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Board of Commissioners
Rexford Fire District
May 11, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 p.m. and began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present from the District: R. Cote, L. Gates, M. Trombley, G. Pellerin, P. Krawiecki, L. Van Schaick

Company: A. Cote

Minutes:

The minutes of the regular monthly meeting of 4/3/25 were approved on a motion by M. Trombley/L. Gates and a roll call vote took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates – yes, M. Trombley – yes, G. Pellerin – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Treasurers Report:

The Treasurer's Report for 4/1 - 4/30/26 was approved on a motion by P. Krawiecki/G. Pellerin and a roll call took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates – yes, M. Trombley – yes, G. Pellerin – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Approval was given to pay the list of verified bills on a motion by L. Gates/P. Krawiecki and a roll call took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates – yes, M. Trombley – yes, G. Pellerin – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Communications:

Information was received concerning the following:

The completed audit was received from our auditor, Bryans & Gramuglia.

NYS Insurance Fund information was received for posting.

Beyond Sirens training information was received from Penflex.

A letter was received from the company president on the $1,200 LOSAP entitlement payment to firefighters.

A letter was received from the company president stating there will be no activities requiring use of the building during the month of May.

Chief's Report:

There were 14 alarms in April (4 medical and 10 fire/rescue) with 50 alarms (11 medical and 39 fire rescue) YTD.

A. Cote thanked the Board for their gift.

There was a structure fire on Meadow Road in Rexford which brought wires down across the road.

Niskayuna FD requested mutual aid from Rexford twice last month.

The air ejects need to be replaced on one of the trucks.

Rexford will be training with Burnt Hills Station 2 on 5/16 and going to the fire tower with Burnt Hills on 5/18.

A. Cote, C.J. Schimikowski and J. Gaffney will be at the Lake Placid conference 5/14 – 5/17.

Board Member Reports: .

L. Gates:

L. Gates discussed replacing the brush truck, an item that was previously tabled. The cost of this truck is $159,000 with the current mileage of 998 miles.

M. Trombley:

M. Trombley received a contract for generator service and battery replacement from Milton Cat in the amount of $8,381.94. Approval was given on a motion by L. Gates/M. Trombley to purchase the service contract for the approximate cost of $8381.94.

M. Trombley gave P. Krawiecki LOSAP information.

G. Pellerin:

Nothing to report.

P. Krawiecki:

Nothing to report.

L. Van Schaick:

Nothing to report.

R. Cote:

R. Cote submitted $1,325 to be deposited in the general fund savings account for rental of the community room.

The previously approved tables for the community room will ship on May 16th.

Ten wooden tables need to be surplused. Approval to surplus the tables was given on a motion by L. Gates/P. Krawiecki. A roll call vote took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates – yes, M. Trombley – yes, G. Pellerin – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Approval was given on a motion by L. Gates/P. Krawiecki to adjourn at 7:47 p.m. A roll call vote took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates – yes, M. Trombley – yes, G. Pellerin – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Van Schaick
Secretary