

**ABRIDGED REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
NEW JERSEY STATE FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION
WALL TOWNSHIP, NEW JERSEY
NOVEMBER 18, 2023**

The meeting was called to order by President Ordway at 9am in accordance with the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act. He stated that notice of this meeting was posted on the New Jersey State Firemen's Association website as required, pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act (Chapter 231, P.L. 1975). The fire exits were pointed out.

Vice President Hankins led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

A moment of silence was observed for our past members.

OATH OF OFFICE:

Counsel Cavallo swore in the Officers and Executive Committee for their current term.

ROLL CALL:

First Assistant Secretary Brian Martone announced that all members were present except for Executive Committeemen Naylis, Mazzarella, Walker and Florio, who were excused. Also present were Past Secretary Sanford Weinberg. President Ordway recognized past Warren County Executive Committeeman Mellert.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Abridged Minutes and Verbatim Minutes of the September 14, 2023, Executive Committee meeting were approved as distributed on a motion by Executive Committeeman Fazekas, seconded by Executive Committeeman Kurdyla. **Motion Carried** 17-0.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Per Secretary Pelaia, there were no additional communications.

LIFE MEMBERS:

Secretary Pelaia reported that 347 members achieved Life Membership this year. A motion was made by Executive Committeeman Scheuer, seconded by Executive Committeeman Otterbein, to grant Life Membership to all members who attained it at this year's convention. **Motion Carried** 17-0. A list of those members is in the packet and attached to these minutes.

OFFICERS REPORTS:

Vice President Hankins: He asked all executives who have not submitted the date and place of their 2024 caucus to submit them to him ASAP. President Ordway reminded the executives that locations and workshops must be held in a facility that is ADA compliant.

Secretary Pelaia: He had no written report but reported the following:

1) There will be two resolutions to be voted on under New Business regarding the 2024 Convention. Both are the standard resolutions approved each year to have the associations elect delegates and an exempt delegate to the convention.

2) Certificates and pins for the 347 Life Members approved this morning will be sent to the association secretaries within the next week.

3) The Active Membership Reports and the Financial Standing Reports must be completed and finalized online, printed out, signed and either mailed, emailed, or faxed to us by the due date. Instructions for these reports are on our website under the Forms Tab.

4) Officer Listings (due February 1) and Report of Delegates and Alternates elected (due May 1) will also be done online, as they were last year.

5) Anyone needing help with reports or other matters should feel free to contact us here in the office.

First Assistant Secretary Martone: He stated that he has several updates to the Secretary Manual and will place the update online shortly. He is also working to update the Treasurer Manual with Treasurer Mullen and that should be online shortly. He is also going to put together a manual for Trustees, which should be online shortly.

Second Assistant Secretary Dreby: The 2023 Memorial Service video has been received. The video company will be putting it online shortly on the website's home page, under the Annual Memorial Services tab. He said that he is copying the county executive when he notifies the local treasurers that he needs more information with the bank statements.

Treasurer Mullen:

- 1) The 2022 audit is complete. It will be distributed as soon as we receive it,
- 2) He continues to work on having the IRS penalties dismissed for the associations that received them. Most of these penalties were issued because the association filed manually instead of online.
- 3) He continues working with Intuit and the bank regarding direct deposit for the employees and executives.

Field Examiner Hollingsworth: Her report is in your packet. Additionally:

- 1) There is a list of associations that need to be put under review due to errors on their Relief applications.
- 2) She has received some of the dates for the 2024 Field Exams. She still has not received dates from some of the counties that have Field Exams in 2024. She requests those county executives to forward her the dates and places as soon as possible.

3) The Annual Financial Standing Report online entry for 2023 will be available online in December. She noted that this year the total amount that an association can spend on administrative expenses is located under line 30 on the disbursements page.

Counsel Cavallo: No report.

Assistant Counsel Morris: No report.

President Ordway:

1) The State Office will be closed November 23 & 24 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. The State Office will be closed starting Monday, December 25 for the winter break and will reopen Tuesday, January 2. We will also be closed on Monday January 15 and Monday, February 19.

2) Applications for Special Relief & Supplemental Relief need to be received in the NJSFA State Office by Friday, December 1 for them to be processed for this calendar year. He reminded everyone that Local Relief granted for 2023 must be paid by December 31.

3).Reports due:

a) Fourth Quarter Relief Paid Report is available online and must be submitted/finalized by January 30. Once the 4th Quarter Relief Report is finalized, you will be able to import relief for the year 2023 to your Financial Standing Report.

b) Officer Listings must be completed and finalized online and submitted no later than February 1, 2024. The Officer Listing report will be open on the website starting November 27, **REMEMBER:** The compendium states that officer elections are to be held in December.

c) The Financial Standing Report must be done online, printed out, needed signatures affixed along with support documents and submitted to the State Office by February 20, 2024. It can be mailed, faxed, or emailed to LocalReports@njsfa.com. Remember, if mailed, get a tracking number.

d) The Convention Delegates selection report must be done online. It is submitted to us when you finalize it. This year, the Relief and Exempt Delegates and Alternates will be on one entry screen. If our records show that you have an Exempt Association, it will appear on the entry screen. If you do not have an Exempt Association, the Exempt Delegate will not show on the screen. You cannot put one individual in multiple spots. The entry screen will open on the website on November 27, and the report will be due by May 1, 2024.

e) The Active Membership Report will open online on December 23. This will be so that we can get new applicants into the system, before formatting the report. Once the report is formatted by our office, we cannot add anyone to the report or move anyone to a different association. After finalizing the reports it must be printed out and signatures affixed and sent in no later than February 28. It can be mailed, faxed or emailed to LocalReports@njsfa.com. Remember, if mailed, get a tracking number. **REMINDER:** After we receive the Active Membership Reports, we will be running a report on who is not qualified and has had zero(0) percent qualifying time for the last five consecutive years. Local association officers will be notified that those individuals will be removed from the roster and will no longer be eligible for benefits. They will have a chance to explain why someone should be kept on, i.e., military leave.

f) Any local officer who has an issue entering data on any reports should notify our office immediately. Sometimes errors are made in the programming. and if that is the case, other Associations will probably have the same issue. If we are notified early enough we can have the problem fixed.

g) The 2024 Convention will again be a two-day convention and will be held on September 13-14,2024

h) He asked if any of the Executives do not want a tablet. Once the tablets are received. Executives will receive a NJSFA email address, and all items and reports will be sent to that email address and not their personal email address.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

ADVISORY/SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTAL COMMITTEE: Executive Committeeman Walker was absent. Field Examiner Hollingsworth said that he has requested that the report for Special and Supplemental Relief include the amount paid and the Association. She said she has prepared this report and is in the packets.

COMPENDIUM COMMITTEE: Executive Committeeman Roemmich reported that he will be having a meeting after the first of the year,

DELEGATE AND LIFE MEMBER COMMITTEE: Mr. Florio was absent and informed President Ordway that he will have a meeting prior to the February Meeting.

FINANCE COMMITTEE: The Finance Committee report has been submitted and is attached to the minutes.

HEALTH CARE ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE: The report has been submitted and included in the packets.

FIREMEN'S HOME COMMITTEE: Chairman Otterbein reported that there are 2 items in the packet. The first one being a letter dated October 30 regarding the October 24th meeting of the Liaison Committees which was cancelled. In speaking with the Chairman of the Home Managers, Mr. Washer, the NJSFA Executive Committee and the Board of Managers are in contact regularly and there is no reason to have a Liaison Committee Meeting currently. The second item is that there are 3 Abridged Minutes from the past meetings of the Firemen's Home Managers.

