



Greenfield Fire Department
P.O. Box 146, Greenfield, NH 03047
Meeting Minutes
October 7, 2019
18:30 pm

P	E	A	Member	P	E	A	Member	P	E	A	Member
X			1 Chaz Babb, Capt.	X			10 Eugene Hennessey, FW	X			19 Tyler St. Cyr
X			2 Doug Batty, Capt.		X		11 Mike Hoiriis	X			20 Ariel Temple
		X	3 Diane Boilard, DEMD	X			12 Jeff LaCourse, Dep.		X		21 Denis Filipetti
X			4 Michael Borden, Capt.	X			13 Moto Maguire				22
X			5 Tod Bryer	X			14 Dave Martin, EMD				23
X			6 Karen Day, DEMD	X			15 Scott Martin				24
X			7 Aaron Graham	X			16 Rick McQuade, Chief				25
X			8 Louise Gryval H.R.	X			17 Eric Sheldon				26
X			9 David Hall, Chief	X			18 David Simmons, Capt.				27

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 18:44

- **ATTENDANCE:** See list above.
- **SPECIAL PROMOTION:** Chief Hall asked Lieutenant Simmons to go to the apparatus bay while we talk about him. After he left, Chief Hall explained that Lieutenant Simmons is an extremely valuable member who deserves to be recognized for all he's done. Chief Hall announced that he would be promoted to Captain. Lieutenant Simmons was asked to come back in and was presented with a new badge and bugles. Kristine Hall lent her badge and bugles for him until he gets his own. Chief Hall thanked Chief McQuade for allowing him to do the honors because of his history with Lieutenant Simmons.
- **NEW APPLICANTS:** None
- **APPARATUS REPORTS:**
 - 13 Rescue 1: In service - we have a new glucometer that will be here Wed.
 - 13 Rescue 2: In service - needs muffler
 - 13 Engine 3: In service - Pump will be serviced this week. 1 pressure relief valve replaced, 2 gauges will be replaced this week, ladders all passed testing, battery replaced, found 2 more valves that are leaking
 - 13 Tanker 1: In service - passed the ladder test
 - 13 Ladder 1: In service - got nice compliments when being tested – kudos to Chief Hall & Moto for specking out a great truck. The main ladder and ground ladders passed testing. It passed the pump test but the gear box may need to be rebuilt. The glycerin filled gauges have been replaced. Some small lightbulbs and switches may need to be replaced.
 - 13 Brush 1: In service - Warden Hennessy has been asked for a list of needed equipment for this truck.
 - 13 Boat 1: In service – LED lights need to be put on.
 - 13 Boat 2: In service
 - 2 Boat motors have been received as a gift – will be used as a back-up
- **TRAINING:**
 - **1 Oct 8th Rescue Training:** EMS Intraface ALS & BLS
 - **2 Oct 15th Fire Training:** Water attack
 - **3 Oct 22nd Fire Training:** TBA
 - Deputy LaCourse thanked Ariel for her Wilderness Solo training classes.
 - Thanks also go to Captain Borden for setting up the Solar Panel training.
 - Congratulations go to Captain Batty for achieving his A level EMT license.



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- **GRANT STATUS:** Captain Batty reported that all but \$700 was used of the exhaust grant money. We will be having an open house on October 26th to show the system off. Our State Senator, Governor, and an representative from Senator Shaheen's office will be here. Time: 08:00 to 12:00.
- **FORESTRY:** No report
- **OLD BUSINESS:**
 - The blood drive was a success.
 - Collected 24 pts of blood
 - Had 2 new donors
 - Congratulations go to Tod Bryer for setting it up
- Thanks to everyone for helping with the Road Race. Chief Hall explained that the next race will be an Ultra. We have a nice course and it should make us quite a bit of money.
- The alarms at CMRC are now on silence until we get there. This came from the Fire Marshall's office. The staff is not allowed to reset the alarm. This weekend we had a call and the system had been reset before we arrived (Bromley Building). The Mass DCYF program has been cancelled. It appears that the Childcare Program (Wonderworks) is still running in Lower Mellon.
- Duck Race – There are tickets from Gary Russell for this Duck Race. This race is to benefit Dee Sleeper. The Chief has the tickets if anyone is interested.
- **NEW BUSINESS**
- The station clean up is looking great, lots of stuff has been removed, carpets cleaned, lights replaced, siding fixed. A discussion followed about replacing the carpet but it is ok for now.
- We had a code this week. Captain Simmons commended Wilton Ambulance for their team work and how well they performed. On another call, we learned that if Hospice is involved, the patient should not be transported.
- Plowshare has a patient who reacts violently to flashing lights – we should shut them off when we go there.
- The apparatus should be washed and cleaned before the open house.
- New FEMA SCBA grant – we will be applying for new SCBA's with new tanks. The first vendor visit is FireAmatic on October 17th – 18:30. Everyone is invited to look at the new technology – masks with airwash are safer for all.
- Fire Prevention Week – The school will come here on Friday, October 25th at 09:00. Louise Gryval ordered some information and extra fire hats for the kids. We only have 100 hats on hand.
- Chief McQuade has been asked to do a little training at the library for the staff on fire safety planning.
- Explorer Post – The Boy Scouts of America need to be paid for the Explorer Post program. They have been paying for all of the insurance but our cost will be \$56 for each Explorer. There is a new program now that will allow kids under 18 to start under our license to get experience. Deputy LaCourse suggested having a meeting with the Explorers to keep them involved. We need to get new kids involved. Captain Batty could get the Boy Scouts to go into the school to recruit.
- Tod Bryer reminded everyone that the High School has Fire & EMT classes.
- Aaron Graham mentioned that we need check lists for the bunk-ins.
- Everyone thanked Captain Border for the dinner.
- **DINNER NEXT MONTH:** Captain Simmons volunteered to cook next time.
- **NEXT MEETING:** December 2, 2019
- **MEETING ADJOURNED:** 19:59

Respectfully submitted,
Karen Day, DEMD