

RUMNEY FIRE COMMISSIONERS  
MEETING MINUTES  
JULY 16, 2018

Present: Cam Brown, Terry French, Tim Lewis  
Chief David Coursey  
Secretary: Diana Kindell

The meeting was called to discuss 2 School Street and the Chief's authority with the correction of violations.

The Chief explained the tenants were to move out last Saturday. Their new apartment did not come through and they are presently looking to move in to an apartment on Marie Drive. Joe (Administrative Assistant) has given them information regarding homeless housing in Plymouth. They have to be out by the 18<sup>th</sup> of this month.

Dan Bishop has stated he wants to bring the house up to code for commercial use. Mike Matthy, NH Fire Marshall, inspected the house on July 12<sup>th</sup> with the Chief and added improvements necessary if this is going to be a commercial property – including fire proofing stair ways, exit signs and lights, and the smoke/carbon monoxide detectors in each unit. There will be another inspection in a couple of weeks.

The Chief wants to interconnect all the smoke/carbon monoxide detectors which the state does not require. To request "stiffer" regulations than the state has he needs the Commissioners authority. The Chief feels the occupants of all three (3) floors should be aware of a problem whether in the basement or other level of the building allowing swift evacuation of the building.

Cam questioned how far with Chief would go in enacting stiffer regulations. They discussed possible extinguishers where not required by the state, but nothing extreme.

Cam made a motion to extend authority to the Chief to expand or extend state regulations to a stiffer requirement as needed at 2 School Street. Terry seconded the motion and all agreed.

New England Fellowships Tabernacle was also inspected on the July 12<sup>th</sup>. There will be a concert there on August 3<sup>rd</sup>. The building has many violations that cannot be corrected prior to the concert. A fire watch will take place. Detail monies were discussed for the firefighters and/or trucks as needed. After discussion Cam made a motion to charge \$35.00/hour for a firefighter only with \$20.00 going to the firefighter. An administrative fee of \$15.00 will also be charged. Terry seconded this motion and all agreed.

There will be research done on truck charges to be discussed further at the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Diana Kindell  
Secretary