPA Michelle Barney: Budget has been certified, SCBA order place, working with Chiefs to place orders. Make sure updated quotes are submitted

Correspondence

Recalls, registration, Commissioner Kozielski will address

Old Business

- a. Redline Cleaning scheduled- Chief McCarron gave update

Chief's reports:

Township Fire Chief: William McCarron

First Due, 3 companies on NERIs as per state
New apparatus visit completed, went over a punch list with vendor
Will be in NJ in approx. 2 weeks
Need to store old 2-81
Commissioner Schroeck needs pics and details for gov-deals
3 Chiefs request vendor change for gear, issues again this year, Michelle will work with Chief on change of vendor

Deputy Chief: Thomas Murray

1-76 back in service
Will update necessary quotes

Assistant Fire Chief: C. Scanlon

Chief lights-received quote, 2 other vehicles will be evaluated.
Need new sales rep for ESI- working with vendor
Needs to dispose of old gear

Fire Official report Thomas Horner

Commercial Ytd total inspections-; Inspections-31; Total inspections-41 CO inspections-30
Annual report submitted to State by Michelle
Holiday Inn - alarm issues continue

First Aid Report -Chief Steve Schmidt

Needs new members

New business:

None

New applications

New Member Application- Stas Zhilinsky, West Keansburg Fire Company

Vice-Chairman Wood, I request a motion to accept Stas Zhilinsky as a volunteer probationary Firefighter with West Keansburg Fire Company

Offered Commissioner Schroeck 2nd Kozielski

All in Favor - Aye

New Member Application- Kevin Kane Jr., West Keansburg Fire Company

Vice-Chairman Wood, I request a motion to accept Kevin Kane as a volunteer Firefighter with West Keansburg Fire Company

Offered Commissioner Schroeck 2nd Kozielski

All in Favor - Aye

New Member Application- Elliot Fest, North Centerville Fire Company

Vice-Chairman Wood, I request a motion to accept Elliot Fest as a Junior volunteer Firefighter with North Centerville Volunteer Fire Company

Offered Commissioner Schroeck 2nd Kozielski

All in Favor - Aye

New Member Application- Aidan Catena, North Centerville Fire Company

Vice-Chairman Wood, I request a motion to accept Aidan Catena as a Junior volunteer
Firefighter with North Centerville Volunteer Fire Company
Offered Commissioner Schroeck 2nd Kozielski
All in Favor - Aye

Resolutions

The following resolutions are by Consent Agenda. All matters listed under Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by the Board of Fire Commissioners and will be enacted by one motion.

Resolution

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Vice-Chairman Wood, I request a motion to approve the above resolutions
Offered Commissioner Schroeck 2nd Malloy

All in Favor Aye

Vice-Chairman Wood, request a motion to update LOSAP policy to reflect the number of members in attendance.

Offered Commissioner Kozielski 2nd Schroeck

All in Favor Aye

Vice-Chairman Wood, request a motion to update Paid Per Call Policy to reflect Training, and dates training must be completed by.

Offered Commissioner Malloy 2nd Kozielski

All in Favor

Public Comments

In accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, each speaker will be given a maximum of 3 (three) minutes for public comment, when recognized by the Chairman.

NO COMMENTS

Open to the public at 7:32 pm

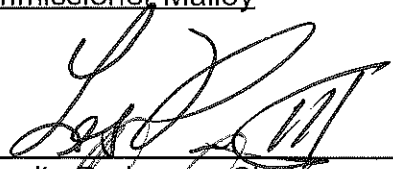
Closed to the public at 7:33 pm

Adjourn

Chairman Parleman requests a motion to close the meeting at 7:34 PM

Offered Commissioner Schroeck 2nd Commissioner Malloy

All in Favor-AYE



Leslie Parleman, Chairman



Peter Kozielski, Clerk