



RENSSELAER COUNTY

Fire Advisory Board

MEETING NOTES

Meeting Held: Tuesday, May 5, 2026
Time: 4:30 p.m.
Location: 99 Troy Road, East Greenbush, NY 12061
Attendance: **Attached**
Notes prepared by: Cheyenne MacGilfrey, Legislative Assistant

Notes:

Items discussed:

- Chair Brooking and Vice Chair Boel met with Jay Wilson, Ed Heffern, and Bob Loveridge. Productive meeting, with next meeting scheduled for June 1st.
- Moving forward with old fire coord info if Exec does not support PS plan. