

EAST GLENVILLE FIRE DISTRICT #3
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING/OATH CEREMONY
January 1, 2022

Present: Commissioner Wendi Gapczynski
Commissioner Beth Larson
Commissioner David Costello
Commissioner Ross Thornhill & Family
Treasurer Jeffrey Prescott
District Secretary Elaine Erckman
Deputy Secretary Lindsay Abel
Chief Clemens Schimikowski & Family
1st Assistant Chief Nicholas Abel & Family
Vice-President Elect Richard Nicklas

The Board of Commissioners meeting was called to order by Commissioner David Costello at 9:20 am followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. There were eighteen people present. The meeting was also held via Zoom Webinar.

The purpose of this special meeting is to install the chiefs and the newly elected commissioner for the year 2022.

Commissioner David Costello welcomed everyone present and explained the purpose of this meeting. Due to the COVID situation the meeting is also being held via zoom for those family and friends to view on line.

Ross Thornhill was elected as Commissioner on the Board to fill a vacancy. He will now serve a five-year term. Ross has been an active member of the Board serving on committees such as Computer & Communications, Personnel and Policies. Thank you for your prior service and for your time to come.

Commissioner Costello administered the oath of office to Ross Thornhill for five-year as Fire Commissioner on the Board of East Glenville Fire District #3 as of this date January 1, 2022. Ross took the oath on the Bible held by Samantha Thornhill.

Commissioner David Costello introduced Clemens Schimikowski as the reelected Chief of East Glenville Fire District #3 and thanked him and his officers for their service and many hours of training.

Commissioner Costello administered the oath of office to Clemens Schimikowski as Chief of East Glenville Fire District #3. Wendi Gapczynski held the Bible while the oath was administered.

Chief Schimikowski thanked the Board of Commissioners for their support during the past year.

Commissioner Costello introduced Nicholas Abel the newly elected 1st Assistant Chief for East Glenville Fire District #3. Nick has been 2nd Assistant Chief during the year 2021 and the Board thanked him for his service.

Commissioner Costello administered the oath of office of 1st Assistant Chief of East Glenville Fire District #3 to Nicholas Abel while Lindsay Abel held the Bible.

The Organizational Meeting for the Board of Commissioners will be held on Monday, January 3, 2022 at 6 pm at the fire station.

Commissioner Costello thanked everyone for coming and although he stated this last year, he hopes that 2022 will be a better year.

He reminded everyone that the on-line classes are available for 2022.

A motion was made by Commissioner Thornhill and seconded by Commissioner Gapczynski to adjourn at 9:50 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Elaine Erckman
District Secretary