

## **Fire Service Advisory Committee**

Tuesday, March 10, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.  
Randolph Village Fire Station, 2 Central St

**Members Present:** Kermit LaBounty (Chair), Michael Hildenbrand (RVFD), Larry Thurston (RVFD), Dana Williams (RCFD), Tim Angell (RCFD), Paul Campbell (ERFD), Bob Conniff (Brookfield)

### **Regular Meeting**

#### **1. Call to Order**

Kermit called the meeting to order at 19:07.

#### **2. Approval of Minutes**

##### **a. February 11, 2020**

On motion by Michael, and seconded by Dana, the committee voted to approve the minutes as written.

#### **3. New Business**

The committee talked about continued work on propagation studies for all four departments.

A member of the Fire Operations Review Committee has asked all departments to check over their fire suppression pre-plans for major buildings, which will need to be updated.

An announcement was made that a flagger training will be held on March 11, 2020.

Michael suggested that the Town look into buying a RIT Pak for the Randolph Center Fire Truck, and the committee agreed. Members of the committee agreed to look into applying for a grant for funding the purchase of the RIT Pak. The committee talked about Brookfield also purchasing a RIT Pak.

A discussion was had on what to pay firefighters, but no final decisions were made. One thing was made clear, they will not be paid by direct deposit checking established for the sole purpose of receiving compensation for fire fighting hours.

An announcement was made that all new trainees are required to take Firefighting I and II which includes Air Pack training. In addition, presently, the trainees have to pay the cost of taking these trainings.

#### **4. Communications**

#### **5. Fire Reports**

All three reports were submitted.

#### **6. Apparatus and Equipment**

#### **7. Other Business**

#### **8. Adjourn**

On motion by Michael, and seconded by Larry, the committee voted to adjourn the meeting at 19:45.