

NEW LENOX FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING  
MARCH 16, 2026

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR PUBLIC MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NEW LENOX FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, COUNTY OF WILL, HELD AT FIRE STATION #1, 261 E. MAPLE STREET, NEW LENOX, ILLINOIS, IN SAID DISTRICT AT 6:00 P.M. ON MONDAY THE 16TH DAY OF MARCH 2026.

Trustees Roll Call:

Trustee Sauter	Absent
Trustee Scanlan	Present
Trustee Fischer	Present
Trustee Popp	Present
Trustee Levey	Present

Others Present:

Attorney John Motylinski, Chief Adam Riegel, DC Randolph, Brian Fischer, Matry Terlep, James Howard via Zoom, DC Brian Applegate, BC Dan Vanek, Linda Baaske.

Tuesday's meeting was called to order at 6:01 p.m. with a quorum present.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Treasurer's Report for February 28, 2026. As of February 1, 2026 the beginning balance was \$9,031,158.00. The total receipts were \$170,349.00. The total disbursements were (\$1,121,125.00) The total ending cash balance as of February 28, 2026 was \$8,080,381.00. The payroll for March 6, 2026 was (\$232,433.00). Accounts Payable for March 2026 total (\$645,015.00). Cash on Deposit as of March 16, 2026 is \$7,202,933.00.

A motion was made by Trustee Scanlan seconded by Trustee Fischer to approve the February Treasurer's report as given and pay the outstanding bills for this month.

**ROLL CALL:**

Trustee Scanlan	Yea
Trustee Fischer	Yea
Trustee Popp	Yea
Trustee Levey	Yea

Motion carried with four (4) Yeas.

**ACCOUNTANT REPORT**

James Howard presented the financial report ending February 28, 2026 via Zoom.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT**

Trustee Scanlan presented the meeting minutes for the February 17, 2026 Meeting.

A motion was made by Trustee Levey second by Trustee Fischer to approve the minutes of the Public Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the New Lenox Fire Protection District on Tuesday, February 17, 2026.

**ROLL CALL:**

Trustee Scanlan	Yea
Trustee Fischer	Yea
Trustee Popp	Yea
Trustee Levey	Yea

Motion carried with four (4) Yeas

**FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT**

The GEMT rate increased on March 15<sup>th</sup> which is now \$2,454.63.  
We are in the final stages of the hiring process.

**DEPUTY CHIEF'S REPORT**

DC Applegate thanked the Board for the promotion and is looking forward to making a positive impact and working with the staff. We obtained a house at Cedar and Laraway for training. There will be a MABAS 19 drill there next week, then live fire training.

DC Randolph stated the Station 2 project looks to be about a month ahead of schedule.

**OLD BUSINESS**

None

**NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Consideration of ordinance No 283 authorizing the issuance of General Obligation Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source) in an amount not to exceed \$3,250,000 to expand and remodel Fire Station #2.**

A motion was made to open a public hearing at 6:02 pm by Trustee Scanlan, seconded by Trustee Popp.

-No Questions

A motion was made to close the public hearing at 6:02 pm by Trustee Levey, seconded by Trustee Scanlan.

**ROLL CALL:**

Trustee Scanlan	Yea
Trustee Fischer	Yea
Trustee Popp	Yea
Trustee Levey	Yea

Motion carried with four (4) Yeas

**FIRE COMMISSIONER’S REPORT**

Marty Terlep stated they met on February 25 for the appointment of Salomon Tudryn to District Firefighter. We appointed Applegate from BC to DC, Vanek from Lt to BC and Wroblewski from FF to Lt.

Background checks were reviewed for six (6) district firefighters.

On March 9<sup>th</sup> we reviewed the background on Harms and gave him a conditional offer for a district firefighter spot.

Our next meeting is March 26.

**TRUSTEE COMMENTS.**

**Trustee Popp** - None

**Trustee Scanlan** – Congratulations on all the promotions. This is exciting times.

**Trustee Fischer** –None.

**Trustee Levey** – Congratulations on the promotions.

**ROLL CALL: Monday, April 20, 2026 at 6:00 pm.**

Trustee Scanlan	Yes
Trustee Fischer	Yes
Trustee Popp	Yes

Trustee Levey            Yes

The next Board of Trustees meeting will be held on Monday, April 20, 2026 at 6:00 pm.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn to closed session to discuss Litigation by Trustee Scanlan and Seconded by Trustee Popp at 6:22 PM

Motion Caried by voice vote.

Returned to open session at 6:32 PM

Motion to adjourn by Trustee Fischer and Seconded by Trustee Popp at 6:33 PM

Respectfully submitted,



Linda Baaske,  
Recording Secretary