

BOLTON FIRE COMMISSION

REGULAR MEETING NOVEMBER 24, 2025

BOLTON FIRE HOUSE AND ZOOM– 7:00 P.M.

Fire Commission Chairman John Morianos convened the Bolton Fire Commission meeting at 7:00 P.M. at the Bolton Fire House.

Commission members present: Chris Moquin. Danny Moquin was on zoom call. Chief Dixon also attended via Zoom call. Deputy Chief Matthew Perreira and Fire Marshal Bill Call were also present. Elizabeth Malone and Robert Langton were absent.

PUBLIC COMMENT – None

CORRESPONDENCE – None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Motion to approve the October 27, 2025 meeting minutes (CM/DM).

PAYMENT OF BILLS – October and November were distributed

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHIEF –

- 39 calls since the last meeting
- 4 motor vehicle accidents 2 of which were on Route 6 and on I-384
- Brush fire – nothing found on Route 44
- Many EMS calls, including one CPR call
- Budgets: Capital Improvement Projects have been submitted to the Town Hall. Gear washer and dryer and radio tower restoration. Mobile radios are on order and scheduled for spring 2026 for front line apparatus.
- E hydraulic tools are being researched, and Chief Dixon hopes to have a decision in January 2026. Dry hydrant information has been looked at by senior fire officers and a letter has been sent to the town Administrator.
- Operation Budget is on target with spending at this time.
- Training: One Officer passed his Fire Officer One and Accelerated Paramedic Program 2 class and two members passed their State of CT Department of Motor Vehicle Q class.

Chris Moquin asked Chief Dixon where the waste water goes from the washing machine. Chief Dixon replied that it goes into the septic at the fire house.

FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT

Activities:

- CRFMA meeting Plainville
- 131 Birch Mountain fire report complete – sent to owner
- Senior Knox Box Installed
- Budget duties worked on

Inspections since last meeting:

- Saint Maurice Church – Re-inspection
- All town fire alarm testing checked again - no progress
- Dollar General – checked with the holidays approaching
- 1 Burn permit issued
- 228 inspection for future construction and possible egress issues.

DEPUTY FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT – None

OLD BUSINESS –

Chief Dixon informed the commission members that Bob Langton's brother passed away. Although Bob is moving out of town he is going to remain on the Fire Commission.

John asked about the status of the dry hydrant at the pond on Route 44. Chief Dixon mentioned that it is no longer an option due to accessibility to the water.

NEW BUSINESS – None

Next meeting scheduled for Monday, December 15, 2025.

ADJOURNMENT – Motion to adjourn at 7:22 pm (CM/DM) VU

Respectfully submitted,

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Board Clerk

PLEASE SEE THE MINUTES OF SUBSEQUENT MEETINGS FOR CORRECTIONS TO THESE MINUTES AND ANY CORRECTIONS HERETO.