

MIDDLE TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT #2

September 20, 2018

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Salvatore 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, Salvatore DeSimone, Kirby Stiltner, Robert Zimmerman and Jean Zimmerman present. Robert Sweeten, Kirby Stiltner Jr., Harold VanArtsdalen, Rio Grande Fire Company President Aaron Sill and Rio Grande Fire Company Chief Richard Sweeten were also present. Rodney Haines, Accountant, Attorney Mr. Thomas Phelan (hospital), and Conrad Johnson were absent.

COMMUNICATIONS: None at this time

OLD BUSINESS: Robert Zimmerman said the solar panels are at the final stages. Final inspection failed because of wrong size fuses. Once passed, the Atlantic City Electric Company will have to inspect and pass.

Bob Sweeten had LOSAP contribution comparisons from Lower Township, Middle Township, Dennis Township and Upper Township. We are one of the lower amounts being contributed. Maximum amount of \$1,709 was set by the state. We have not made any increases since 2002 when we started the program. Sal said he would talk with Rodney.

Danny DeSimone took the 2017 Chevy truck to ABRA for a second quote. Motion Kirby Stiltner, second Robert Zimmerman to get truck fixed not to exceed \$2,500. All commissioners present voted aye.

NEW BUSINESS: none at this time

CHIEF'S REPORT: 239 fire calls; Amkus had a jaws demonstration; participated in the fire convention parade; big trucks had their annual services and were good; training to get started; currently there are no juniors, no waiting list and approximately 37 members – one member recently moved to South Seaville; Connie's fire program at the Technical High School has been approved by the state for fire training.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Salvatore De Simone read the bills, motion by resolution to pay the bills by Kirby Stiltner second Bob Zimmerman, of \$16,132.96 Motion carried.

[Jean Zimmerman, Secretary](#)