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Easton Fire Commission

Minutes of Regular Meeting

October 19, 2016

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Attendance: D. Buchanan, J. Miranda, D. Katz

Also in attendance: P. Neary, S. Waugh

The Meeting was called to order at 7:40 pm

The Minutes of the September 21, 2016 were approved.

Chief Waugh reported to the commission. There were 41 incidents in September. Radio improvements continued, including reprogramming to accommodate modernization. However, antenna damage caused by untrimmed trees over roads has been found, and repair was expensive and was not anticipated in budgeting. This can be expected to continue to be a problem until necessary tree trimming is accomplished. The work on preparing specifications for the replacement for Engine 4 has begun. Corrosion prevention and repair for the engines, and preparedness for draught conditions was reviewed. Personnel physical exam requirements are under review in light of NFPA and Worker's Comp. changes.

Fire Marshal Neary presented his report showing continuing Fire Code Inspections and other activity undertaken by that office.

Commissioner Katz moved for adjournment was seconded by Commissioner Miranda, and the meeting Adjourned at 8:24 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Commissioner David Buchanan, Chairman