



POWNAL FIRE & RESCUE DEPARTMENT

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Select Board,

Since my last report dated 2/18/2021, the Pownal Fire and Rescue Department has responded to 4 calls for service. One medical call, one wire down call and 2 motor vehicle accidents. Nothing of significance to report on this subject.

I met with the Capital Projects Committee regarding replacement of our extrication equipment. I received an updated quote for \$44,680.00 to replace and update our old equipment with state of the art equipment. Currently there is \$42,000 in the CPPC plan for Extrication Equipment replacement. I informed the committee that that amount would be appropriate, as the quote received was budget pricing only, and that there is room for negotiating the cost. The department plans to investigate other vendors before a final decision is made.

The furnace at the Center has been repaired by Doghouse Energy Services. The condensate try was replaced and the leaking has been stopped.

Finally, we now have all three estimates on the refresh for Engine 2. One from Allegiance Trucks, one from North East Apparatus, and one from Greenwood Apparatus. I have run an itemized price comparison and included it with my report on an Excel spread sheet for the board to look at. I am also going to discuss this with a couple members of the department for their input. At this time I'm leaning toward Allegiance Trucks as they are the licensed International dealer in this area. They were also the best quote as far as the camera and the lighting costs. The chassis costs are subjective and could change based on what is found once they start into it.

Respectfully Submitted,

Chief Jesse Peters