

**Minutes of the regular meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, Fire District No. 1 was held on Wednesday, March 13, 2018 at 7:00 P.M.**

Commissioner John C. Kenny called the meeting to order.

Maria Bucsanszky: Mr. President – All the requirements of the “Open Public Meeting Act” have been complied with by advertising in the Home News Tribune and Star Ledger. Copies of the meeting notice have been sent to the Municipal Clerk’s Office and posted on the bulletin boards of the fire house and the post offices of Woodbridge and Sewaren. Mr. President, you may proceed.

Commissioner John C. Kenny led a pledge to the flag.

A moment of silence was observed for our past Chief Robert Woodward, also prayers for Ex-Chief Robert Bader and for the recovery on Firefighter Edward McGuinn.

**PRESENT:** Commissioner Todd Howell, Commissioner John C. Kenny, Commissioner Patrick Kenny, Commissioner Robert Minkler, Sr., Commissioner Jeffrey Moran

**ALSO PRESENT:** Attorney – Christopher Howell  
Clerk – Maria Bucsanszky  
Chief Charles Kenny

Commissioner J.C.K.: We will now have the attorney administer the Oath of Office to newly elected Commissioner Jeff Moran.

Maria Bucsanszky: Election results first.

Commissioner J.C.K.: Okay, Resolution 2018-3-1 I need a motion.

Commissioner Todd Howell made a motion to adopt Resolution 2018-3-1 which was seconded by Commissioner Robert Minkler, Sr. and carried unanimously.

Commissioner J.C.K.: Alright, now we’ll move into administering the Oath of Office to Commissioner Jeff Moran.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: I, Jeff Moran.

Commissioner J.M.: I, Jeff Moran.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: Do solemnly swear.

Commissioner J.M.: Do solemnly swear.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: That I will support the Constitution of the United States.

Commissioner J.M.: That I will support the Constitution of the United States.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: And the Constitution of the State of New Jersey.

Commissioner J.M.: And the Constitution of the State of New Jersey.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: And I will bear true faith.

Commissioner J.M.: And I will bear true faith.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: And allegiance to the same.

Commissioner J.M.: And allegiance to the same.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: And to the governments established in the United States.

Commissioner J.M.: And to the governments established in the United States.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: And in this state.

Commissioner J.M.: And in this state.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: Under the authority of the people.

Commissioner J.M.: Under the authority of the people.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: And that I will faithfully.

Commissioner J.M.: And that I will faithfully.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: Impartially.

Commissioner J.M.: Impartially.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: And justly.

Commissioner J.M.: And justly.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: Perform all the duties of.

Commissioner J.M.: Perform all the duties of.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: Fire Commissioner of Woodbridge Fire Department No. 1.

Commissioner J.M.: Fire Commissioner of Woodbridge Fire Department No. 1.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: According to the best of my ability.

Commissioner J.M.: According to the best of my ability.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: So help me God.

Commissioner J.M.: So help me God.

Christopher Howell, Attorney: Congratulations.

Commissioner J.C.K.: Do you have a few words to say to the audience? It's all yours.

Commissioner J.M.: I'd like to thank the public for their support and forwarding to me this opportunity to serving the fire district after retiring from the career department here. It gives me an opportunity to come back and give back to the community once again. Thank you all.

Commissioner J.C.K.: Okay, at this time I'm going to request to vacate all offices and appoint the clerk to conduct the election for President

Commissioner Todd Howell made a motion to vacate all offices and to appoint the clerk to conduct the election for President which was seconded by Commissioner Robert Minkler, Sr. and carried unanimously.

Maria Bucsanszky: At this time the nomination for President is declared open. May I have a nomination?

Commissioner R.M.: I make a motion of John C. Kenny for President.

Commissioner P.K.: Second.

Commissioner Patrick Kenny made a motion to close the nomination for President which was seconded by Commissioner Robert Minkler, Sr. and carried unanimously with a roll call vote. Commissioner Howell – Yes; Commissioner Patrick Kenny – Yes; Commissioner Robert Minkler, Sr. – Yes; Commissioner Moran – Yes.

Maria Bucsanszky: Mr. President you may assume the chair.

Commissioner J.C.K.: Thank you. Thank you for your confidence in nominating me again. We need a nomination for Vice-President.

Commissioner T.H.: I nominate Commissioner Robert Minkler, Sr. for Vice-President.