INVESTMENT COMMITTEE: No report.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE: Chairman Martone said that his report is in the packet. He also reported that he attended the State League of Municipalities Convention. He is trying to hook up with the other State Organizations to share ideas and current Legislation There are 2 Bills that are on our watch list that are sitting on the Governors desk.

LONG RANGE PLANNING COMMITTEE: No Report

PENSION COMMITTEE: Treasurer Mullen stated that the committee met prior to the meeting and discussed issues regarding two former Executive Committeemen, which were resolved.

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE: No report.

SALARY COMMITTEE: No report.

FIRE SAFETY COMMISSION: Chairman Naylis was absent. President Ordway stated that the Fire Commission will be meeting here in our office for their quarterly meetings in January and May 2024.

APPLICATIONS: None

OLD BUSINESS: A motion was made by Executive Committeeman Kurdyla, seconded by Executive Committeeman Lane, to remove Warren Township from Oversight. **PASSED 17-0.**

EXECUTIVE SESSION: None

NEW BUSINESS:

1) A motion was made by Executive Committeeman Otterbein, seconded by Executive Committeeman Kurdyla, to have the Secretary cast one ballot for the election of Executive Committeeman John Lane as Chairman of the Executive Committee. **Passed 17-0.**

2) A motion was made by Executive Committeeman Lenarski, seconded by Executive Committeeman Scheuer, to have the Secretary cast one ballot for the election of Executive Committeeman Robert Kelly as Secretary of the Executive Committee. **Passed 17-0.**

3) A motion was made by Executive Committeeman Phillips, seconded by Executive Committeeman Kelly, to accept Resolutions 1 and 2, which call for associations to elect delegates and alternates to the convention and Exempt Associations to elect a delegate and alternate, to the 2024 convention. **Passed 17-0.**

4) A motion was made by Executive Committeeman Lane, seconded by Executive Committeeman Scheuer, to approve the meeting schedule for 2024. **Passed 17-0.**

5) President Ordway reported that the Advisory Committee recommended that four qualified members be removed from the rolls of the New Jersey State Firemen's Association per the Compendium Section XI Section 1. Motions were made and seconded to remove three qualified members from their associations for Moral Turpitude and one qualified member from his association for theft. **All Passed 17-0.**

6) President Ordway reported that he will have a complete report on subsidy prior to the February Executive Committee meeting, to be reviewed by the Executive Committee.

7) President Ordway reported that he will have a report and recommendation on or before the February Executive Committee meeting on the insurance money received that is held back by the State Association.

8) President Ordway stated that there is a list of 17 associations who need to be placed on review due to errors and omissions on their Relief Applications. This is strictly to have their Executive Committee person review their applications so the errors will be corrected going forward. He emphasized that this is not a punishment. A motion was made by Executive Committee Scheuer, seconded by Executive Committeeman Kurdyla. **Passed 17-0.**

9) Field Examiner Hollingsworth mentioned that there is a list of associations who have not submitted bank statements. She mentioned that we are receiving many more bank statements than before and asked the executives to follow up on the associations who have not submitted them.

10) Executive Committeeman Spiegel mentioned that former Committeeman Mellert has done research on all of our past Executive Committee members. He asked if the list of past members of the Executive Committee can be placed on our website. President Ordway responded that it can and will be done. Committeeman Spiegel then asked if we have an employee who assists in processing the Health Care applications. President Ordway said yes, and she also handles the Relief applications that the office receives.

11) Executive Committeeman Handlin suggested that we have the Compendium Committee review the salaries paid through the administrative expenses for local officers. He suggested that they consider a possible laddering of the salaries based on the local's administrative expenses. Compendium Chairman Roemmich responded that it will be addressed by the Compendium Committee at their next meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

President Ordway opened the meeting to public comment and asked First Assistant Secretary Martone to read the following: The New Jersey State Firemen's Association welcomes comments from the members of the audience. He further stated that the secretary will note all comments and because of this, he asked anyone speaking to state their name and address before speaking and to keep their comments to a three-minute time limit. Concerns stated or actions requested by the public will be taken under advisement by the Executive Committee for investigation, discussion, and possible action or disposition at a later date.

- 1) Former Warren County Executive Committeeman Mellert thanked all the officers and executives who attended his caucus this year. It was an honor to have them attend his final caucus and wish him well on his retirement. He thanked President Ordway for recognizing him at the Convention. He mentioned that he was disappointed with the Resolution Committee regarding Resolution #6, regarding adding siblings to the individuals eligible to receive the Burial Benefit. He stated that the Burial Benefit for the individual in question was paid to the funeral home and the Resolution Committee should have addressed this in their recommendation.
- 2) Michael Cleary, Jersey City, inquired about how we list our bonds in our financial reports. There was some discussion that they be listed as Fair Market Value. President Ordway and Treasurer Mullen responded that they will be listed as such in the future.

There were no further public comments.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

- 1) President Ordway thanked all officers and the Executive Committee for their participation today. We got a lot accomplished. He then reminded everyone that the next Executive Committee meeting will be Saturday February 24, 2024, at 9am. He further mentioned that we have not had an officers meeting during the past month due to people being in and out of the office during this period. He then stated that he assumed that the Present Officers will be running for office again. He said he is mentioning that so that people who may be considering running are aware of this.
- 2) Executive Committeeman Lane thanked the executives for their confidence in him and Executive Committeemen Kelly for their support in electing them Chairman and Secretary of the Executive Committee.
- 3) Executive Committeeman Kelly thanked everyone for their cards and well wishes after his current accident and injuries.

With no other business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 9:56am.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas J. Pelaia, Secretary

NEW JERSEY STATE FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION

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PRES ABS

ROBERT F. ORDWAY	PRESIDENT	X								
JOSEPH T. HANKINS	VICE PRESIDENT	X								
THOMAS J. PELAIA	SECRETARY	X								
BRIAN E. MARTONE	1ST ASS'T SECY	X								
RICHARD K. DREBY	2ND ASS'T SECY	X								
EDWARD R. MULLEN	TREASURER	X								
JENNIE HOLLINGSWORTH	FIELD EXAMINER	X								
FRANK P. CAVALLO, JR.	COUNSEL	X								
GEORGE M. MORRIS	ASS'T COUNSEL	X								
					YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
CINDY L. BADGER	ATLANTIC	X								
GERARD J. NAYLIS	BERGEN	E	E							
STEPHEN C. FAZEKAS	BURLINGTON	X								
NORMAN F. FIGUEROA, JR.	CAMDEN	X								
DANIEL F. SPEIGEL	CAPE MAY	X								
JAMES F. REEVES	CUMBERLAND	X								
RICHARD C. OTTERBEIN	ESSEX	X								
GLENN D. ROEMMICH	GLOUCESTER	X								
LAWERENCE J. HANDLIN	HUDSON	X								
JOHN R. PHILLIPS	HUNTERDON	X								
JOSEPH M. LENARSKI	MERCER	X								
ANDREW MAZZARELLA	MIDDLESEX	E	E							
ROBERT J. KELLY	MONMOUTH	X								
EUGENE T. MINELL	MORRIS	X								
JOSEPH JUBERT	OCEAN	X								
JOHN V. LANE	PASSAIC	X								
FRANCIS X. WALKER, JR.	SALEM	E	E							
ALLEN F. KURDYLA	SOMERSET	X								
DANIEL L. SCHEUER	SUSSEX	X								
NICHOLAS J. FLORIO	UNION	E	E							
JOSPEH MECSEY 3RD	WARREN	X								
TOTALS		26	4							

GUESTS: Past Secretary, Sanford Weinberg
 Past Executive Comm. Warren Co., Konard Mellert
 Daniel Dunn, Cape May Co Firemen's Home Manager
 Garrick Miller, Middlesex Co Firemen's Home Manager
 Gary Keyser, Morris Co Firemen's Home Manager
 Roger Hull, Ocean Co Firemen's Home Manager

William Smith, Past President NJ State Fire Chiefs
 Vincent Salvatore, Verona Relief Assoc.
 Nick Lombardi, Piscataway Relief Assoc.
 Artie Hayducka, Piscataway Relief Assoc.
 Michael Cleary, Jersey City Relief Assoc.
 Mark Bellesm Morris Plains Relief Assoc.

