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BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS  
THOMASTON FIRE DEPARTMENT  
MEETING MINUTES – July 7, 2025

The monthly meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners was held July 7, 2025  
At the Thomaston Firehouse.

In attendance were: Cmsr Chair. Quinn                      Cmsr. Allan Olivero  
                                 CMSR    Cmsr  
                                 Cmsr Bob Norton                      Cmsr JP Oldham  
                                 Chief Glenn Clark  
                                 Asst Matt Pronovost  
                                 Deputy Chief Matt Belval

1: Chairman Quinn called the meeting to order at 1800.

**2: Fire Marshal's Report:**

Fire Marshal Bob Norton, Sr. was present and went over his monthly report. 29 Calls for June, 180 calls year to date. Notable calls were 5 MVAs structure fire in Harwinton and Watertown.

**3: Reading / approval of minutes of previous meeting:**

Motion made by Alan Olivero seconded Bob Norton Jr to wave the reading of the June minutes and approve them as emailed and presented. Motion passed

**4: Bills and communications:**

Oldham went over the bills for June.  
Expenditures for the month, \$11,753 with some bills still in the system to be approved, and others yet to be received.



## **5: Report of Chiefs:**

### **5.1 Training:**

- Water supply and hose advancement
- Dive team training
- Instructor class is on going
- Driver training program near complete
- Brush fire training
- Live burn October 4

### **5.2 Apparatus:**

- T6 needs new tires will be done this Wednesday
- Tires on Assistant Chiefs vehicle done.

### **5.3 Equipment:**

- Motion made by JP Oldham, seconded by Bob Norton Jr to purchase replacement batteries for portable radios. Motion passed.
- Discussion on department meters, and repair costs. Chiefs will get a price on calibration equipment system.
- Lion turn out gear, motion from Allan Olivero, seconded by Bob Norton Jr to purchase three sets of gear for testing. Motion passed.
- Apparatus checks in fire station software is in progress

### **5.4 Building:**

- Chiefs spoke with CT water and they will install a new hydrant out front when they put the new water line in.

### **5.5 Miscellaneous:**

- Motion made by Allan Olivero, seconded by Tim Quinn to fund the balance of the cost to send Fire Cadet to academy. Motion passed.
- Pager repair contract signed

**6: Report of Secretary/Treasurer:**

- Waiting for final end of year budget numbers

**7: Report of Special Committees:**

- Alan Olivero discussed the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary parade, it was successful

**8: Old Business:**

- None

**9: New Business:**

- Discussion on the ages of apparatus

**10: Report of Commissioners:**

- Two skids of water from Home Town Foundation

**11: Any other business to come to the board:** American Legion will present an award 7/12

**12. Executive Session:** none

**13: Adjournment:** There being no further business, motion made by Jp Oldham, seconded by Hank McGee  
And passed 1855

Respectfully submitted,  
Jon-Paul Oldham