

Capital Fire Mutual Aid
Meeting minutes
Barre
Date 3-20-2024

District meetings **towns attending district meetings underlined** **Meeting Held** **Y** **N**

District 1 Berlin, Middlesex, Montpelier, Northfield, Roxbury X
District 2 Bolton, Moretown, Stowe, Waitsfield, Warren, Waterbury X
District 3 Cabot, East Montpelier, Marshfield, Plainfield, Walden, Woodbury, Worcester X
District 5 Groton, Peacham, Ryegate, Topsham ?
District 6 Barre City, Barre Town, Chelsea, X

Meeting Attendance

town	Y	N	Town	Y	N	town	Y	N	town	Y	N
Barre city	x		Groton		x	Plainfield		x	Warren	x	
Barre town	x		Marshfield	x		Roxbury	x		Washington	x	
Berlin	x		Middlesex		x	Ryegate		x	Walden		x
Bolton		x	Montpelier		x	Stowe		x	Waterbury	x	
Cabot	x		Moretown	x		Topsham		x	Williamstown		x
Chelsea		x	Northfield	x		Waitsfield		x	Woodbury	x	
East Montpelier	x		Peacham		x				Worcester		x

Meeting to order 7:08 PM

- **public comments** none noted
- **Also Attending** David Rubalcaba, Nick Benision, Keith Cushman, Sally Billa, Greg Hayden
- **Presenter**
 - Chief McLuaghlin Vermont Hazmat team
 - Presented the organization along with capabilities
 - In 2023 responded to 235 calls, extremely busy year and typical year is 50-60 calls.
 - Reviewed, presented the Propane Incident in Irasburg. Very impressive coordination with many supporting agencies during the incident.
- **Review of the published Ajenda**
 - **Agenda reviewed OK**
- **Meeting minutes** – Don Randall
 - Minutes no comments noted. M Warren S Marshfield All OK
- **Treasurers report-** Scott Bagg
 - Report published M Woodbury S Waterbury All OK
 - ??? should there be an assistant treasurer ???
 - Accountant to review CFMA financials in May
- **District reports**
 - District 1 Nothing Noted
 - District 2 “ “
 - District 3 “ “
 - District 5 “ “
 - District 6 “ “

Committees

- Administrative Don Randall
 - nothing noted
- Communications Paul Cerutti/ Joe Aldsworth
 - No communication meetings
 - Continuing to investigate funding for the Simulcast system. Looking into Federal Funding??
 - Investigating adding generators to towers motion requested to move forward M Moretown S Warren All OK
- Services – Wayne
 - Nothing noted
- Training
 - East Montpelier emialed 28 applicants for FF1 to Fire Acadamey 12 more to come after firest email.
 - Berlin would like to host a PADO class (do I have the acronim right?)
 - Skip/Will investigate Hybrid FF1 training offers from the Fire Acadamey????
- Inspections (left from last minutes)
 - Nothing new noted.

VSFA update

- Nothing noted

Coalition of Fire Rescue (update)

- Skip said there was a meet and greet meeting with the Legislature on 3/19/24

New/Old Busines

- **NEW OSHA regulations coming ???**
 - **See the emal from Jeff Campbell on 3/20/2024**

Meeting Adjourn 9:05 PM M Moretown S Woodbury