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ATLANTIC

JOSEPH E DROGO
KEITH J DORRIS
WILLIAM R MCFARLAND 2ND
RONALD J MASCOLA
JOHN M WARREN
THOMAS M KRESZ
TIMOTHY S WAINWRIGHT
ERIC R SHENKUS
KENNETH P CRAWFORD
DOMENICK J DIPIETRO JR
PATRICK T FOLEY
HEATHER A COLAO
BRENDAN J MCCALL

BOROUGH OF BUENA
BUENA VISTA
EGG HARBOR TWSP
HAMMONTON
HAMMONTON
LONGPORT
MARGATE CITY
NORTHFIELD
PLEASANTVILLE
PLEASANTVILLE
PLEASANTVILLE
SOMERS POINT
TWSP OF HAMILTON

BERGEN

MICHAEL T DILLON
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ANTONIO DAMICO
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TAMER ABDALLAH
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DAVID W HEBER
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JACOB T MAMO
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VICTORIA A KOVACS
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MATTHEW A JEFFERY
MATTHEW R LYNCH
SHANE P DALY
ANTHONY DIBLASIO
MICHAEL P LORTZ
MATTHEW LOMBARDI
JOSEPH M VARRECCHIA
MICHAEL A CUCCARESE
DAVID J PICCIALLO
MICHAEL R ROE
RAYMOND H HUTCHISON
ROBERT M OBRIEN
GERARD F SMITHSON
ROBERT P MOCKLER
FRANK J MORMINO JR
MICHAEL P CLEENPUT
RICHARD J BOSI
JOHN H SIGILLITO
MICHAEL H BRUNO
LIAM T RADBURN
JOSEPH DEFALCO
ANDREW VITALE

ALLENDALE
CARLSTADT
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CLOSTER
DUMONT
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DUMONT
EAST RUTHERFORD
EAST RUTHERFORD
EDGEWATER
ENGLEWOOD
FAIR LAWN
FAIR LAWN
FRANKLIN LAKES
GARFIELD
GARFIELD
HASBROUCK HGHTS
HILLSDALE
HO-HO-KUS
HO-HO-KUS
LITTLE FERRY
LODI
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LYNDHURST
MAHWAH
MAHWAH
MONTVALE
NEW MILFORD
NORTHVALE
OLD TAPPAN
ORADELL
PARAMUS
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SEAN L CUOGHI
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WOODCLIFF LAKE

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BEVERLY
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BURLINGTON TWSP
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COLUMBUS
EVESHAM TWSP
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FLORENCE
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MAPLE SHADE
MOORESTOWN
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LAUREL SPRINGS
LINDENWOLD
LINDENWOLD
OAKLYN
PENNSAUKEN TWSP
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STRATFORD
VOORHEES TWSP
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DANIEL M DUNN

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SCOTT C HALEY
GABRIEL R SCARPA

BRIDGETON
CEDARVILLE
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IRVINGTON
NEWARK
NORTH CALDWELL
NUTLEY
ROSELAND
WEST CALDWELL
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GLOUCESTER

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VICTOR TORINO
SCOTT T LAYOU
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CHARLES A TETREAULT 4TH
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CARL ENNIS
KEVIN C MEEKS
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THOMAS A PICKERING 2ND
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WALTER E TROUT

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MANTUA TWSP
MANTUA TWSP
MULLICA HILL
NATIONAL PARK
PITMAN
PITMAN
PITMAN
WENONAH
WENONAH
WEST DEPTFORD TWSP
WESTVILLE
WESTVILLE
WILLIAMSTOWN
WOODBURY

HUDSON

THOMAS J GRAHAM
FABIO A RUAS
DENNIS J HYDE
JOSEPH P MASTANDREA
FREDERICK S SCHNEIDER
ORLANDO TRUJILLO
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KEARNY
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UNION CITY
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SAMUEL P LEE
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READINGTON TWSP
READINGTON TWSP

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DUSTIN T COTTA
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ANDREW 1 SMITH
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AVON
BELMAR
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JOHN J GALLUZZI
DAVID S ALLAN
CURRAN F LUCKE
ANTHONY ROSARIO
ANTHONY G TAVAGLIONE
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NICHOLAS T KOLLMAN
PAUL CUGLIARI
DONALD Y ROBBINS 3RD
ALEX J MARTINEZ 2ND

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LACEY TWSP
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SEASIDE HGHTS
STAFFORD TWSP
STAFFORD TWSP
SURF CITY
TUCKERTON
TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN
TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN

PASSAIC

WILLIAM LAURITANO
STEVEN A KOCHIK
RICHARD G GENBERG JR
BRIAN PATMOS
JACOB B HRYWNIAK
GROVER C MOHRLE
JASON F ROETTGER
CHRISTOPHER J WHEELER
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RICHARD E POPLASKI
ANTHONY E FICARRA

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HALEDON
HAWTHORNE
PASSAIC
POMPTON LAKES
WANAQUE BORO
WANAQUE BORO
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WEST PATERSON

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DELAWARE PARK
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SECRETARY'S REPORT

November 18, 2023

In addition to the normal duties performed by the Secretary I report the following:

- 1) Along with our office staff, processed the Convention Attendance Reports, and notified all local secretaries of the same.
- 2) Along with our office staff we processed the new Life Member list for 2023 and are preparing the new Life Member certificates for mailing.
- 3) As per State Statute, notified the New Jersey State Office of Banking and Insurance of the election results from the Convention.
- 4) Began the process of preparing for year end and initializing reports for 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas J. Pelaia

Thomas J. Pelaia
Secretary

REPORT OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE
 TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
 QUARTER ENDING: SEPTEMBER, 30 2023

CHECKS ISSUED IN VARIOUS AMOUNTS

1 @	\$975.00	\$975.00
1 @	\$1,366.66	\$1,366.66
1 @	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
1 @	\$2,558.00	\$2,558.00
1 @	\$3,258.00	\$3,258.00
1 @	\$3,400.00	\$3,400.00
1 @	\$3,635.00	\$3,635.00
1 @	\$3,690.00	\$3,690.00
1 @	\$3,850.00	\$3,850.00
1 @	\$3,900.00	\$3,900.00
1 @	\$4,483.00	\$4,483.00
1 @	\$4,593.00	\$4,593.00
1 @	\$4,639.00	\$4,639.00
1 @	\$4,921.00	\$4,921.00
1 @	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
1 @	\$5,550.00	\$5,550.00
1 @	\$6,000.00	\$6,000.00
1 @	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00
1 @	\$7,079.00	\$7,079.00
1 @	\$7,200.00	\$7,200.00
1 @	\$7,361.00	\$7,361.00
1 @	\$7,400.00	\$7,400.00
1 @	\$7,517.00	\$7,517.00
1 @	\$8,300.00	\$8,300.00
1 @	\$8,365.00	\$8,365.00
1 @	\$8,700.00	\$8,700.00
1 @	\$8,742.00	\$8,742.00
1 @	\$9,000.00	\$9,000.00
1 @	\$9,300.00	\$9,300.00
1 @	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
1 @	\$10,500.00	\$10,500.00
2 @	\$10,750.00	\$21,500.00
1 @	\$11,492.00	\$11,492.00
7 @	\$11,500.00	\$80,500.00
177 @	\$12,000.00	\$2,124,000.00
2 @	\$24,000.00	\$48,000.00
2 @	\$36,000.00	\$72,000.00
		\$2,537,774.66

