

The August meeting of the Municipality of Barrington Fire Service Advisory Committee was held on August 8, 2012 at the Island & BP fire hall.

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 pm by Chairman Dave Kendrick.

Departments present were: Woods Harbour Shag Harbour, Island & BP, Barrington, and Port Clyde.

Councillor El- Jakl was also in attendance.

Motion made to approve the minutes as read by Paul Thomas, seconded by Jody Goreham.

Old Business:

The Town of Pictou has 6 Scott SCBA's for sale, and will sell them for a two for the price of one deal.

The driver training discussed last meeting will cost students about \$2000.00 each.

Bernie Kett will be in our area August 16 for truck testing and service.

The Barrington and Port la Tour fire departments have agreed in pricipal to amalgamate. Port Clyde will be having another meeting soon.

The mutual aid agreement amendment will be presented at the meeting on September 6, 2012.

Chairman Kendrick presented the Incident Command Boards for the

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membership to view.

These boards can be purchased for about \$40.00 each.

Motion made by George El-Jakl to have the municipality remove the fire department signs in Shag Harbour and have a fire department sign installed in Barrington. Motion was seconded by Troy Stoddard, carried.

Motion made by Johnny Nickerson to approach council to have them purchase a machine to make accountability tags for all the fire department members. Motion seconded by Troy Stoddard, carried unanimously.

New Business:

There was a lengthy discussion on members wearing SCBA with facial hair.

Motion made by George El-Jakl for council to have the Fire Service SOG's printed with enough copies for each member of each fire department, and include the changes made by Dave Kendrick. Motion seconded by Troy Stoddard, carried.

An Emergency Responders Traffic Management Course is offered for free through the NSFS. Contact Dave Kendrick if any department is interested.

The short term planning recommendations presented by the Fire Service Study were reviewed and discussed, and a time line was presented for each recommendation.

Motion made to adjourn by Jody Goreham.