

**Special Board Meeting  
February 4, 2021**

Attending: Mayor Tackman, Deputy Mayor Liedka, Trustee Albanese, Trustee Raesky

Excused: Trustee Celletti

Also Attending: Howard Gray, Chief DeBello, Chief Shields, members of the fire department

Called to order at: 6:05pm

Mayor Tackman; the reason for this meeting is to discuss which fire truck is the best fit for our department, between the Pierce or the E1.

Mayor Tackman on January 4 approved by the village board a letter of intent was sent to Churchville to hold the Pierce rescue pumper demo, so that the Village could reach out to banks for a loan.

Deputy Mayor Liedka; was concerned that they were rushing into making a decision on the rescue pumper and was upset on how the letter of intent was stated making it seem that it had already been decided.

Deputy Mayor Liedka; felt that there was a lack of communication between the members of the fire department and the truck committee in determining what truck was the best fit for our needs. She was also concerned with the process that was taken in order to determine the truck.

Trusty Raesky; Has the Town been notified, they should be part of this conversation has anyone reached out to them?

Trustee Albanese; also was concerned with the process there should've been better communication and more involvement?

Deputy Mayor Liedka; what were your reasons in making this decision, who made the decision to go with the pierce and what the best fit is for our needs when responding to call?

Unfortunately at this time the fire alarm went off and all of the firefighters had to leave the meeting, the discussion continued only present were the Board Members and Manger Moracco

Trustee Raesky; let's make sure that we have an agenda, so that it and does not become a free-for-all.

Mayor Tackman said that he would let the Town know by an email inviting Town Board Members to attend the meeting on February 11, 2021 at 6:00pm

Mayor Tackman; We should talk to other Fire departments that have made the move to, a combination of paid and volunteer members. He said that Fayetteville and Manlius have changed over to this combination. We should set up a meeting with the the Chief at Fayetteville as well as having Mayor Olson attend. Manger Moracco will you reach out to both of them and set up a meeting

A motion by trustee Albanese seconded by Deputy Mayor Liedka to adjourn the meeting