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 TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
 QUARTER ENDING: SEPTEMBER, 30 2023

CLAIMS FILED BETWEEN JULY 01, 2022 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 2022	249	
CLAIMS FILED BETWEEN JULY 01, 2023 AND SEPTEMBER 30, 2023	221	
CLAIMS PAID FOR PERIOD JULY 01, 2022 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2022	235	
CLAIMS PAID FOR PERIOD JULY 01, 2023 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2023	216	
CLAIMS PAID FOR PERIOD JULY 01, 2022 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2022	235	\$2,739,605.75
CLAIMS PAID FOR PERIOD JULY 01, 2023 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2023	216	\$2,525,774.66
1 - WIDOW	109	\$1,353,750.00
2 - DAUGHTER	45	\$470,961.00
3 - SON	30	\$327,451.66
4 - MOTHER	3	\$60,000.00
5 - FATHER	2	\$24,000.00
6 - UNDERTAKER	20	\$207,316.00
G - NIECE	1	\$2,558.00
M - WIDOWER	1	\$12,000.00
N - CAREGIVER	8	\$70,480.00
P - SISTER	1	\$975.00
Q - BROTHER	1	\$3,690.00
T - SISTER-IN-LAW	1	\$4,593.00
	217	\$2,537,774.66

EXPLANATION - NO CLAIMS

NO CLAIMS WERE FILED

Associations requested it to be under review due to Relief applications not being done completely.

Hudson

-North Bergen, Kearny, West New York

Morris

-Morristown, Florham Park, Long Valley

Union

-Linden, Hillside

Somerset

-Bernardsville Borough

Burlington

-Bass River

Monmouth

-Asbury Park

Essex

-Bloomfield, Maplewood, Irvington

Ocean

-Mantoloking, Twp of Ocean, Ocean Gate

Associations under review in 2023 from Field Exams

Hunterdon

-West Amwell

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING DATES - 2024

February 24 (Sat.)	NJSFA Office – Wall Township, NJ	@9AM
May 18 (Sat.)	NJSFA Office – Wall Township, NJ	@9AM
July 20 (Sat.)	NJSFA Office – Wall Township, NJ	@9AM
September 12 (Thu.)	Wildwood Convention Center	@9AM
November 23 (Sat.)	NJSFA Office – Wall Township, NJ	@9AM

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING DATES - 2024

January	*<u>11th</u> and <u>25th</u>*
February	1st and 15th
March	7th and 21st
April	4th and 18th
May	2nd and 16th
June	6th and 20th
July	*<u>11th</u> and <u>25th</u>*
August	1st and 15th
September	*<u>5th</u> and <u>26th</u>*
October	3rd and 17th
November	7th and 21st
December	5th and 19th

*** Not the 1st or 3rd Thursday of the Month ***

PENSION COMMITTEE MEETING DATES - 2024

MEETINGS WILL BE HELD ON THE SAME DAY AS THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

February	24th	8:30 am
May	18 th	8:30 am
July	20 th	8:30 am
September	12 th	8:30 am
November	23 rd	8:30 am

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING DATES - 2024

MEETINGS WILL BE HELD ON DATE NOTED

February	5th
May	6th
August	5th
November	4th

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2024 OFFICE CLOSING

January 1st	New Year's Day
January 15 th	Martin Luther King's Birthday
February 19 th	President's Day
March 29th	Good Friday
May 27 th	Memorial Day
June 19 th	Juneteenth
July 4 th	Independence Day
September 2 nd	Labor Day
September 12 th	Thursday during Convention
September 13 th	Friday during Convention
October 14 th	Columbus Day
November 5 th	Election Day
November 11 th	Veteran's Day
November 28 th	Thanksgiving Day
November 29 th	Day after Thanksgiving
December 25 th	Christmas

NOTE

The office will be closed on Monday, July 1st for the regular summer vacation, and will re-open on Monday, July 8th.

The office will be closed on Tuesday, December 24th for the regular winter vacation and will re-open on Thursday, January 2, 2025.

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Date: November 13, 2023

To: Officers and Executive Committeepersons

From: Rich Otterbein, Chairman, NJSFA Firemen's Home Liaison Committee

Subject: NJS Firemen's Home Report

Meetings: 9/14/23 Full Board, Wildwood, NJ; 10/14/23 Full Board Reorganization/Executive Board Reorganization/Full Board Meetings; 11/11/23 Full Board Meeting

9/14/23 Full Board Meeting

- BBQ season has been extended into October.
- Finance Committee is preparing for a 7% - 8% increase in health benefits.
- Admission process changed to include a pre-admission family and guest interview, if possible.
- Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority (RVRSA) meeting held – Home Committee is looking at various land use options.
- Vreeland Avenue house demolition permit has been signed.
- Finance: Bills: \$451,197.22 for the monthly period 8/12/23 through 9/12/23; Motion to approve bills passed.
- Monthly unaudited expense report will no longer be attached to the minutes but will be available upon request.
- By-Laws: still under review.
- Census (as of 8/31/23): 61 Long Term, 6 in Memory Care; 9 Residential = 76. 9/12/23 Applications Committee Report attached.
- Ad-Hoc Committee Report: Manager Wilson reported that a Joint Meeting is scheduled for October 24, 2023, pending the new Board Chairman's advice.
- Next meeting: Full Board - October 14, 2023, at the Home.

10/14/23 Re-Organization Meetings

- Managers sworn in: Freeman, Signorello, Heflich, DeVirgilio, Cunningham, Dunn.
- Elections: Washer – Chairman; Apgar – Vice Chairman; Hull – Secretary; Sutphen – Treasurer.
- Executive Committee – Giglio – Chairman; Signorello – Vice Chairman; Freeman, Miller Mitch – members.

10/14/23 Full Board Meeting

- Budget Meeting scheduled on Tuesday, 10/17
- Reminder that HIPPA guidelines must be followed.
- A facility tour for Senator Bucco and Assemblywomen Dunn is scheduled to take place next week.
- RVRSA land use license is being prepared.
- Golf Committee funds have been used to purchase new chairs.
- Vreeland Avenue House has been raised. Building and Grounds Report attached.
- Finance: Bills: \$518,829.23 for the monthly period 9/12/23 through 10/10/23; Motion to approve bills passed.
- Census (as of 9/30/23): 60 Long Term, 8 in Memory Care; 8 Residential = 76. 10/14/23 Applications Committee Report attached.
- By-Laws: still under review.
- **Motion to terminate Lobbyist Hagan. Motion passed.**
- **The Home will be assessing having actuarial and architectural studies prepared to evaluate a building addition to accommodate single room occupancies at the Home.**
- Proposed 2024 – 2025 Budget will be presented next month.
- Next meeting: Full Board - November 11, 2023, at the Home.

