

MINUTES

Board of Fire Commissioners Cutchogue Fire District

10/21/25 07:00pm | *Meeting called to order by* Lawrence Behr, Chairman of the Board
Meeting opened with a Salute to the Flag

In Attendance

Lawrence Behr, Chairman, Steven Harned Vice Chairman David Blados, Christopher Talbot Commissioners
Absent; Michael Finnican, Commissioner
Thomas Shalvey Jr. Secretary, Peter Zwerlein, Treasurer

Board Discussion

- The 2026 budget hearing was convened by Chairman Lawrence Behr, who read an opening statement and presented the 2026 proposed budget to the assembled Board members.

Motions

- 25-1023: Motion to exceed the New York State 2% budget cap for the 2026 budget. Motion by Chairman Behr, seconded by Vice-Chairman Harned. All present in favor motion passed.
- 25-1024: Motion to hold special meeting on 10-30-2025 @ 05:30 P.M. to approve resolution to pierce 2% budget cap for 2026 budget. Motion made by Commissioner Talbot, seconded by Chairman Behr. All present in favor motion passed.
- 25-1025: Motion to adjourn meeting at 07:20 P.M. Motion by Commissioner Talbot, seconded by Chairman Behr. All present in favor motion passed

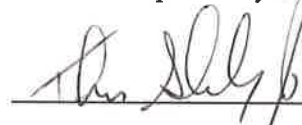
Audience Participation

None

Next Meeting

11/30/24, At CFD Annex 32470 Main Road Cutchogue @ 05:30 pm

Respectfully submitted;



Thomas Shalvey Jr.
Secretary