

## BOLTON FIRE COMMISSION

REGULAR MEETING FEBRUARY 23, 2026

BOLTON FIRE HOUSE AND ZOOM– 7:00 P.M.

Fire Commission Chairman John Morianos convened the Bolton Fire Commission meeting at 7:04 P.M. at the Bolton Fire House.

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

PUBLIC COMMENT – None

CORRESPONDENCE – None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Motion to approve the January 26, 2026 meeting minutes (CM/DM).

PAYMENT OF BILLS – None

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHIEF –

- 45 call since the last meeting
- 2 nights for storm standby at the fire house
- 6 motor vehicle accidents
- Electric pickup truck fire on Route 6
- Tanker 234 went to Tolland, CT for a barn fire
- Jim Rupert, Matt Perreira and Chief Dixon have had a couple of meetings with John from Manitou Inc. starting the Strategic Plan for the Bolton Volunteer Fire Department. There is a lot of reports that John is looking for.
- Pam Parsons, Matt Perreira and Chief Dixon meet on Saturday to start compiling these. There will be some meetings scheduled for March 3-6, 2026 with many members of the BVFD, town staff and the Fire Commission. I will have the schedule to distribute in the next few days.
- Budgets: There have been no changes in the budget process from our last meeting.
- Training: One member Josh Sawtelle has passed his Firefighter 1 class.
- One member is in an EMT class in Lebanon.
- One of our members has taken it on himself to enter the Recruit Class at the Windsor Locks Fire Academy, with expectations of finishing the class with a job in a career department.

### **FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT**

#### **Activities:**

- CRFMA meeting Windsor
- Complaint investigation Valero – propane heater in store
- Training class with Building Official and the Bolton Fire Department
- Senior Knox Box duties 3 available
- Call back investigation – EV pickup truck fire – Hop River Road

#### **Inspections since last meeting:**

- 890 Boston Turnpike - 4 inspections. Health Department notification.
- 10, 12, 14 Carpenter Road Apartments – more inspections required
- 1 Burn Permit
- 108 Notch Road post deconstruction Inspection with building official

DEPUTY FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT – None

OLD BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS – None

Next meeting scheduled for Monday, March 23, 2026.

ADJOURNMENT – Motion to adjourn at 7:12 pm (DM/EM) VU

Respectfully submitted,

*Janet K. Assard*

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Board Clerk

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