11/11/23 Full Board Meeting

- HIPPA regulations and Home/Managers responsibility regarding the regulations discussed. Families can give permission to release guest information if they volunteer to do so.
- Solar Farm Project presentation provide to the Managers. Location, associated cost, and payout period discussed. Installation cost estimated to be \$1 Million; 6-year payback. Decision pending.
- Christmas parties pending.
- **State Senator Bucco and Assemblywoman Dunn recently visited the Home. President Ordway was in attendance.**
- RVRSA/Home property leasing agreement being finalized.
- Home Counsel working with By-Laws Committee on revisions. Admissions eligibility is not a By-Laws issue but an Application Committee issue. The Application Committee will set the admissions terms in December.
- Finance: Bills: \$512,267.57 for the monthly period 10/11/23 through 11/7/23; Motion to approve bills passed.

- Census (as of 10/31/23): 60 Long Term, 9 in Memory Care; 8 Residential = 77. 11/11/23 Applications Committee Report attached.
- **2024-2025 Budget: presented and discussed. President Ordway suggested the Reserve Revenue line be increase by \$200,000 so that the money requested from the State Fire Tax would be equal to that requested last year, i.e., a 0% increase. President Ordway noted that the use of additional reserve would further evidence the cooperation the two organizations (NJSFA/Firemen's Home) worked towards over the past year. Managers voted to commit an additional \$198,500 of reserve to reduce the committed State Fire Tax to last year's amount (0% increase).**
- By-Laws: Manager's goal is to complete a review of the By-Laws and publish the recommendations 30 days before the January meeting.
- Golf: Home may cancel future Golf events.
- Liaison to NJSFA: Ad Hock Committee dissolved and a new single Liaison Committee appointed (members - Hull, Lugossy [advisory only], Apgar, Keyser, Miller).
- Long Term Planning Committee appointed (members - Stuphen, Cunningham, Signorello, Apgar, Miller). Committee to develop a 5 and 10 year plan to access the future needs of the Home and seek professional service proposals if necessary (architectural/actuarial) for Budget funding by the Finance Committee.
- Next Meeting: Executive Board – December 9, 2023, at the Home.



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Date: October 30, 2023

Subject: October 24, 2023, NJSFA/Firemen's Home Joint Meeting Notes

The fifth meeting of the joint NJSFA/Firemen's Home Liaison Committee that was tentatively scheduled to take place at the Home on October 24, 2023, beginning at 6:00 PM, was not held at the request of the Home.

Discussion: Home Full Board Meeting of October 14, 2023

The re-organization meeting of the Home was held on October 14, 2023. During this meeting, Mr. Thomas (Tink) Washer, Sussex County Manager, was elected Chairman of the Board of Managers, Timothy Apgar, Hunterdon County Manager, was elected as Vice-Chairman, Roger Hull, Ocean County Manager, was elected Secretary and Thomas Sutphen, Somerset County Manager, was elected Treasurer.

At the conclusion of the regular Full Board meeting, a discussion was held between Rich Otterbein and Tink Washer regarding the scheduled October 24, 2023, NJSFA/Home Joint Meeting. Mr. Washer indicated that the Home Officers will discuss holding the meeting and advise of the decision. On October 18, 2023, Rich Otterbein received an email for the Home Joint Committee Chairman Glenn Wilson stating that he was directed by Chairman Washer to cancel the October 24, 2023 meeting. After receipt of this email, Rich Otterbein contacted Chairman Washer to confirm this decision. Mr. Washer confirmed that the Home Officers decided that because the Home and the NJSFA are currently working well together, further small group joint meetings are no longer necessary. Mr. Washer also stated that the newly created Home-NJSFA Liaison Committee (Hull, Keyser, Miller, Apgar) will

attend future NJSFA Executive Committee Meetings and will be available to answer Home-related questions as they develop. Mr. Washer further stated that if there is a need to meet in a small group setting again, we can resume the meetings. He also noted that if the NJSFA has any future management or related Home issues (except for Home Applications which should be directed to the individual county Home Manager), the NJSFA should reach out to him (Washer) or the Home Liaison Committee members for a response.

Respectfully submitted,

Rich Otterbein, Chairman
Larry Handlin, Member
Andy Mazzarella, Member
Jerry Naylis, Member

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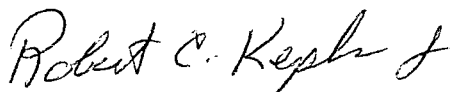
Dear Mr. President:

A regular meeting of the Finance Committee was held on November 13, 2023 at the office of the Association. At that time, the accounts of the Association were audited for the First Quarter ending September 30, 2023. Treasurer Edward R. Mullen was available as needed and cooperated fully with the Committee in providing satisfactory answers to any questions that arose during the audit.

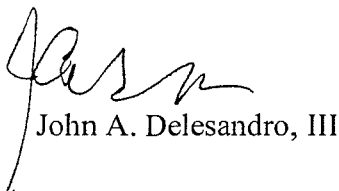
The reviews covered the reconciliation of all checks, vouchers, ledger entries and bank statements for the General fund, Burial Fund, Pension, General Checking, Assessment and Special Relief accounts. The Association income documents, bank statements, and credit and debit documents were found to be accurate and in satisfactory condition.

The Committee considers the accounts of the Association to be in satisfactory condition and has no recommendations to make at this time.

Very truly yours,



Robert C. Kepler, Jr., Chairperson



John A. Delesandro, III



Edward A. Pettit, Jr.

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November 16, 2023

FIELD EXAMINERS REPORT

The following applications for Supplementary Relief, Special Relief, and Health Care were processed thus far in 2023.

Applications	Received	Approved	Denied	Active Claims	Amount Paid YTD
Special Relief	200	171	29		\$ 702,239.00
Supplementary Relief	96	75	21		\$ 923,847.00
Health Care Program	279	260	19	382	\$ 10,058,139.92

Notes

- After reviewing most of the 2022 applications a few associations were requested to be placed on review.
 - See list.
- Please get me your date and location for the Field Exams this year. We will be doing them in March and April.
- Please remind all Associations to bring their 2023 relief applications with documentation to the 2024 caucus for collecting.
- With the end of the year and financials coming please have your locals review the DRAFT financial for their association. Under line #30 they will see their maximum allowable administrative expense for 2023.
 - Example: The maximum allowable administrative expense on line 30 is \$1,234.56. If you exceed that amount, it must be paid back into the Treasury.
- All requests for Special and Supplemental relief must be in the state office on or before December 1 to be acted on for the year 2023. And ALL relief approved in 2023 MUST be paid in 2023.

Sincerely,

Jennie Hollingsworth

Field Examiner

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Date: November 16, 2023

To: Executive Committee

The Health Care Committee Report:

HEALTH CARE

NEW CLAIMS Y/T/D 260 OF THAT
FIREFIGHTER Y/T/D 151
SPOUSE Y/T/D 109
PAID YTD \$12,235,756.25
ACTIVE CLAIMS TOTAL – 380

HEALTH CARE

2017	35	\$ 99,600.06
2018	44	\$ 141,376.99
2019	71	\$ 329,791.83
2020	87	\$ 1,566,201.17
2021	190	\$4,052,639.95
2022	272	\$8,296,092.42

