

**LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SAFETY  
COORDINATING COMMITTEE  
2207 Lawrenceville Road  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648**

**MINUTES**

**Tuesday, October 9, 2012**

**MEMBERS PRESENT: Richard Krawczun, Municipal Manager; Chief Dan Posluszny, Lawrence Township Police Department; Carol Chamberlain, Health Officer; Chief Michael Oakley, Slackwood Fire Company; Chief Shaun Dlabik, Lawrence Road Fire Company; Gary Wasko, Lawrenceville Fire Company; Jack Oakley, Emergency Management Coordinator; Anthony Cermele, Construction Official and Roseann Manghisi, Community Representative.**

**MEMBERS ABSENT: Greg Puliti, Council Liaison; Dale Robbins, Fire Marshal; John Baran, Community Representative; Kyle Collins, Community Representative; John Gladwell, Community Representative and William Holmes, Community Representative.**

**Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Vice Chairman, Jack Oakley at 6:34pm.**

**Minutes: The regular monthly meeting minutes for June 12, 2012 were reviewed by the committee. A motion was made by Shaun Dlabik and seconded by Roseann Manghisi to accept the minutes as written. All were in favor.**

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**There was no public participation at this time.**

**OLD BUSINESS**

**HEALTH REPORT: Health Officer, Carol Chamberlain reported that she has not received all Emergency Responder forms from the fire companies. She also reminded the chiefs that Bloodborne Pathogen training is mandatory. Requests are being made to the Health Department for the Hepatitis B shots, but they cannot be administered unless the training is received first.**

**EMERGENCY APPARATUS REPORTS:** Chief Mike Oakley reported all apparatus are currently in service for the Slackwood Fire Company. Chief Shaun Dlabik reported Telesquirt 22 is currently out of service for a transmission repair at Penn Diesel and when that apparatus returns to the station, Engine 22 needs to be repaired from the accident. Chief Gary Wasko reported Brush 23 out of service at this time, due to a problem encountered during the helicopter rescue assignment. Jack Oakley reported that all ambulances are currently in service.

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEDIA ARTICLES:** Carol Chamberlain made a suggestion that a Halloween Safety article be posted. Chief Gary Wasko suggested an article about Fire Prevention, since this is Fire Prevention month. Gary also mentioned the Halloween Parade for the Lawrenceville Fire Company is to be held on Tuesday, October 30<sup>th</sup> and that a flyer has been given to the Board of Education for approval to pass the information along to the students.

**SOLAR PERMITS FOR MERCER MALL:** Anthony Cermele reported that he is forwarding copies of all solar permits to Dale Robbins, Fire Marshal.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

**EXTRICATION FEES:** Rich Krawczun reported on an internal meeting that was conducted earlier in the day with regard to the Township charging fees for extrications that are conducted by the Paid Firefighters and Volunteers, but the money will be collected on the behalf of the Volunteer companies, to be credited toward their fuel bills. The monies will either go into a pool and divided equally among the companies, or the township will keep a tab on the monies for each district and distribute the monies accordingly. All three Chiefs seemed interested in this possibility and will assist the township in acquiring necessary information from any/or if any other towns do such a fee collection.

### **PLAN REVIEWS**

There were no plans to be reviewed at this time.

**OTHER BUSINESS/CORRESPONDENCE**

**NEXT MEETING OF COMMITTEE: A motion was made by Rich Krawczun and seconded by Chief Gary Wasko to cancel the meeting for November, 2012 and reconvene the meetings beginning on December 11, 2012. If there are any plans that need to be reviewed before the December meeting, they are to be reviewed by the Fire Marshal's Office and the district fire company. All were in favor.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

**Having no further business to be brought before the committee, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 6:48 pm.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

  
**Cynthia L. Turek**