Board of Commissioners
Rexford Fire District
August 10, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. and began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

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

Absent: G. Pellerin

Company: A. Cote

Minutes:

The minutes of the regular monthly meeting of 7/13/25 were approved with corrections on a motion by L. Gates/P. Krawiecki and a roll call vote took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates - yes, M. Trombley – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Treasurers Report:

The Treasurer's Report for 7/1 - 7/31/26 was approved on a motion by P. Krawiecki/ M. Trombley/ and a roll call vote took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates - yes, M. Trombley – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Approval was given to pay the list of verified bills 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, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Communications:

Information was received concerning the following:

A copy of a check that was deposited in 1st National Bank savings for rental of the community room was returned from the bank for insufficient funds.

NYS Insurance Fund items for posting.

A letter from A. Craver stating there will be no activities requiring building usage during July and August. He also stated the company has reserved August 8th for the boat ride on Lake George.

Chief's Report:

There were 14 alarms in July (8 medical and 6 fire rescue) with 103 alarms (35 medical and 68 fire rescue) YTD.

Veronica completed BEFO/IFO and survival training.

James Russ completed Fire Police training.

The bi-yearly battery changes have been completed on the air packs.

The overhead door in the truck bay has been repaired and A. Cote requested a quote on new door openers.

Vander Molen is no longer servicing hydraulic tools. A. Cote requested a quote from Colden Fire & Rescue.

The gear on 51-1 needs replacing. The approximate cost for the repair is $1,700.

Sue at Ballston Lake Ambulance will conduct EMT training remotely beginning 9/14 through 12/2 then complete the State final exam. Veronica will be taking the training for the cost of $700

and Tom will take the training for the cost of $350. Approval was given on a motion by L. Gates/P. Krawiecki for Veronica and Tom to complete the training and a roll call vote took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates - yes, M. Trombley – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Approval was given on a motion by P. Krawiecki/M. Trombley to make the necessary repair to 51-1 and a roll call vote took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates - no, M. Trombley – yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Board Member Reports:

L. Gates:

L. Gates will check prices for diesel fuel.

M. Trombley:

Nothing to report.

P. Krawiecki:

Nothing to report.

L. Van Schaick:

L. Van Schaick will publish the necessary budget information in the newspaper.

R. Cote: information

R. Cote submitted $775 to be deposited in the general fund savings account for rental of the community room.

The sprinkler system and backflow tests have been completed and passed. The 5-year test of the sprinkler system will be coming up next.

The hood inspection and flint changes have been completed.

We will have a budget workshop at 5 p.m. on September 14th before our regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m.

Approval was given on a motion by L. Gates/P. Krawiecki to adjourn the meeting at 8:16 p.m. A roll call vote took place as follows: R. Cote – yes, L. Gates – yes, M. Trombley – yes, yes, P. Krawiecki – yes.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Van Schaick
Secretary