

Board of Fire Commission Meeting Minutes		Date: December 29, 2022 Time: 5:00 p.m. Location: Fire Department Headquarters	
Meeting called by:	Chairman Lopez	Note taker: D. Glenn	
Type of meeting:	Regular Monthly	Timekeeper: D. Glenn	
Facilitator:	Chief Kadlewicz		
Attendees:	Jeffrey Trask, George Mettey		
Absent::	Nelson Lopez		
Staff in Attendance:	Chief John Kadlewicz and Dale Glenn		
Also: William Alicea and Justin Sanchez			
A. Opening of Meeting		Chairman Lopez	Time: 5:00 p.m.
<p>Discussion: #1 on the agenda Commissioner Trask opened the meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners with a verbal roll call of those present along with a prayer by Commissioner Mettey.</p> <p>#2 agenda item – Minutes: the Board of Fire Commissioners reviewed the minutes from their November 17, 2022</p> <p>#3 agenda item - Fire Chief's Report:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Injured on Duty/Light Duty • Personal Sick Leave/Administrative Leave • Overtime expenditures • EMPG FY23 and SAFER FY23 Grants have been awarded to the Fire Department <p>#4 Old Business – Re-open Grievance #030922 – the Board of Fire Commissioners stated that they will make a decision based upon the information provided by all parties and have concluded that the Union is correct and have overruled the Fire Chief's initial decision in favor of the Union's position based upon probationary status.</p> <p>#5 New Business – Update on Staffing Levels – the Department is in a better position with staff levels and will update the board at their next meeting.</p> <p>Discussion of current budget and overtime expenditures – the Fire Chief will get back to the Board after a review by their next meeting.</p>			
<p>Motions: Commissioner Trask entertained a motion to accept the minutes from November 17, 2022, Commissioner Mettey made the motion and was 2nd by Commissioner Trask; motion carried</p> <p>Commissioner Trask entertained a motion to accept the Fire Chief's report, Commissioner Mettey made the motion and was 2nd by Commissioner Trask; motion carried.</p> <p>Commissioner Trask entertained a motion regarding Grievance #030922 overturning the initial decision of the Fire Chief in favor of the Union's position based upon probationary status, Commissioner Mettey made the motion and was 2nd by Commissioner Trask; motion carried. Roll Call vote Commissioner Trask yes and Commissioner Mettey yes</p> <p>Commissioner Trask entertained a motion to adjourn, Commissioner Mettey made the motion and was 2nd by Commissioner Trask; motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 5:12 p.m.</p>			