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# SALEM LAKES FIRE COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES Monday, May 23, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. SALEM LAKES VILLAGE HALL 9814 Antioch Road, Salem, WI 53168

## CALL TO ORDER ROLL CALL

Chairman Tom Strachan called this Fire Commission Meeting to order at 5:31 p.m. with the following present: Commissioners Tom Strachan, Shirley Boening, Chris Dreyer, Allen Dunski and Allen Thennes via conference call. Staff Present: Fire Chief Lejcar, Battalion Chief Murdock, Village Board Member Mike Culat, and FC Clerk Terry Bluemel.

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Chairman Tom Strachan led the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### **CITIZEN COMMENTS**

None

**Retired, Chairman Mike Blodgett and Village Trustees** asked Tom Strachan to take the opening position for Fire Commission Chairman. Tom Strachan announced the two new commissioner openings. He welcomed Chris Dreyer and Allen Thennes.

**Motion** by Commissioner Boening, second by Commissioner Dreyer for approval of past minutes for April 25, 2022. **UNANIMOUS VOTE-AYE MOTION CARRIED** 

Chief Jim Lejcar decided to have an open session and not a close session for full-time Firefighter/EMT. The Union supported the department on hiring three (3) full-time openings for Firefighter/EMT position and three (3) full-time Firefighter/Paramedic. Chris Dreyer asked if the hiring was within our fire department. Chief Lejcar told him yes, three within and two outside our department.

**Battalion Chief Mike Murdock** addressed the new Fire Commission Board members welcoming them and thanking them for what they do. He also thanked Lieutenant Mike Keske for his presence at the meeting.

### **ADJOURNEMENT**

**Motion** by Commissioner Chris Dreyer, second by Commissioner Boening to adjourn this Fire Commission Meeting at 5:37 p.m.

UNANIMOUS VOTE-AYE MOTION CARRIED

Minutes prepared by:

Terry Bluemel

Terry Bluemel, Fire Commission Clerk