

Charlton Fire District Budget Hearing Minutes
October 17, 2017

PUBLIC MEETING: The public meeting of the Charlton Fire District was called to order on October 17, 2017 at 7:06 p.m.

PRESENT: Jeff Voigt(Chairman), Robert LeGere, Steve Eichfeld, Kevin Loukes, Sharon Cronin (Secretary), Andy LaPatra (Treasurer),

ABSENT: Dave Peters

- Budget Hearing called to order at 7:00.
- Secretary presented the Budget Hearing notification that was published in the Gazette.
- The official notice of the Budget Hearing was posted in the Gazette, at the Town Hall, and on the Fire District website.
- Board of Fire Commissioners adopted the proposed budget on September 5, 2017.
- A copy of the proposed budget was posted at the Town Hall and on the website.
- Chairman Jeff Voigt presented a PowerPoint presentation on the budget. A copy of the PowerPoint will be placed on the website.
- The Chairman answered questions from the public regarding the budget. Resident Ken Crotty suggested increasing budget for future truck replacement. The board discussed the challenges with trying to determine truck replacement costs 15-30 years from now.
- Adoption of the 2018 budget.
- The Chairman presented a brief overview on establishing a building committee to explore the possibility of building a new fire house. The chairman answered questions from Ken Crotty and Ed Snyder regarding the original plans for building design and property layout. Residents Janet Reville and Ken Crotty expressed interest in being on the committee.

Motion to adopt the 2018 budget made by Jeff Voigt and seconded Steve Eichfeld
Approved 4-0.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn made by Jeff Voigt and seconded by Kevin Loukes at 8:40 p.m.
Approved 4-0.