Sincerely,

James Reeves

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Health Care Committee

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Year	Association	Relief Date	Relief Status	Special	Supplementary	Special Paid By Local
2023	TUCKERTON (364)	1/5/2023	PAID	\$ 5,250.00		
2023	OAKLAND (262)	1/19/2023	PAID	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 175.00	
2023	PENNSAUKEN TWSP (282)	1/19/2023	PAID	\$ 1,449.00		
2023	BERKELEY TWSP (443)	1/19/2023	PAID	\$ 4,750.00	\$ 17,000.00	
2023	BUENA VISTA (053)	2/2/2023	PAID	\$ 6,750.00		
2023	WALL TWSP (374)	2/2/2023	PAID	\$ 5,000.00		
2023	TOMS RIVER (361)	2/2/2023	PAID	\$ 3,250.00		
2023	PROSPECT PARK (298)	2/2/2023	PAID	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 8,000.00	
2023	SALEM (325)	2/2/2023	PAID	\$ 5,750.00		
2023	UNION (365)	2/2/2023	PAID	\$ 3,250.00		
2023	UNION (365)	2/2/2023	PAID	\$ 3,250.00		
2023	UNION (365)	2/2/2023	DENIED	\$ -		
2023	CRESSKILL (082)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 6,250.00		
2023	DUMONT (093)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 16,000.00	
2023	ORANGE (270)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 4,750.00	\$ 17,000.00	
2023	EDISON TWSP (287)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 3,250.00		
2023	BERKELEY TWSP (443)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 4,750.00	\$ 2,500.00	
2023	STAFFORD TWSP (351)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 5,250.00	\$ 6,200.00	
2023	CLIFTON (074)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 3,250.00	\$ 23,000.00	
2023	WAYNE TWSP (382)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 3,250.00	\$ 23,000.00	
2023	BOUND BROOK (043)	2/16/2023	PAID	\$ 5,750.00		
2023	BOUND BROOK (043)	2/16/2023	DENIED	\$ -		
2023	ATLANTIC CITY (012)	3/2/2023	PAID	\$ 3,250.00		
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	3/2/2023	PAID	\$ 6,000.00		
2023	MAPLEWOOD (199)	3/2/2023	PAID	\$ 6,250.00		
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	3/2/2023	DENIED	\$ -		
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	3/2/2023	PAID	\$ 1,472.00		
2023	WOODBIDGE (404)	3/2/2023	PAID	\$ 4,750.00		
2023	WOODBIDGE (404)	3/2/2023	DENIED	\$ -		
2023	MANCHESTER TWSP (526)	3/2/2023	PAID	\$ 4,750.00		
2023	CAPE MAY CITY (059)	3/2/2023	DENIED	\$ -		
2023	FAIR LAWN (111)	3/2/2023	PAID	\$ 5,000.00		

2023	TWSP OF HAMILTON (206)	3/17/2023 PAID	\$	4,500.00	\$	12,000.00	
2023	WILLIAMSTOWN (401)	3/17/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00			
2023	FRENCHTOWN (125)	3/17/2023 DENIED	\$	-			
2023	LAMBERTVILLE (174)	3/17/2023 PAID	\$	6,000.00			
2023	SOUTH AMBOY (337)	3/17/2023 PAID	\$	6,250.00	\$	11,000.00	
2023	SOUTH AMBOY (337)	3/17/2023 DENIED	\$	-			
2023	SHREWSBURY BORO (333)	3/17/2023 PAID	\$	6,000.00	\$	12,000.00	3,250.00
2023	TOMS RIVER (361)	3/17/2023 PAID	\$	-			
2023	TOMS RIVER (361)	3/17/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	23,000.00	
2023	CLIFFSIDE PARK (073)	4/6/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00			
2023	EAST ORANGE (097)	4/6/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00			
2023	WASHINGTON TWSP (478)	4/6/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	15,000.00	
2023	EDISON TWSP (287)	4/6/2023 PAID	\$	-			3,250.00
2023	WOODBIDGE (404)	4/6/2023 DENIED	\$	-			
2023	WEST MILFORD TWSP (493)	4/6/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	7,300.00	
2023	MANCHESTER TWSP (526)	4/6/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	9,000.00	
2023	MANCHESTER TWSP (526)	4/6/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00			
2023	NEPTUNE CITY (240)	4/6/2023 DENIED	\$	-			
2023	CRESKILL (082)	4/20/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	5,000.00	
2023	RUTHERFORD (322)	4/20/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00			
2023	MIDDLE TWSP (060)	4/20/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00			
2023	MIDDLE TWSP (060)	4/20/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-	
2023	JERSEY CITY (167)	4/20/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	2,479.00	3,250.00
2023	JERSEY CITY (167)	4/20/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-	
2023	JERSEY CITY (167)	4/20/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	-	394.00
2023	ASBURY PARK (010)	4/20/2023 DENIED	\$	-			
2023	BERKELEY TWSP (443)	4/20/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00			
2023	BERKELEY TWSP (443)	4/20/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00	\$	17,000.00	
2023	CLIFTON (074)	4/20/2023 PAID	\$	-			2,392.00
2023	SOUTH PLAINFIELD (342)	5/4/2023 PAID	\$	4,500.00			
2023	PAULSBORO (277)	5/4/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00	\$	17,000.00	
2023	LITTLE FERRY (183)	5/4/2023 DENIED	\$	-			
2023	PENNSVILLE TWSP (425)	5/4/2023 PAID	\$	5,750.00			
2023	LYNDHURST (368)	5/19/2023 PAID	\$	6,000.00			

2023	BUTLER (055)	5/19/2023 PAID	\$	6,000.00				
2023	DENVILLE (090)	5/19/2023 PAID	\$	6,250.00	\$	11,000.00		
2023	DENVILLE (090)	5/19/2023 DENIED	\$	-				
2023	BERKELEY TWSP (443)	5/19/2023 PAID	\$	2,375.00				
2023	STONE HARBOR (354)	6/8/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-		
2023	UNITED WOODBRIDGE TWSP (369)	6/8/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-		
2023	BEACHWOOD (024)	6/8/2023 PAID	\$	6,750.00				
2023	TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN (521)	6/8/2023 PAID	\$	6,250.00	\$	11,000.00		
2023	AVALON (014)	6/22/2023 PAID	\$	4,500.00	\$	4,800.00		
2023	STONE HARBOR (354)	6/22/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00				
2023	STONE HARBOR (354)	6/22/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-		
2023	NUTLEY (261)	6/22/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	23,000.00	\$	3,250.00
2023	SEA GIRT (328)	6/22/2023 PAID	\$	5,500.00				
2023	PARSIPPANY-TROY HILLS (413)	6/22/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	550.00	\$	3,250.00
2023	BEACH HAVEN (023)	6/22/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00	\$	4,250.00		
2023	PENNSVILLE TWSP (425)	6/22/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00				
2023	SALEM (325)	6/22/2023 PAID	\$	5,750.00	\$	13,000.00		
2023	ENGLEWOOD (106)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	4,500.00	\$	6,000.00		
2023	AUDUBON BORO (084)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	15,000.00		
2023	KEARNY (169)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,250.00
2023	NORTHFIELD (256)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	15,000.00		
2023	RIVER EDGE (311)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	3,600.00		
2023	JERSEY CITY (167)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	3,056.00	\$	3,250.00
2023	HAMILTON TWSP (186)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00				
2023	PERTH AMBOY (285)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	5,500.00				
2023	PERTH AMBOY (285)	7/13/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-		
2023	PERTH AMBOY (285)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	5,500.00	\$	14,000.00		
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	2,100.00				
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	2,200.00				
2023	FREEHOLD (124)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00	\$	4,000.00		
2023	CRANFORD (081)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00	\$	16,000.00		
2023	UNION (365)	7/13/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	4,000.00		
2023	MARGATE CITY (200)	7/27/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00				
2023	MOONACHIE (226)	7/27/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00				

