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EFREM CITARELLA  
CHIEF



**MEETING MINUTES**

**May 14, 2014**

Chief Citarella called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m. The following were in attendance: Chief Efrem Citarella, Deputy Chiefs Rob Russell and Al Vigliotti, Chief Fire Inspector Bill Premuroso, Somers Volunteer Fire Department Chief Ray Baker, and 1<sup>st</sup> Assistant Chief Jody Leverich.

**MINUTES**

Mr. Russell made a motion to accept the minutes of the April 9, 2014 meeting as submitted. Mr. Citarella seconded the motion. All were in favor.

**SUBMISSIONS**

**Ridgeview Designer Builders Subdivision** – A resolution was received from the Town Board soliciting review and comment on a suggested road name of Boulder Ridge Road for the Ridgeview Designer Builders Subdivision. Since it is a common driveway and not a Town road, the Bureau of Fire Prevention is recommending that it be called Boulder Place. A memo will be sent to the Town Board.

**1<sup>st</sup> ASSISTANT CHIEF'S REPORT**

Somers 1<sup>st</sup> Assistant Fire Chief Jody Leverich reported on the following:

**80 Route 6** – There is still a strip in front of Pepino's Restaurant located at 80 Route 6 that still has a sign that says "no parking" instead of "no parking and standing". It also appears that there were additional signs in that area that were removed. They really should be replaced.

**15 Lovell Street** – There was a contained oven fire at 15 Lovell Street.

**Heritage Farm** – At the request of the manager of Heritage Farm, the Fire Department will be testing the water tank system next Wednesday, May 21. They will also be installing a knox box on the property.

**The Mews Phase II** – Mr. Leverich asked that Mr. Premuroso make arrangements for a site visit and walkthrough of The Mews Phase II.

### **DEPUTY CHIEF REPORTS**

Deputy Chief Russell did not have anything to report this evening.

Deputy Chief Vigliotti had investigated a hydrant on Mahopac Avenue that now has a guard rail in front of it. He did speak to the Highway Department about creating an opening in the guard rail so the hoses can be hooked up without the possibility of getting kinked. Instead, the Water and Sewer Department will raise the hydrant.

### **FIRE INSPECTOR'S REPORT**

Fire Inspector Premuroso's report is covered under Old Business.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

**Stop and Shop** – Mr. Premuroso went to Stop and Shop and the garbage dumpsters have been moved from the Fire Department water hook ups.

**NY Sports Club, Post-Net, and Subway** – While responding to an alarm last month, the Fire Department noted that in all three stores, either the rear entrances were blocked and/or the pull stations. Mr. Premuroso followed up and the pallets from NY Sports Club have been removed, but he still has to re-inspect Post-Net and Subway's exits.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

There was no New Business this month.

The meeting was adjourned. The June meeting will be held on Wednesday, the 11<sup>th</sup> at 4:45 p.m. at St. Joseph's Church. Police Chief Driscoll and Goldens Bridge Fire Department Chief Al Melillo and Commissioner Rob Melillo will be joining us.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Schirmer, Secretary  
Bureau of Fire Prevention

cc: Bureau of Fire Prevention  
Town Board  
Town Clerk

Planning Board  
Principal Engineering Technician  
Somers Fire District