## Delaware Volunteer Firemen's Association

## Officer's Meeting Minutes

October 29, 1996

The Officers Meeting of the Delaware Volunteer Firemen's Association (DVFA) was convened at 7:00 P. M by President Joseph W. Hojnicki, Sr., at the Magnolia Fire Company Social Hall. The invocation was offered by Director Steve Austin.

The following Officers were present: President Hojnicki, Vice Presidents Knight and Vincent, Secretary Turner, Treasurer Metheny, Directors Austin, Cottrell, Jester, King and Rogers, Jasper Lakey and John L. Mitchell, Sr. Directors Cubbage, Callaway and Assistant Secretary Carrow were excused.

President Hojnicki thanked everyone for their support and outstanding contributions to date and explained the purpose of this meeting was to appoint the Association's Committees. However, prior to the selection of members to serve on the respective Committees, the following informational items were discussed:

- 1. Steve Bodenheiser reported that the EMS Director's position was to be released in the next several days. Posting for in-house and then externally for statewide advertisement.
- 2. The Governor's Office has been contacted and a meeting will be established, following the election. He has been advised of the concerns expressed concerning finding additional finances for Kent & Sussex Counties.
- 3. Dan Short, Seaford, an employee of J. A. Montgomery has contacted the President and expressed an interest in contributing to the Scholarship fund. It was reported that Minquadale has agreed to donate \$1,000.00 to the Scholarship Committee in honor of President Hojnicki.
- 4. There was a significant amount of discussion concerning the procedure for determining the Scholarship recipients. It was agreed that the Co-Chairs of the Scholarship meeting would be requested to attend the next Officers meeting to discuss this procedure.
- 5. The President requested that the Conference Committee Chair and Co-Chairs attend the Officer's meetings for a briefing on the Committee's activities and Officer input.

The members then appointed the Association Committees.

There being no further action requiring the attention of the Officers, the meeting was adjourned at 9:55 P. M.

Fraternally submitted,

James E. Turner, III, Secretary