

ST. TAMMANY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #8

Minutes of Board of Commissioners Special Meeting

January 21, 2020

Call to Order: 5:31pm

Roll Call:

Jay Hawkins
Michael Anderson
Stephen Saussy

Absent:

Darryl Battaglia
Sandra Slifer

Also, Present:

Susan Ohlenforst, Board Secretary
Brandon Stein, Interim Chief
Steve Harden, OP/EMT
Cameron Waguespack, FF
Earl Hotard, Captain/EMT
Barry Smith, FF

Pledge of Allegiance

Hearing of Public Concerns:None

New Business:

- **Fire Chief Selection:** Anderson and Saussy submitted 3 applicants for consideration. They were Captain Eric Givens, Steven Swanson, and Interim Chief Brandon Stein. Hawkins then opened the floor for comments and discussion from the hiring committee. Anderson and Saussy commented on each one of the applicants. Therefore, according to Saussy and Anderson; Tusa, Anderson and Saussy compiled information from the interviews in which scoring was applied to each applicant. After careful deliberation and discussion between the hiring committee it was their recommendation to hire Stein. As presented to the chairman of the board by the committee a motion was made to hire Brandon Stein as Chief of St. Tammany Parish Fire District #8, seconded by Anderson; a vote was taken, and all unanimously approved the hiring of Brandon Stein.

Upon motion by Anderson, seconded by Saussy, it was unanimously approved to adjourn the meeting.