

**SAUGATUCK TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT
BOARD MEETING
MARCH 28, 2005**

A workshop meeting of the Saugatuck Township Fire District was held on Monday, March 28th, 2005 at the Fire Station. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m.

Present: Marty Raebel, Jerry Bekken, Cliff Asbel, Lance Winchester and Bill Kaye.

Absent: None.

Also Present: Chief John Blok.

AUDIENCE

None.

CHIEF'S REPORT

1. The advertisement that was placed in the local newspapers for daytime firefighters drew no response, except for someone out of the area. Scott Seymour is taking a job with AMR in Grand Rapids and Kevin McConnell is moving out of the area.
2. Three Fennville firefighters who work in the Saugatuck/Douglas area are possible potential candidates for daytime firefighters for our department. Blok has talked with all three, ~~and~~ as well as Fennville Fire Chief Stan Babbitt.
3. Mandatory training for Homeland Security will be conducted for all Fire Personnel. One class is 16 hours and the other will be 4 hours.
4. This may be Raebel's last meeting. He will talk with the township and set a firm date.

There being no further business, **Motion by Kaye/Bekken to adjourn at 8:17 p.m.** Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Cliff Asbel.