

BALDWIN FIRE DEPARTMENT OFFICER NOMINATION MEETING

April 3, 2023



Meeting called to order at 19:29, by Station 3 Captain Howard Burnell.

| □Bruce Crawford | Steve Sanders | ⊠Keith Stackhouse | Steve McKenney |
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| ⊠Cheryl Stackhouse | ⊠Howard Burnell | Chad Nason | ⊠Tom Caron |
| ⊠Zach Caron | ⊠Zach Franklin | Steve Thorne | □Kyle Estes |
| □Patrick Mazzillo | □Eric Flink | □Steve Moody | ⊠Mike Willette |
| Kevin Crawford | ⊠Josh Guptill | ⊠Chris Harrington | |

Purpose: Vote for recommendations for Town of Baldwin Fire Department officers to be forwarded to selectmen for approval and appointment.

- Interim Town Fire Chief Howard Burnell called the meeting to order at 19:00.
- March 2023 meeting minutes read and accepted.
- Special Emergency Meeting minutes from March 30th were read and accepted.
- Extrication equipment was successfully inspected on April 1st.
- Fail Safe is prepared to do hose and ladder testing on Friday, April 7th at the Baldwin Community Center. Several members volunteered to help with moving trucks and water supply. Voted to go ahead with testing.
- Completed initial assessment of town dry hydrants (serviceability, location, photograph, etc.).
 - Weeman Road hydrant is out of service. Need to repair/replace parts.
 - Quaker brook is bagged out of service. Shift in river bed has buried end of pipe, Need to extend with additional piping.
- Conducted initial nomination process.

| Position | Nominations | |
|-----------------------|-------------|----------|
| Town Fire Chief | Steve S. | Josh G. |
| Town Asst. Fire Chief | Chris H. | |
| Captain Station 1 | Kyle E. | |
| Captain Station 2 | Steve T. | Kevin C. |
| Captain Station 3 | Howard B. | |

• Conducted second round of voting for chief with Steve Sanders receiving the most votes. Voice vote to let stand Steve T. receiving the most votes during nomination for Captain Station 2. The following is final recommendation to be brought to the selectmen for approval and appointment.

| Position | Recommended |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| Town Fire Chief | Steve Sanders |
| Town Asst. Fire Chief | Chris Harrington |
| Captain Station 1 | Kyle Estes |
| Captain Station 2 | Steve Thorne |
| Captain Station 3 | Howard Burnell |

• Voted to keep the scheduled April 24th meeting Motion to adjourn 18:30.

Next meeting is scheduled for April 24th, 2023, 19:00 at Baldwin Community Center.