

2025 FIRE DISTRICT BUDGET RESOLUTION 1

Aberdeen Township FD No. 1

FISCAL YEAR: January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025

WHEREAS, the Annual Budget for Aberdeen Township FD No. 1 (the 'Fire District') for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025 has been presented before the Board of Commissioners of the Fire District at its open public meeting of November 4, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the budget as introduced is in compliance with the Property Tax Levy Cap Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.44 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, the Annual Budget as introduced reflects Total Revenues of \$880,143.00 which includes an amount to be raised by taxation of \$800,143.00 and Total Appropriations of \$880,143.00; and

WHEREAS, the amount to be raised by taxation to support the district budget shall be the amount to be certified to the assessor of the municipality to be assessed against the taxable property in the district, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:14-79. Such amount shall be equal to the amount of the total appropriations set forth in the budget minus the total amount surplus and miscellaneous revenues set forth in the budget; and

WHEREAS, in calculating the amount to be raised by taxation, the Fire District has taken into account the assessed valuation of taxable property in the Fire District;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire District, at an open public meeting held on November 4, 2024 that the Annual Budget, including all related schedules, of the Fire District for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025 is hereby approved; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the anticipated revenues as reflected in the Annual Budget are of sufficient amount to meet all proposed expenditures/expenses and all covenants, terms and provisions as stipulated in the Fire District's outstanding debt obligations, capital lease arrangements, service contracts, and other pledged agreements; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners of the Fire District will consider the Annual Budget for adoption on November 4, 2024.



(Secretary's Signature)

11/4/2024

(Date)

Board of Commissioners Recorded Vote

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Vincent Vinci	x			
James Lauro	x			
E, Paul Percussi	x			
Nicodemo Panetta	x			
Russell Bucco	x			

2025 APPROVAL CERTIFICATION


Aberdeen Township FD No. 1

FIRE DISTRICT BUDGET

FISCAL YEAR: January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025

It is hereby certified that the Fire District Budget, including all schedules appended hereto, are a true copy of the Annual Budget approved by resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Fire District, at an open public meeting held pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:31-2.4, on .

It is further certified that the recorded vote appearing in the resolution represents not less than a majority of the full membership of the Board of Commissioners thereof.

Officer's Signature:	
Name:	E. Paul Percussi
Title:	Secretary
Address:	490 Lloyd Road, Aberdeen, NJ 07747
Phone Number:	732-566-3704
Fax Number:	732-441-0959
E-mail Address:	firedistrictno1@verizon.net

2025 ADOPTED BUDGET RESOLUTION

Aberdeen Township FD No. 1

FISCAL YEAR: January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025

WHEREAS, the Annual Budget for the Aberdeen Township FD No. 1 (the 'Fire District') for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025 has been presented for adoption before the Board of Commissioners of the Fire District at its open public meeting of December 9, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Annual Budget as presented for adoption reflects each item of revenue and appropriation in the same amount and title as set forth in the introduced and approved budget, including all amendments thereto, if any, which have been approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services; and

WHEREAS, the adopted budget is in compliance with the Property Tax Levy Cap Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.44 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, the Annual Budget as presented for adoption reflects Total Revenues of \$890,143.00 which includes amount to be raised by taxation of \$810,143.00, and Total Appropriations of \$890,143.00; and

WHEREAS, an election shall be held annually on the third Saturday of February in each established fire district to determine the amount to be raised by taxation for the ensuing year;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire District at an open public meeting held on December 9, 2024 that the Annual Budget of the Fire District for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025 is hereby adopted and, shall constitute appropriations for the purposes stated and authorization of Total Revenues of \$890,143.00, which includes amount to be raised by taxation of \$810,143.00, and Total Appropriations of \$890,143.00; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Annual Budget as presented for adoption reflects each item of revenue and appropriation in the same amount and title as set forth in the introduced and approved budget, including all amendments thereto, if any, which have been approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an annual election shall be held on the third Saturday of February to determine the amount to be raised by taxation for the ensuing year. The results of which shall be subsequently certified to the Division and the Municipal Assessor.

(Secretary's Signature)

13-Jan-25

(Date)

Board of Commissioners Recorded Vote

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Vincent Vinci	X			
James Lauro	X			
E. Paul Percussi	X			
Nicodemo Panetta	X			
Russell Bucco	X			

FIRE DISTRICT INTERNET WEBSITE CERTIFICATION

Fire District's Web Address:

aberdeenfd1.com

All fire districts shall maintain either an Internet website or a webpage on the municipality's Internet website. The purpose of the website or webpage shall be to provide increased public access to the Fire District's operations and activities. N.J.S.A. 40A:14-70.2 requires the following items to be included on the Fire District's website at a minimum for public disclosure. Check the boxes below to certify the Fire District's compliance with N.J.S.A. 40A:14-70.2.

