

PLAINFIELD FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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BOARD OF FIRE TRUSTEES SPECIAL MEETING

Trustee Barnes called the special meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Plainfield Fire Protection District to order at 1:00 p.m. held on Wednesday, April 3, 2019, at the Fire District Headquarters, 23748 W. 135th St., Plainfield, IL with the Pledge of Allegiance.

A roll call attendance was taken as follows: Trustee Tom Paul – present; Trustee Bob Baish – present; Trustee William Barnes – present; Trustee Doug Shreve – present. Trustee Jim Lehmann was absent.

Also in attendance were Chief Jon Stratton, Deputy Chief Vito Bonomo, Assistant Chief Mark Reynolds, Attorney Tom Gilbert, Ottosen Britz, and Administrative Assistant Mary Jo Fazio.

Open Forum – Nothing at this time.

Business – Chief Stratton informed the Board that one of our full-time Firefighters accepted a permanent position at another Fire District. He asked the Board to authorize the Commission to hire a full-time Firefighter. After a brief discussion, a motion was made by Trustee Shreve to authorize the Commission to hire a full-time Firefighter, seconded by Trustee Paul. A roll call vote was taken as follows: Trustee Paul – yes; Trustee Baish – yes; Trustee Barnes – yes; Trustee Shreve – yes. Motion carried.

Chief Stratton briefly explained the possible staffing changes for the future. Deputy Chief Bonomo went into detail proposing four different options. After a lengthy discussion, the subject was tabled until the next meeting.

There being no further business or a need for closed session, a motion was made by Trustee Barnes to adjourn the meeting at 1:41 p.m., seconded by Trustee Paul, all in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

James R. Lehmann, Secretary Mary Jo Fazio, Administrative Assistant