



# WATERBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT

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## *From the Desk of the Fire Chief* ~ Informational Update ~ 01/28/2011

We have had a very busy week with emergency calls, meetings and other daily activities.

For those that were unable to attend the budget workshop on Wednesday evening please feel free to stop in or call. I would be happy to review all the documents and answer any questions that you may have.

I am very happy to report that hopefully over the next few weeks we will have a completed memorandum of understanding with the Nature Conservancy for the use of a 4X4 forestry truck. This will allow us to remove the CIP request for a truck. We see this as a benefit for both the Town of Waterboro and the Nature Conservancy.



This is certainly an indication of our commitment to find alternative ways to reduce funding requests. We anticipate the agreement to further our working relationship with the TNC through joint cooperation, training and preserving the nearly 3,500 acres of land owned by the TNC located in Waterboro, Maine.

**Should you have any questions please call us at 247-5299 ext. 10**

**We would love to meet with you!!**

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## *Upcoming EMS-Fire Training & Events*

We have 3 people that will be attending the National Fire Academy (Galen Light, Daniel Roy and Max Couture).

CORE required training will be held this Sunday at WFD Central Station.

Our building will be used for the regional FF I/II training program for a few weeks in February. Please note that our monthly meeting night will be changed. More information will be sent later.

## *Permits, inspections and plan reviews*

Lt. Fraser and the CEO have had several ongoing discussions this week including:

- TK Machine antique shop plans
- Land use next to JD's Package
- New market to be constructed at the old Chick's Plaza

Additionally a few inspections were completed with violation notices sent.

## EMS NEWS

Captain Langevin has noticed with the significant increase of calls the trucks need a little more floor cleaning in the rear patient compartments.

## *Stations, Apparatus and Equipment*

- Ladder 1 will have preventative maintenance this week at Shuttle Bus
- Capt. Turgeon has scheduled inspections for all fire extinguishers. (reminder they need to be checked monthly)
- Remember SALT EATS TRUCKS please rinse when you return from a call.

## *Other*

DC Bennett and Capt. Turgeon attended the EMS seminar held in York this past Thursday. Great program!!

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## Stats

Capt. Peter Turgeon has provided the following information on responses this week:

- 21 Emergency calls since Monday
- 81 Calls so far for the month of January 2011

## Reminders

1. Monthly meeting for February will be announced.
2. Check dates for mandatory trainings