2023	WESTWOOD (396)	7/27/2023 PAID	\$ 5,000.00	\$		
2023	IRVINGTON (163)	7/27/2023 DENIED	-	\$		
2023	GLASSBORO (130)	7/27/2023 DENIED	-	\$		
2023	EDISON TWSP (287)	7/27/2023 PAID	-	\$	23,000.00	\$ 3,250.00
2023	METUCHEN (213)	7/27/2023 DENIED	-	\$		
2023	SEA GIRT (328)	7/27/2023 PAID	4,750.00	\$	14,000.00	
2023	PAULSBORO (277)	7/27/2023 PAID	4,750.00	\$	17,000.00	
2023	PAULSBORO (277)	7/27/2023 PAID	4,750.00	\$	17,000.00	
2023	PAULSBORO (277)	7/27/2023 PAID	-	\$	2,300.00	\$ 3,250.00
2023	SECAUCUS (332)	7/27/2023 PAID	5,750.00	\$		
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	7/27/2023 PAID	6,250.00	\$	11,000.00	
2023	TWSP OF LONG HILL (275)	7/27/2023 PAID		\$		
2023	BERKELEY TWSP (443)	7/27/2023 DENIED		\$		
2023	LACEY TWSP (451)	7/27/2023 PAID	4,750.00	\$		
2023	SOUTH BOUND BROOK (340)	7/27/2023 PAID	7,000.00	\$		
2023	GLASSBORO (130)	8/3/2023 PAID	4,750.00	\$	16,000.00	
2023	MAPLE SHADE (198)	8/3/2023 PAID	5,000.00	\$		
2023	CAPE MAY CITY (059)	8/3/2023 PAID	6,250.00	\$		
2023	SOUTH AMBOY (337)	8/3/2023 PAID	4,750.00	\$	4,965.00	
2023	OCEAN TWSP (415)	8/3/2023 PAID	7,000.00	\$	8,000.00	
2023	GREENWICH TWSP (492)	8/3/2023 PAID	7,000.00	\$		
2023	BASS RIVER TWSP (481)	8/17/2023 PAID	5,000.00	\$		
2023	EAST ORANGE (097)	8/17/2023 PAID		\$	12,000.00	
2023	LYNDHURST (368)	8/17/2023 PAID	5,000.00	\$		
2023	LOWER TWSP (448)	8/17/2023 PAID		\$		
2023	ORANGE (270)	8/17/2023 DENIED		\$		
2023	AVALON (014)	8/17/2023 PAID	4,500.00	\$	18,000.00	
2023	ORANGE (270)	8/17/2023 PAID	4,750.00	\$		
2023	OLD BRIDGE TWSP (192)	9/7/2023 PAID	-	\$		\$ 3,250.00
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	9/7/2023 DENIED	-	\$		
2023	PATERSON (276)	9/7/2023 PAID	-	\$	23,000.00	\$ 3,250.00
2023	WEST MILFORD TWSP (493)	9/7/2023 DENIED	-	\$		
2023	PARK RIDGE (273)	9/7/2023 DENIED	-	\$		
2023	WEST MILFORD TWSP (493)	9/7/2023 PAID	5,250.00	\$	10,000.00	

2023	GREENWICH TWSP (492)	9/7/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	9/7/2023 PAID	\$	5,750.00	\$	5,750.00
2023	PATERSON (276)	9/7/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	23,000.00
2023	ORANGE (270)	9/7/2023 PAID	\$	17,000.00	\$	17,000.00
2023	ISELIN (164)	9/7/2023 PAID	\$	5,500.00	\$	5,500.00
2023	PARSIPPANY-TROY HILLS (413)	9/7/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	951.00
2023	PINE BEACH BORO (462)	9/7/2023 PAID	\$	6,750.00	\$	6,750.00
2023	WEST MILFORD TWSP (493)	9/7/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	3,750.00
2023	GREENWICH TWSP (492)	9/7/2023 PAID	\$	7,000.00	\$	7,000.00
2023	BAY HEAD (020)	9/7/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-
2023	RIDGEFIELD PARK (307)	9/21/2023 PAID	\$	5,500.00	\$	14,000.00
2023	WYCKOFF (412)	9/21/2023 PAID	\$	5,750.00	\$	13,000.00
2023	RIVER VALE (313)	9/21/2023 PAID	\$	6,750.00	\$	6,750.00
2023	FLORENCE (118)	9/21/2023 PAID	\$	6,250.00	\$	6,250.00
2023	ORANGE (270)	9/21/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00	\$	4,750.00
2023	MAYWOOD (207)	9/21/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	5,250.00
2023	MOORESTOWN (227)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	4,500.00	\$	5,000.00
2023	TRENTON (363)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	5,000.00
2023	PINE BEACH BORO (462)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	6,750.00	\$	6,750.00
2023	PENNSVILLE TWSP (425)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	5,750.00	\$	5,750.00
2023	WOODBINE (403)	10/5/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-
2023	UNION TWSP (482)	10/5/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-
2023	CARNEYS POINT (435)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	6,750.00	\$	9,000.00
2023	EAST ORANGE (097)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00	\$	5,000.00
2023	UNION TWSP (482)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00	\$	5,000.00
2023	OLD BRIDGE TWSP (192)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	5,751.00
2023	GREEN BROOK TWSP (469)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	7,000.00	\$	8,000.00
2023	WOODBINE (403)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	7,500.00	\$	7,500.00
2023	JERSEY CITY (167)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	-
2023	ROXBURY (320)	10/5/2023 PAID	\$	5,750.00	\$	5,750.00
2023	LITTLE FERRY (183)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$	5,500.00	\$	5,500.00
2023	PENNSAUKEN TWSP (282)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$	3,051.00	\$	3,051.00
2023	VOORHEES TWSP (011)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$	4,750.00	\$	4,750.00
2023	MEDFORD LAKES BOROUGH (517)	10/19/2023 DENIED	\$	-	\$	-
					\$	3,250.00

2023	MILLBURN TWSP (218)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ -	\$ 23,000.00	\$	3,250.00
2023	MILLBURN TWSP (218)	10/19/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	CLAYTON (071)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ 6,250.00			
2023	BASS RIVER TWSP (481)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ -	\$ 8,000.00		
2023	MILLBURN TWSP (218)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ -	\$ 23,000.00		3,250.00
2023	HAMPTON (144)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ 1,250.00			
2023	TRENTON (363)	10/19/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	PERTH AMBOY (285)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 14,000.00		
2023	MATAWAN BORO (204)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ 5,250.00	\$ 14,000.00		
2023	WHARTON (397)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ 1,825.00			
2023	PARSIPPANY-TROY HILLS (413)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ -	\$ 6,626.00		3,250.00
2023	NORTH PLAINFIELD (258)	10/19/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	LACEY TWSP (451)	10/19/2023 PAID	\$ 4,750.00			
2023	HACKENSACK (135)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 4,750.00			
2023	WALDWICK (373)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 2,000.00			
2023	MAHWAH (194)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 4,750.00	\$ 15,064.00		
2023	MARGATE CITY (200)	11/2/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	COLUMBUS (079)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 2,500.00			
2023	MONMOUTH JUNCTION (222)	11/2/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 3,511.00			
2023	TOMS RIVER (361)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ -	\$ 3,000.00		3,250.00
2023	MONTVALE (224)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 16,000.00		
2023	BELLEVILLE (025)	11/2/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	11/2/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	BERKELEY TWSP (443)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 4,750.00			
2023	MIDDLESEX BOROUGH (214)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 3,300.00			
2023	ASBURY PARK (010)	11/2/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	BRIDGEWATER TWSP (453)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ -			3,250.00
2023	WESTWOOD (396)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 5,000.00			
2023	RIVERTON (312)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 6,250.00	\$ 11,000.00		
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 5,750.00	\$ 2,763.00		
2023	PISCATAWAY TWSP (248)	11/2/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	ASBURY PARK (010)	11/2/2023 DENIED	\$ -			
2023	RANDOLPH TWSP (440)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$ 4,750.00			

