

Jamestown Township Fire Board

Unofficial Minutes from the November 20, 2023 Meeting

Meeting called to order at 5:45 PM

Fire Board members in attendance: Janet Oskin, Wendell Loew, Derek McCormick and Jim Ondersma

Absent with notice: Mike Rose

Fire Department members present: Fire Chief Duane Miedema

Chief's Report:

- For October 2023 there were 42 calls, compared to 43 in 2022.
- Year to date, there were 448 calls 2023. Compared to 412 in total calls in 2022.
- At the annual pancake breakfast, there were roughly 800 people in attendance.
- Pictures of ladder truck 1441 were shared, showing the unit in the production line. The tentative completion date is late January or sometime in February.
- Austin Koetje was interviewed and will be joining the fire department. This will bring the department to 30 members.
- It was noted that in 7-8 years, we will need to replace two engines.

The next scheduled meeting will be Monday, January 15, 2024.

Meeting adjourned at 6:45 PM.

Submitted by Jim Ondersma