COLEBROOK CENTER FIRE DEPARTMENT Regular Meeting- January 6, 2025

Members Present: Sean Barry, Craig Carfiro, Bob Carfiro, Jon Gray, Chris Kesl, Devan McCaw, Hannah McCaw, Jeff Coleman, Mike Coleman, John Fredsall, Paul LaRocque, Jen LaRocque, Sandra Carfiro, Bryce Zygmont,, Aden Ruwet, Kevin Robichaud, Todd Correll

The meeting was called to order at 7:38 PM.

- The secretary's report was read, a motion was made by Devan McCaw and seconded by Chris Kesl to accept the report as read. Motion passed unanimously.
- The treasurer's report read, a motion was made by Devan McCaw and seconded by Sean Barry to accept as read.
- Communications: None.Committee reports: None.

Old Business:

- No new news regarding matching funds.
- We will be waiting until Spring for the door projects.
- Exit lights quote will be shared with the Town.
- It was confirmed that both departments will be getting internet service on the ipads, and using Mint as a provider.
- New pump is on the ranger.
- Colebrook Fire Department was awarded a \$1,000 grant from the Berkshire Trail Riders.
 Discussed possible purchasing options and it is between a rescue trailer or the stokes rescue wheel. Sean will bring it up to Forge for their thoughts as well.
- The handle was repaired on Engine 1.
- The battery in the rescue was dead when it went to be used last. Craig and John were able to get it going by hooking it up to a battery charger, but unable to trace the wiring. It is only putting out 12V. Will be looking into new batteries or a battery charger. A motion was made by Ben and seconded by Devan to either purchase a new batteries or a charger depending on what it needs after further investigation. The motion was unanimous.

New Business:

- Tax Abatement points were posted.
- Colebrook Associates donation letter awarding Colebrook Center Fire Department \$750 was shared.

2025 Elections Results:

Deputy Chief: Craig Carfiro

Captain: Ben Bartlett
1st Lieutenant: Todd Correll

2nd Lieutenant: Jon Gray

Secretary: Hannah McCaw Treasurer: Sandra Carfiro

Training:

• John Parenteau will continue to be the training officer and our IT help.

Firehouse Check: John Fredsall

The department recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:57 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Hannah McCaw Secretary Colebrook Fire Department