

BRIGHTON AREA FIRE AUTHORITY
October 12, 2023
Regular Board Meeting

A regular meeting of the Brighton Area Fire Authority Board was held on Thursday, October 12, 2023 at Station 31 located at 615 W. Grand River, Brighton, Michigan. This regular meeting was called to order by Chairperson Jim Muzzin, at 8:00 a.m.

PRESENT: BILL ROGERS
TERRY CROFT
PATRICK MICHEL
JOE RIKER
JIM MUZZIN
SHAWN PIPOLY
MIKE CORRIGAN

ABSENT: NONE

ALSO PRESENT: CHIEF O'BRIAN

Pledge of Allegiance

Call to the Public
None

Approval of Consent Agenda

23:055 Motion by Bill Rogers supported by Mike Corrigan

That we approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

Motion carried unanimously

Approval of Regular Agenda

23:056 Motion by Patrick Michel supported by Joe Riker

That we approve the Regular Agenda as presented.

Motion carried unanimously

Review of Possible Agreement with City of Brighton re: Fire Station 31

The Chief along with or attorney Fred Lucas, have a meeting scheduled today at 3:30 with City Manager Gretchen Gomalka and the City attorney Sarah Gabis to discuss the possible transfer of ownership of Station 31 to the fire department. Hopefully we can bring something forward to the BAFA board at the November 9th board meeting.

Good of the Order

In September our crews responded to a mass casualty incident in Brighton Township involving carbon monoxide poisoning. Fortunately the mother had enough cognitive awareness to be able to call 911 to say that her whole family was experiencing headaches and flu symptoms. Our crews made entry through the garage with an air monitoring device and it immediately began to alarm with a reading of 600 ppm of carbon monoxide. Crews removed all 5 patients from the home and began treatment until EMS crews arrived to take them to the hospital. One of the patients was in the hospital for 7 days. Our crews were quick to respond and did a great job of getting all the patients out of the home.

Our Open House was last Saturday, October 7th with this year's theme being: "Cooking safety starts with you". We had another great event with lots of participation from the community. The kids had lots of fun!

Our auditors were here last week conducting our annual audit which went very well. Anne, Claudette & Chris did a great job of providing answers to all of their questions.

The replacement rescues should be completed later this month and our replacement tanker is due in November.

Bill Rogers stated that the kids had lots of fun at the Open House this year.

Our annual Halloween Party is October 31st from 6-9 pm. Everyone is welcome!

Adjournment

23:057 Motion by Mike Corrigan by Patrick Michel that we adjourn this meeting.

Motion carried unanimously.

This meeting was adjourned at 8:07 am.



Jim Muzzin, Chairperson