

**West Dover Fire Department
Officer's Meeting
October 26, 2015**

Officers Present: Richard Werner, John Snow, Mickey Kersten

Also present: Recording Secretary Jeannette Eckert & Tim Dolan from Mt Snow

The regular meeting was called to order at 5:10pm

Staff:

- Dale Capen requested a letter of reference—moving out of the area

Equipment:

- Hose testing by Fail Safe—Mickey will go over
- Service air packs—need new batteries
- Cascade system –Dana feels we could get away with a booster
 - Getting prices on a compressor and a booster
 - Association meeting on Thursday—hopefully we have numbers by then
 - Keep an eye on the pressure switch adjustment on the compressor
- Men's room toilet may need attention; change filters; water softener; check on constant running

Budget items:

- Make a list of needs and wants
- Rich plans to discuss Capital budgets with Marco & Select Board—possible “emergency truck fund”

Training/ Drills:

- Nov 18th fireworks drill at Mt Snow—will show us what to do, what to look out for
 - If work road is open, then will drive up
 - If mountain is open and there is snow, then photos of the area will do, fireworks will be done in the parking lot
 - Will invite Wilmington to drill with Dover
- Emergency Plan for the school—meeting at 11:00 on Tuesday, set up training in April; try to get school radios--old police radios going to school; teachers will have portables

Fireworks permits for Mt Snow:

- 11/28—Saturday, will need Santa on that date—Mickey has volunteered
- 12/31—Thursday night
- 1/17—Sunday of Martin Luther King weekend
- 2/17—Wednesday of President's week

On a motion by Mickey Kersten, seconded by John Snow, the officers unanimously approved the fireworks permits for the above dates

Meeting adjourned at 6:15pm

❖ **Next meeting on November 9th at 5pm**

Respectfully submitted by Jeannette Eckert, Recording Secretary

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