

**May 11, 2015 Town of Peshtigo Fire Commission**

Chairman Lou Ann Seils called the meeting of the Town of Peshtigo Fire Commission to order at 6:00 p.m. and roll call was taken.

Present: Grace Pennings, Lou Ann Seils and Don Wahl, Russ Bauer

Absent: Alex Dudka

Also attending: Mike Folgert.

A motion was made by Pennings and seconded by Wahl to approve the agenda as printed. The motion carried with all in favor.

A motion was made by Pennings and seconded by Wahl to approve the minutes of the Dec 15, 2015 meeting. The motion carried with all in favor.

There was no old business to discuss.

A motion was made by Bauer and seconded by Wahl to Appoint Lou Ann Seils as Chairperson. A motion was made by Pennings and seconded by Wahl to appoint Bauer as Vice Chairperson.

Chief Mike Folgert discussed the importance of recruiting new Fire Fighters to the Town. The roster is the lowest it has been in over 25 years. Volunteers are needed all over the nation/US, and what can we do to get some in. Our policy states we need people with no felony record, valid driver license and to live within 2 miles of the towns limits, 18 years old.

Chief Mike Folgert plans to update the Fire Department Long Range Plan by March of 2016. Copies of the 2011 plan were distributed for review. Members were asked to provide input.

No meeting is scheduled at this time, Estimating October prior to town budget meeting.

A motion was made by Bauer and seconded by Pennings to adjourn the meeting at 6:40 p.m. The motion carried with all in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Nikkee Dionne, Deputy Clerk