

CITY OF LOCKPORT
BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MEETING – OFFICIAL RECORD

Site: M-24

January 6th, 2026 – 4:00pm

Present: Chief Quagliano, Denise Michel, Michael Tucker, Andrew Nemi, James Scapelitti, Tim Loucks, Josh Wolck, Rob Haley, David Blackley, Emily Stoddard and Jon Wiley (arrived at 5:00pm)

Absent: NA

Call to Order: Comm. Michel called the meeting to order at 3:53pm pm.

Comm. Michel led the Board in the pledge.

Approval of minutes:

Motion made by Commissioner Tucker to approve the minutes from 12/3/2025 and seconded by Commissioner Nemi. Ayes 3.

A motion was made by Commissioner Nemi to table elections until the next Fire Board meeting 2/3 due to attendance. Seconded by Michael Tucker. Ayes 3.

New Business:

LFD had an unexpected resignation via lateral transfer on December 26th, causing one immediate vacancy.

A retirement is expected at the end of February and another at the end of June.

Motion was made by Commissioner Nemi; to extend the time Firefighter Mark Davis has to complete a paramedic refresher program and obtain his NYS Certification, not to exceed May 31, 2026. Seconded by Commissioner Tucker. Ayes 3.

Motion was made at 3:55pm by Commissioner Tucker; to go into Executive Session to conduct interviews. Seconded by Commissioner Nemi. Ayes 3.

Interviews

At 6:27pm Commissioner Nemi made a motion to exit executive session. Seconded by Commissioner Tucker. Ayes 4.

A motion was made by Commissioner Tucker; to extend an employment opportunity to Samuel Mozillo with a start date of January 26th as well as Dennis McCarthy contingent upon an anticipated February 26th retirement.

Motion seconded by Commissioner Nemi. Ayes 4.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn at 6:29pm made by Commissioner Tucker. Seconded by Commissioner Nemi. Ayes 4.

The next regular meeting of the Fire Board will be on Tuesday February 3rd at 4:00pm, (subject to change).

Respectfully,
Emily Stoddard
City Clerk

CC: Fire Board, Chief Quagliano, Mayor Lombardi, Common Council and Corporation Counsel