NJSFAC 12th District Meeting of May 14, 2020

The regular monthly meeting of the 12 District NJSFAC was opened at 20:15 by Chairman, Mary Hookway via "FreeConferenceCall.com" due to the COVID-19 pandemic and no meetings in place order by the President and the Governor.

We were opened in prayer by our Chairman, Mary Hookway who also greeted us all.

We welcomed the following guests:

St. Clare's - John Cronin - He hopes everyone is well and thanked everyone for their cooperation during all COVID constraints. There is a UV light at Denville. Also, they are still under "No Visitor" policy. Classes are still on hold.

Atlantic - Joe Fishbach wishes all well. Mary not able to be here but if there are any issues to please feel free to call her. They, too, are unable to do training classes until all waivers are in place from the State. They are working on on-line education. All classes will be in accordance with the CDC. They may try some trial runs. No refreshers until guidance is received (masks, temps, social distancing, etc.). Summer Class is wait listed. Next is late Aug. Sign up open in July. The June class should be ok to run as of now.

Minutes - There is one correction to the minutes (under Good and Welfare) name listed as Danny, should be Donny. Motion by Mine Hill, second by Hopatcong to approve as corrected. Carried.

Treasurer’s report - Treasurer read the current balances in the accounts. Motion by Milton, second by Lakeland to accept Treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Correspondence – Cheryl sent sympathy card to Marge Sellen on the passing of her husband, Jack; Get well card to Betty Cleaver who was in the hospital.

Northern Area VP – No report

12th District VP - **As of July 1, there will be a new Training Fund form. It's the same form for both EMT Basic and Refreshers. It must be signed in BLUE INK. It also MUST BE TYPED**. Remember, there is no grace period for your EMT if not renewed on time.

There was a letter from Paula Weiler sent to all regarding reports and getting information from the website. Any questions, you can reach out to her. The State Officers are meeting and trying to update everyone. Convention, as of now, is still on, although it may be an abbreviated version. More info will follow. Make sure when you file your reports, that you are getting an "Accepted" date. Hopatcong and Roxbury reports were submitted but not accepted. You would have received an email from Paula as to what is either missing or incorrect that they haven't been accepted. If you don't find it, contact her as to why your reports haven't been accepted.

Jen from Sussex asked to speak - she wanted to report that the Town finally voted to continue supporting them. There was reports that they were going to go to paid. Both of their ambulances broke down at the same time. They had 1 fixed. The town entertained proposals from both Altantic and St. Clare's and ultimately voted to support the Fire and EMS and work more closely with them.

Education – All refreshers by Edna are canceled at this time until further notice. Fall EMT class has been set. Students need to register online first and get their EMT number and get a course #, then contact the registrar at SCCC to register at the college.

Mobilization – No report

Standards – The new forms are online. Download them and have them filled out and SIGNED prior to the inspection to make it easier. Once we get the all clear, we will begin the inspections. Everyone as of now, is good until the end of this year. The inspectors have all stated that they are willing to come to your stations to do your inspections. Contact your inspector for your appt.

By-Laws – nothing to report

Web Site –The website is **www.NJSFAC-12th-District.org**. Jeff sent out a report to all which was forwarded regarding the Ad for the papers for EMS week. Make sure your contact info and links are correct on our website.

Nominating Committee - Nothing to report

Legislation - No report

Audit Committee - Chairman appointed the following committee - Pam Karkovice, Roxbury; Dawn Foote, Budd Lake; and Cheryl Wood, Milton. Not able to meet and will be postponed until further notice.

Old Business – The District Memorial Service should have been done at our May meeting. It will be done at our next live meeting. Please make sure and get any info you have on any members that have passed away to our Chaplain, Wes. His contact info is on our website.

New Business – none

Good and Welfare –

1. King of the Hill Car Show at Mine Hill is postponed to September 26
2. Milton - Betty Cleaver was in the hospital - her address for cards is 4 Ress Road, Oak Ridge, NJ 07438
3. Al Monzo from Vernon passed away

The next meeting will be via conference (info to follow via email) on June 11

Member of the night is ALL OF US!!

There were 18 of 20 squads in attendance.

 Blue Ridge 010 Lafayette 100 Sparta 200

 Budd Lake 200 Lakeland 300 Stanhope-Netcong 100

 Frankford Twp -0- Milton 200 Sussex 110

 Fredon 100 Mine Hill 100 Vernon -0-

 Glenwood-Pochuck 001 Newton 100 Walkill 101

 Hopatcong 100 Ogdensburg 100 Wantage 001

 Jefferson 100 Roxbury 110

Motion by Fredon, second by Milton to adjourn the meeting. Meeting was adjourned at 20:55

Respectfully submitted,

Michele Hess, Recording Secretary