

# Hope Township fire department monthly meeting

Date: January 6, 2020

Call to order with pledge to flag at 19:00

## Roll Call

11 Members Present, 0 Excused, 4 Unexcused, 15 Members Total With 2 Guests Steve Braley and Andy Kobsia

## Past minutes read:

Motion by: Jim Doepker , Seconded by: David LaFevor Motion carried Yes

## Suburban:

- 5 bids was placed for the suburban.
- Low bid \$1251, \$1260, \$1360, \$1502, and \$1800.
- Tim Ross won the bid at \$1800

## Chief's Report:

Total Monthly Runs: 13: Medical 3, Fire 0, Tree down 3, Motor vehicle accident 1, Wire down 4 , (Mutual aid 1), Canceled in route 1

- 124 Calls in 2019
- Truck 951 will be out of service to have the reflective stripping redone, 941 will be used for rescue runs while 951 is out of service.
- Steve Barley will be back on the department effective immediately as a fire fighter.

## Assistant Chief's Report

- 941 is ready to go again with rebuilt alternator. The Light is a little slow to go out but go out soon.
- Training for January will be gear check and everyone needs to bring all their gear. This includes anything the department has given you excluding jackets and shirts.
- SOG review is due by department officers. If you have any concerns now is the time to bring them up.

## Old Business

- No old business

## New Business

- Douglas will be here for fit testing next meeting night, February 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- Avon will no longer be backing our air packs and we will need to start looking at other packs.

## Committee reports

- The committee will contact Brian Wilson and see about getting him to a meeting for voting to put him on the department.
- A committee will be assembled consisting of John Tidwell, Jeff Couture, Dwayne Valley, Kris Peacock, and Steve Braley to investigate the air packs. They will come up with two options and bring it to the department for a vote.

## Motion to Adjourn:

Motion by: Steve Braley , Seconded by: Kris Peacock Motion carried Yes

Time of adjournment: 19:34

## Recorded by:

\_Jeff Couture