# HOMER TOWNSHIP FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING April 3, 2017

# **CALL TO ORDER**

Trustee Anderson called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

# **ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUORUM:**

In attendance were Trustees Anderson, Lobes and Fijan, Chief Locacius, Sue Huiner, Hailey DeBruyn, Div. Chief Bricker, Battalion Chiefs Essenburg and Mayer, and Attorney Tom Gilbert Others in attendance: B. Kirner

# **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

Trustee Anderson led the pledge to the flag.

# **PUBLIC COMMENTS: None**

# **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Trustee Anderson made a motion to approve the regular meeting minutes of the March 6, 2017 as presented.

Trustee Lobes 2<sup>nd</sup> Roll Call: All Ayes Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to approve the March 6, 2017 closed session minutes as presented.

Trustee Lobes 2<sup>nd</sup> Roll Call: All Ayes Motion Carried

# TREASURER'S REPORT:

Trustee Anderson made a motion to accept the treasurer's report as presented.

Trustee Fijan 2nd

Roll Call: Anderson – Yes Lobes – Yes Fijan – Yes

Motion Carried

### COMMUNICATIONS:

Trustee Anderson acknowledged a thank you letter from Romeoville FD for assistance on the 2/12 brush fire (Adeszko & Krasneck) along with recent articles about the District in the Homer Horizon.

# ATTORNEY REPORT:

Worked with Chief on the Intergovernmental agreements and Ordinances to lend/borrow vehicles with Frankfort and Lockport FPD's.

### **REPORTS:**

Chief Locacius, Division Chief Bricker, BC Mayer, BC Essenburg, & Director Huiner presented their monthly reports

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

None

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Trustee Anderson made a motion to approve the bills in the amount of \$137,998.91 as presented.

Trustee Fijan 2nd

Roll Call: Anderson – Yes Lobes – Yes Fijan – Yes

Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to adopt the Intergovernmental agreement with the College of DuPage to conduct the fall 2017 Firefighter testing.

Trustee Lobes 2nd

Roll Call: Anderson – Yes Lobes – Yes Fijan – Yes

Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to adopt the Intergovernmental agreement with Lockport FPD to lend/borrow vehicles.

Trustee Lobes 2<sup>nd</sup>

Roll Call: Anderson – Yes Lobes – Yes Fijan – Yes

Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to adopt the Intergovernmental agreement with Frankfort FPD to lend/borrow vehicles.

Trustee Lobes 2nd

Roll Call: Anderson – Yes Lobes – Yes Fijan – Yes

Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to adopt Ordinance 17-02 allowing the District to lend/borrow vehicles with Lockport FPD.

Trustee Lobes 2nd

Roll Call: Anderson – Yes Lobes – Yes Fijan – Yes

Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to adopt Ordinance 17-03 allowing the District to lend/borrow vehicles with Frankort FPD.

Trustee Lobes 2nd

Roll Call: Anderson – Yes Lobes – Yes Fijan – Yes

Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to adopt the Board Up Company Rotation policy as presented.

Trustee Fijan 2nd

Roll Call: Anderson - Yes Lobes - Yes Fijan - Yes

Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to authorize Chief Locacius to sign the Brindlee Mountain Fire Apparatus, LLC brokerage offer (5%) for the sale of the 2007 Pierce Ladder Truck (Tower 31). It is understood that if the District sells the vehicle on its own we must send a notification letter to Brindlee Mountain via certified mail so that no commission is owed.

Trustee Lobes 2<sup>nd</sup>

Roll Call: Anderson – Yes Lobes – Yes Fijan – Yes

Motion Carried

# **CLOSED SESSION:**

Trustee Anderson made a motion to enter closed session at 7:50 p.m. to discuss employment of employees, matters of negotiation, pending or threatened litigation and review closed session minutes.

Trustee Lobes 2<sup>nd</sup> Roll Call: All Ayes Motion Carried

Trustee Anderson made a motion to come out of closed session at 8:25 p.m.

Trustee Lobes 2nd

Roll Call: All Ayes Motion Carried

No action taken

# **MOTION TO ADJOURN:**

Trustee Anderson made a motion to adjourn at 8:26 p.m.
Trustee Lobes 2nd
Roll Call: All Ayes
Motion Carried

Respectfully submitted,

Mark Lobes, Secretary / Trustee