- A description of the Fire District's mission and responsibilities
- Commencing with 2013, the budgets for the current fiscal year and immediately two prior years
- The most recent Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (Unaudited) or similar financial information
- Commencing with 2012, the annual audits of the most recent fiscal year and immediately two prior years
- The Fire District's rules, regulations and official policy statements deemed relevant by the commissioners to the interests of the residents within the district
- Notice posted pursuant to the "Open Public Meetings Act" for each meeting of the commissioners, setting forth the time date, location and agenda of each meeting
- Beginning January 1, 2013, the approved minutes of each meeting of the commissioners including all resolutions of the commissioners and their committees; for at least three consecutive fiscal years
- The name, mailing address, electronic mail address and phone number of every person who exercises day-to-day supervision or management over some or all of the operations of the Fire District
- A list of attorneys, advisors, consultants and any other person, firm, business, partnership, corporation or other organizations which received any remuneration of \$17,500 or more during the preceding fiscal year for any service whatsoever rendered to the Fire District, but shall not include volunteers receiving benefits under a Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP).

It is hereby certified by the below authorized representative of the Fire District that the Fire District's website or webpage as identified above complies with the minimum statutory requirements of N.J.S.A. 40A:14-70.2 as listed above. A check in each of the above boxes signifies compliance.

Name of Officer Certifying Compliance:

E. Paul Percussi

Title of Officer Certifying Compliance:

Secretary

Signature:


E. Paul Percussi@verizon.net

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-134

**APPROVING THE ABERDEEN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 COMPENSATION FOR 2025**

WHEREAS, the Aberdeen Township Fire District No. 1 authorized and approved 2025 annual compensation for the Board of Fire Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:14-88 requires the salaries of members of the Board of Commissioners of Fire Districts to be reviewed and approved annually by the governing body; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council of the Township of Aberdeen has reviewed the proposed annual compensation for the following members of the Board of Fire Commissioners for 2025 as follows: President \$10,700.00, Vice President \$10,700.00, Treasurer \$10,700.00, Secretary \$10,700.00 and Financial Secretary \$10,700.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Aberdeen that it hereby approves the 2025 annual compensation for the Board of Fire Commissioners, Fire District No. 1.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Ayes: Councilmembers Cannon, Hirsch, Martucci, Swindle, Deputy Mayor Montone, Mayor Tagliarini

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Councilwoman Kelley

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Township Council of the Township of Aberdeen on December 19, 2024


Melissa Pfeifer, Township Clerk



**ABERDEEN TOWNSHIP
FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1**

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-03

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 Aberdeen Township is required by law to advertise their schedule of monthly regular meetings annually for 2025.

WHEREAS, the Asbury Park Press is so qualified to advertise such schedule,

NOWHEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1, Aberdeen Township New Jersey as follows:

The Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1, Aberdeen Township, New Jersey, will hold an Agenda Meeting at 6:30 P.M. followed by a Public Board Meeting at 7:00 P.M. on the second Monday of each month at the Firehouse, 490 Lloyd Road, Aberdeen Township on the following dates. With the exception of October 6th.

January 13, 2025

April 14, 2025

July 14, 2025

****October 6, 2025**

February 10, 2025

May 12, 2025

August 11, 2025

November 10, 2025

March 10, 2025

June 9, 2025

September 8, 2025

December 8, 2025

CERTIFICATION

I, **E. PAUL PERCUSSI**, Secretary of the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1, Aberdeen Township, hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Resolution unanimously passed by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 Aberdeen Township, on November 4th, 2024

WITNESS, my hand and seal, this 4th day of November 2024.



E. Paul Percussi
Secretary of the Board
Fire District No. 1
Aberdeen Township, New Jersey

**ABERDEEN TOWNSHIP
FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1**

RESOLUTION NO. 4 - 2025

2025 CONTRACT TO WORK WITH THE ABERDEEN TOWNSHIP HOSE & CHEMICAL #1

WHEREAS, NJSA: 14-70.1 authorizes the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 Aberdeen Township to contract with a volunteer company to extinguish fires within the District and in order to provide more efficient protection of life and property from fires and all other fire prevention services for which the Commissioners are responsible. The Board hereby adopts this Resolution.

AND WHEREAS, for over 50 years the Commissioners have contracted with the Aberdeen Township Hose and Chemical Company 1 (formerly known as Matawan Township Hose and Chemical No. 1) to provide the required services and wish to continue the contract and;

AND WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 shall provide the necessary equipment to protect the firefighters and the homes and business in our District, and;


AND WHEREAS, the Fire Company of Fire District No. 1 shall consist of a Chief, a Deputy Chief, Captain, Lieutenant and many other firemen. Fire Fighters shall reside within the boundaries and follow the rules and regulations of Aberdeen Township Hose & Chemical Co. No. 1.

NOWHEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 Aberdeen Township ratify and continue all the terms of the contract under the provisions of **NJSA: 14-70.1** and authorize the officers and members of the Aberdeen Hose and Chemical Company No. 1 to carry out the firematic duties within the Aberdeen Fire District No. 1 as required by the Statute.


CERTIFICATION

I, **E. PAUL PERCUSSI**, Secretary of the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1, Township of Aberdeen, hereby certify the forgoing to be a true copy of a Resolution unanimously passed by the Board of Fire Commissioners, Fire District No. 1 held on November 4, 2024.

WITNESS, this 4th day of November 2024.



E. Paul Percussi
Secretary of the Board
Fire District No. 1
Aberdeen Township, New Jersey



Robert DeBold
President
Aberdeen Twp Hose & Chemical #1

**ABERDEEN TOWNSHIP
FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1**

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-5

WHEREAS, the Fire District engaged and Independent Certified Public Account (“Auditor”) to perform the statutorily required audit of its financial records for the year 2023.

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 Aberdeen Township is approving the 2023 Audit done by Independent Certified Public Accountant, Samuel Klein and Co.

WHEREAS, by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1, Aberdeen New Jersey is hereby accepting the 2023 Audit as being true and correct. Recommendations by the Accountant are being addressed.

NOWHEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, a vote was taken.

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
VINCENT VINCI	X			
JAMES LAURO	X			
NICODEMO PANETTA	X			
E. PAUL PERCUSSI	X			
RUSSELL BUCCO	X			

CERTIFICATION

I, **E. PAUL PERCUSSI**, Secretary of the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 1, Township of Aberdeen, hereby certify the forgoing to be a true copy of a Resolution passed by the Board of Fire Commissioners, Fire District No. 1 at a regular meeting held on November 4, 2024.

WITNESS, my hand and seal, this 4th day of November 2024.



E. Paul Percussi
Secretary of the Board
Fire District No. 1
Aberdeen Township, New Jersey

**RESOLUTION 2024-5A
GOVERNING BODY CERTIFICATION OF THE ANNUAL AUDIT**

November 4, 2024

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A.40A:5-4 REQUIRES THE GOVERNING BODY OF EVERY LOCAL UNIT TO HAVE MADE AN ANNUAL AUDIT OF ITS BOOKS, ACCOUNTS AND FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS, and

WHEREAS, the Annual Report of Audit for the year 2023 has been filed by a registered Municipal Accountant with the Clerk of the Board of Freeholders pursuant to N.J.S.A.40A:5-6, and a copy has been received by each member of the governing body; and

WHEREAS, R.S. 52:27BB-34 authorized the Local Finance Board of the State of New Jersey to prescribe reports pertaining to the local fiscal affairs; and

WHEREAS, the Local Finance Board promulgated N.J.S.A. 5:30-6.5, a regulation requiring that the governing body of each municipality shall, by resolution certify to the Local Finance Board of the State of New Jersey that all the members of the governing body have reviewed, as a minimum, the sections of the annual audit entitled "Comments and Recommendations; and

WHEREAS, the members of the governing body have personally reviewed, as a minimum, the Annual Report of Audit, and specifically the sections of the Annual Audit entitled "Comments and Recommendations, as evidenced by the group affidavit form of the governing body attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, such resolution of certification shall be adopted by the Governing Body no later than forty five days after receipt of the annual audit, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 5:30-6.5; and

WHEREAS, all members of the governing body have received and have familiarized themselves with, at least the minimum requirements of the Local Finance Board of the State of New Jersey, as stated aforesaid and have subscribed to the affidavit, as provided by the local Finance Board; and

WHEREAS, failure to comply with the regulations of the Local Finance Board of the State of New Jersey may subject the members of the local governing body to the penalty provisions R.S. 52:27BB-52 to wit:

R.S. 52:27BB-52: A local officer or member of a local governing body who, after a date fixed for compliance, fails or refuses to obey an order of the director (Director of Local Government Services), under the provisions of this Article, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, maybe be fined not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both in addition shall forfeit his office.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Aberdeen Board of Fire Commissioners of Aberdeen Fire District No. 1, hereby stats that it has complied with N.J.S.A. 5:30-6.5 and does hereby submit a certified copy of this resolution and the required affidavit to said Board to show evidence of said compliance.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THE RESOLUTION PASSED AT THE MEETING HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 2024.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'E. Paul Percussi', is written over a horizontal line.

E. Paul Percussi
Secretary/Clerk

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

We, the members of the governing body of the Aberdeen Board of Fire Commissioners in the county of Monmouth being duly sworn according to law, upon our oath depose and say;

1. We are duly elected members of the Aberdeen Board of Fire Commissioners of Aberdeen Fire District No. 1, in the County of Monmouth;
2. In the performance of our duties, and pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-6.5, we have familiarized ourselves with the contents of the Annual Municipal Audit filed with the Clerk pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:5-6 for the year of 2023;
3. We certify that we have personally reviewed and are familiar with, as a minimum, the sections of the Annual Report of Audit entitled "Comments and Recommendations"


Vincent Vinci 

James Lauro 

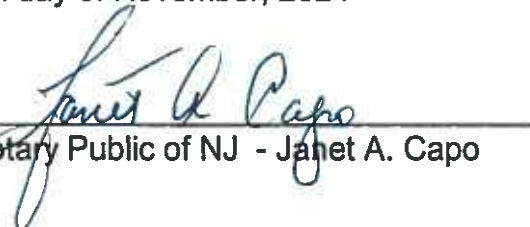
E. Paul Percussi 

Nicodemo Panetta 

Russell Bucco 


E. Paul Percussi
Secretary/Clerk

Sworn to me and subscribed before me this
4th day of November, 2024


Notary Public of NJ - Janet A. Capo