

**Benson Fire Department**  
Meeting Minutes  
Wednesday, December 13, 2023

Members present: Scott Messer, Adam Stewart, Sam Bartholomew, Jerod Glover, David Bartholomew, Elizabeth Austin and Timothy Austin.

Meeting was called to order at 7:30pm

Motion was made by Scott and seconded by Adam to appoint Ed Peltier as moderator. Motion passed.

Nominations were opened for Fire Chief as follows:

David Bartholomew nominated by Scott, seconded by Sam.

Sam Bartholomew nominated by Adam, seconded by Elizabeth.

Nominations closed by Sam, seconded by Adam.

Paper ballots were distributed and results were Dave 7 votes and Sam 1 vote.

Nominations were opened for Assistant Fire Chief as follows:

Adam Stewart nominated by Sam, seconded by Scott.

Nominations closed by Sam, seconded by Elizabeth

Paper ballots were distributed and results were Adam 8 votes.

Nominations were opened for 2 Captains as follows:

Jerod Glover nominated by Sam, seconded by David.

Sam Bartholomew nominated by Adam, seconded by Scott

Scott Messier nominated by Elizabeth, seconded by Adam

Tom Neuman nominated by Jerod Glover, seconded by Sam

Nominations closed by Sam and seconded by Elizabeth.

Paper ballots were distributed and results were Sam 8, Scott 3, Jerod 4 and Tom 1.

The 2024 Slate of Officers is as follows:

Fire Chief: David Bartholomew

Assistant Fire Chief: Adam Stewart

Fire Captains: Jerod Glover and Sam Bartholomew

Motion to adjourn at 7:50 by Sam Bartholomew

Respectfully submitted.