

# MIDDLE TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT #2

April 16, 2015

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Sal DeSimone. Mr. DeSimone stated that notice had been given to the Herald Newspapers, the official paper and is posted on the bulletin board of the Middle Township Municipal Hall as required by P.L. 1975, c231, the Sunshine Law.

Roll call was taken with commissioners Sal DeSimone, Conrad Johnson, Robert Zimmerman, Kirby Stiltner, and Jean Zimmerman present. Attorney Mr. Thomas Phelan, Robert Sweeten and Rio Grande Fire Company Chief Rich Sweeten were also present. Rodney Haines, Accountant was absent.

**COMMUNICATIONS:** Victorian Abstract Agency sent the original copies of the Deed and Title Insurance Policy for the property next door that was just purchased

Sal talked with Middle Township treasurer about the first quarter draw that was not received. He said the state has not released the budget monies yet but once they do we will have our check.

Application for Brittany Peter was received for the NJ State Firemen's Association

**OLD BUSINESS:** Bob Zimmerman had a copy of the harassment letter that was posted for the fire company. Commissioners were given copies.

LOSAP confirmed 24 members at \$26,400.00 to be paid in May or June

Tanker is fixed. An insurance reimbursement check from JIF for \$2,709.50 was sent to Middle Township that will be available after Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup>.

**NEW BUSINESS:** four Truck Committee members are headed to Wisconsin end of May to inspect the truck

Motion Kirby Stiltner, second Conrad Johnson to accept the application for Brittany Peter for NJ State Firemen's Association

**CHIEF'S REPORT:** 109 fire calls; FEMA grant from Super Storm Sandy for \$1,300.00 was received; 2nd Durango is being lettered; applying for a grant for new portables at a cost of \$4,850.00 each for a possible total of \$155,000.00 - \$212,000.00; problems with air masks getting too hot; training for Fire 1 and 2 coming along good; burn set up at Coast Guard base in May

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Sal DeSimone read the bills, motion by resolution to pay the bills by Kirby Stiltner second Conrad Johnson, of \$30,428.06 Motion carried.

[Jean Zimmerman, Secretary](#)