2023	WESTFIELD (387)	11/2/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	5,000.00	
2023	NORTH PLAINFIELD (258)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	3,250.00	\$	6,626.00	
2023	ELIZABETH (103)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	23,000.00	\$ 3,250.00
2023	RIVER EDGE (311)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	5,250.00	\$	1,000.00	
2023	RIDGEFIELD PARK (307)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	5,500.00			
2023	MOONACHIE (226)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	6,250.00	\$	13,000.00	
2023	CLAYTON (071)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$				
2023	OLD BRIDGE TWSP (192)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$		\$	8,272.00	
2023	BRIDGEWATER TWSP (453)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$		1,224.00
2023	OAKLAND (262)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	5,500.00			
2023	MAPLEWOOD (199)	11/16/2023 DENIED	\$	-			
2023	WILLIAMSTOWN (401)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00			
2023	LITTLE EGG HARBOR TWSP (428)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	2,956.00			
2023	RIVER EDGE (311)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$		\$	10,919.00	
2023	RIDGEFIELD PARK (307)	11/16/2023 DENIED	\$		\$	-	
2023	LOWER TWSP (448)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	5,000.00	\$	16,000.00	
2023	SECAUCUS (332)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	17,000.00	\$ 3,250.00
2023	CLINTON TWSP (009)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	6,000.00			
2023	ELIZABETH (103)	11/16/2023 PAID	\$	-	\$	7,700.00	\$ 3,250.00
		TODAY	\$	44,706.00	\$	103,517.00	\$ 10,974.00
		YTD	\$	702,239.00	\$	923,847.00	\$ 78,760.00

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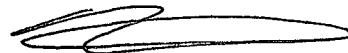
To: Officers & All Members of the Executive Committee,

The 2022-2023 Legislative Session has a total of 10,177 bills introduced so far as of this report. The Legislative Committee is currently tracking 180 bills that relate to the fire service. The Governor has signed 337 bills into law and has thirty bills sitting on his desk as of today.

Two of our tracked bills are currently sitting on the Governor's Desk waiting to be signed. A-5179, "Fire Life Safety Damper and Smoke Control System Inspection Verification Act"; Requires routine maintenance and periodic testing of smoke dampers, fire dampers, and smoke control systems in certain buildings by qualified personnel. S-861, allows municipalities to conduct an annual event for open burning of Christmas trees. We are currently at six of our tracked bills that have been signed into law for this Legislative Session.

There is an Assembly Quorum Call on schedule for Monday, November 20, 2023, with some Assembly Committee Meetings, however, none of our tracked bills are listed to be heard for them. There will be a Senate Quorum Call with Committee Meetings on the Schedule for Monday, November 27, 2023, however, the bill list for these meetings has not been posted yet. There will be both a Senate and an Assembly Quorum Call on Thursday, November 30, 2023, however, the bill list for these meetings has not been posted yet.

Respectfully Submitted,



Brian E. Martone
Legislative Committee Chairman
First Assistant Secretary

NEW JERSEY STATE FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Comparison 2022 vs 2023

<u>JANUARY - OCTOBER</u>	<u>1/1/2022</u>		<u>1/1/2023</u>		<u>Incr. \$ Paid</u>	<u>Incr. % Paid</u>	<u>Paid out by</u>
	<u>thru 10/31/2022</u>		<u>thru 10/31/2023</u>				
* Healthcare - FF	\$5,428,248.75	207	\$9,283,473.14	274	\$3,855,224.39	71.02%	State Office
* Healthcare - Sp	\$1,219,799.12	116	\$2,452,387.92	195	\$1,232,588.80	101.05%	State Office
Special Relief	\$682,706.00	142	\$599,972.00	118	-\$82,734.00	-12.12%	*State Office
Total - State	\$7,330,753.87		\$12,335,833.06		\$5,005,079.19	68.28%	

<u>BURIAL CLAIMS</u>	<u>1/1/2022</u>		<u>1/1/2023</u>		<u>Incr. \$ Paid</u>	<u>Incr. % Paid</u>	<u>Paid out by</u>
<u>JANUARY - OCTOBER</u>	<u>thru 10/31/2022</u>		<u>thru 10/31/2023</u>				
Burial Claims	\$10,313,599.35	885	\$8,881,852.21	761	-\$1,431,747.14	-13.88%	State Office

* 2023 Healthcare payments are going to members from all 21 Counties

* 611 Firefighters since inception 1/2017

* 299 spouses since inception 1/2021

Local Relief Paid Comparison - Local & Supplemental Actual Paid Combined - Paid out by Local

	<u>YTD Total</u>	<u>Incr/Decr from P/Y</u>	<u>PCT</u>		<u>2023</u>
2018	\$4,283,313.18			1st Qtr	\$1,089,545.35
2019	\$4,736,931.39	\$453,618.21	11%	2nd Qtr	\$1,162,593.02
2020	\$4,736,568.64	-\$362.75	0%	3rd Qtr	\$1,093,706.58
2021	\$4,635,913.57	-\$100,655.07	-2%		
2022	\$5,127,076.83	\$491,163.26	11%		
					\$3,345,844.95

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Date: November 16, 2023

To: Executive Committee

From: Special Relief Committee

The Special Relief Committee Report

- Applications Approved YTD: 171
- For a total of \$702,239

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>SUMMARY APPROVED</u>	<u>TOTAL PAYOUT</u>
2011	155	\$177,774.00
2012	172	\$197,225.86
2013	117	\$140,500.00
2014	133	\$146,516.34
2015	138	\$143,550.00
2016	135	\$131,000.00
2017	180	\$396,632.00
2018	168	\$357,819.13
2019	197	\$400,192.69
2020	206	\$867,283.00
2021	178	\$812,217.00
2022	159	\$757,456.00

Respectfully Submitted,

Francis X. Walker

Francis X Walker, Chairman

RESOLUTION re: DELEGATE CREDENTIALS

BE IT RESOLVED, that an invitation to elect delegates and alternates shall be extended to all Relief Associations in accord with this State Association by **January 31, 2024**; and it further be:

RESOLVED, that the credentials of the delegates and alternates elected shall be filed in the Association office not later than **May 1, 2024** for certification of delegates and alternates as to their eligibility to serve at the 2024 Convention. Copy of the resolution to be made part of the invitation and recorded in the abridged report of this meeting.

Any Association which may fail in filing its credentials by **May 1, 2024**, shall be notified by the State Association in writing, to its local officers within fifteen days and a copy mailed to the respective Executive Committeeman, that they will **Not Be Seated**.

DATE

SECRETARY

RESOLUTION re: EXEMPT DELEGATE

WHEREAS, a local Relief Association which has within its jurisdiction, an Exempt Association organized within the municipality, **DULY INCORPORATED UNDER N.J.S.A. TITLE 15-A NON-PROFIT CORPORATIONS** and who have elected representatives to serve on the local relief board, and are so recorded on the annual report made by the Treasurer; are entitled to elect an Exempt Delegate to serve at the Annual Convention; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that notice is hereby given through the Secretary of the local relief association, to authorize the Exempt Association, provided the local Exempt Association has complied with N.J.S.A. TITLE 15-A, to elect before May 1st, one Delegate and one Alternate, one of whom is to serve at the 2024 Convention, credentials to be certified by the Secretary of the Exempt Association, and such credentials shall be returned to this office on or before **May 1, 2024** for certification as to the eligibility of the delegate or alternate elected to serve.

Any Association which may fail in filing its credentials by **May 1, 2024** shall be notified by the State Association in writing, to its local officers within fifteen days and a copy mailed to the respective Executive Committeeman, that they will, **Not Be Seated.**

DATE

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