

Jamestown Township Fire Board

Unofficial Minutes of June 18, 2018

Meeting was called to order at 5:45 PM.

In attendance were Fire Board Members Gail Altman, Janet Oskin, Mike Rose, Wendell Loew and Jim Ondersma.

Fire Department Members present were Duane Miedema and Tim Kortman.

No one from the community attended the meeting.

The minutes from the May 21, 2018 were read and approved.

Chief's report:

- For the month of May, there were 27 calls.
- During the month of May, an outside contractor pressure tested all of the fire hose belonging to the Jamestown Township Fire Department. Only one section was found to be defective. This is an annual requirement for the Fire Department.
- Duane informed the Board that the Fire Department was going to have a picture and a write up in the local newspaper about a medical call the Fire Department responded to on Memorial Day. The incident occurred at the intersection of 24th Avenue and Byron Road, where a Lansing, Michigan resident was driving on Byron road and suffered a heart attack. This was the first medical call received involving a heart attack victim, since the new AED units were put in service. As of June 18, the patient was doing well and recovering at home.
- The new radios have been installed and the new in service date is scheduled for some time in October.
- The construction of the new Fire Station is on schedule and the move-in date is the end of August.

The next scheduled Fire Board meeting will be on Monday, July 16 at 5:45 PM at the township hall.

Meeting adjourned at 6:25 PM.

Submitted by Jim Ondersma