## TOWN OF SOMERS FIRE COMMISSION Regular Meeting Minutes 15DEC11

SEQ	<u>EVENT</u>	TIME
1.	CALL TO ORDER  a. Members Present: Tony Bruno; Jim MacFeat; Vinny Navin II, Chair; Andy Rockett	1902
	<ul> <li>Others Present: Gary Schiessl, Chief; Robert Morpurgo, Fire Marshal; Rick McDonald, SVFD</li> </ul>	
2.	APPROVAL OF MINUTES  a. Motion to approve minutes of 17NOV11: Bruno; Second: MacFeat; Unanimous	1902
3.	FIRE MARSHAL	1905
	<ul> <li>a. Oral report made, and written version incorporated herein and attached hereto.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Following additions to report not on Fire Marshal's written report:</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>i. Formally abated the Old Mill, for 4 items.</li> <li>ii. Woodcrest sprinkler and other tests made.</li> <li>iii. Fire Marshal responded to complaint made about Elementary School concert and exceeding capacity of auditorium.</li> </ul>	
4.	FIRE CHIEF	1927
	<ul> <li>a. Chief reviewed budget items.</li> <li>b. Solar panels appear to be working very well, saving several hundred dollars/month</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>c. Reviewed maintenance issues with vehicles.</li> <li>d. CIP presented to Board of Finance; CIP includes Truck, air bottles, fire gear.</li> </ul>	
	e. Pump testing scheduled.	
	<ul> <li>f. ET146 out of service over a month – pump OOC.</li> <li>g. All fire officers re-elected with following exceptions: Steve Hawkens 2<sup>nd</sup> Captain to 1<sup>st</sup> Captain; Still short 2<sup>nd</sup> Captain, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>h. Peter Bezzini elected 2<sup>nd</sup> EMS lieutenant</li> <li>i. New phone system in place.</li> </ul>	
	i. New phone system in place.	

- j. EMS Commission met last week. New generator needed for Police. Review of events from storm in October. EOC being moved from Fire Station to Kibbe Fuller.
- k. Insurance issues and members attending calls discussed.
- I. Stipend earned by members, in place of tax abatement, now having taxes deducted; 1099 to be issued.
- m. 1240 calls per year, as reported by Fire Marshal.
- 5. AUDIENCE COMMENTS
  - a. None.
- 6. OLD BUSINESS
  - a. None
- 7. NEW BUSINESS
  - a. Motion to approve Meeting Schedule for 2012, as follows: Jan 19; Feb 16; Mar 15; Apr 19; May 17; Jun 21; Jul 19; Aug 16; Sep 20; Oct 18; Nov 15; Dec 20 – Bruno; Second, MacFeat; Unanimous.
- 8. ADJOURNMENT 1946
  - a. Motion to adjourn: Rockett; Second, Bruno; Unanimous