

# BARRINGTON MUNICIPAL FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICE

## Fire Service Advisory Committee February 18, 2015

The February meeting of the Municipality of Barrington Fire Service Advisory Committee was held on February 18, 2015 at the Island & BP fire hall.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Chairman Dave Kendrick.

Departments present were; Island & BP, Barrington/Port la Tour, and Port Clyde. Councillor Jody Crook was also in attendance.

Dry hydrants, SCBA, and secretary, were added to the agenda.

Motion made to approve the agenda by Mike Swim.

The previous month's minutes were read, and a motion for approval was made by Brian Crowell, seconded by Paul Thomas, carried.

### **Old Business:**

Island & BP has sold their monitor. Because of the exchange rate, I&BP's equipment cost, increased to \$3300.00.

Port la Tour's old halls deed has been checked by the solicitor, and cleared to be demolished.

### **New Business:**

Because of the storm, SCBA testing will now take place on March 8, 9, and 10, and because of training at I & BP, testing will start at Woods Harbour, or Port Clyde.

Motion made by Paul Thomas to have the old hall in Port la Tour torn down in the spring, seconded by Walter Scott, carried.

Policy 54 changes state, that if you have a deficit, it must go on the next year's budget. If you have a surplus, with council's approval, the monies can be placed in a fund for future use for trucks, or other items.

Motion made by Walter Scott for Barrington/ Port la Tour to begin the process of having a building designed. Motion seconded by Paul Thomas, carried.

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Motion made by Mike Swim to recommend to council that Barrington/ Port la Tour has met the municipal training requirements, and would waive the 2 year waiting period on building halls. Motion seconded by Paul Thomas, motion carried.

Motion made by Walter Scott for Port Clyde to buy the five air packs from WSHH for \$2800.00. Motion seconded by Mike Swim, carried.

There was a lengthy discussion on what will happen if WSHH and Clyde leave the FSAC.

Motion made by Dave Kendrick that the FSAC not accept the resignations from WSHH and Clyde, and ask the departments to come back to the table and work out their problems. Motion seconded by Mike Swim, carried.

I & BP would like to look into the possibility of getting another dry hydrant.

There was a discussion on having dry hydrants plowed by the municipality, it was decided that this would be taken back to the departments for discussion.

Motion made to adjourn by Walter Scott.