

## **November 20, 2025 Special Meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners**

### **District #3 in the Township of Hanover**

### **County of Morris, Cedar Knolls, New Jersey**

The special meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. on November 20, 2025 in accordance with the Public Meeting Act of 1975, Chapter 231. The Board observed a moment of silence for all those who have given their lives in service of their communities and nation.

**ATTENDANCE:** Commissioners Michael Dugan Sr., Thomas Harrington, and Gary Keyser were present. Commissioners Mary Lou DeSimone and Robert Gallagher were absent.

Administrator Hark Jr. was also in attendance.

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF THE SPECIAL MEETING:** *This Special Meeting is being held to allow the legal voters of Fire District No. 3 the opportunity to approve or disapprove the ballot containing questions as to the allocation of capital funds in the 2026 budget.*

**MOTION TO OPEN POLLS:** Commissioner Dugan Sr. made a motion to open the polls, seconded by Commissioner Harrington. All were in favor. Commissioners DeSimone and Gallagher were absent.

The polls were opened at 6:01 P.M.

Commissioner Gallagher joined the meeting at 6:56 P.M.

Commissioner DeSimone joined the meeting at 7:00 P.M.

**MOTION TO CLOSE THE POLLS:** Commissioner DeSimone made a motion to close the polls, seconded by Commissioner Gallagher. All were in favor.

The polls were closed at 9:01 P.M.

**RESULTS OF VOTING:** Commissioner Harrington counted the votes and reported the results.

Question 1: \$65,000 for a Command Vehicle is approved.

Question 2: \$25,000 for Personal Protection Equipment is approved.

Question 3: \$25,000 for an automated chest compressor is approved.

Question 4: \$20,000 for a purchase order system is approved.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Commissioner Gallagher made a motion to adjourn the special meeting, seconded by Commissioner Dugan Sr. All were in favor.

The special meeting was adjourned at 9:12 P.M.

Respectfully submitted by

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Robert Gallagher, Secretary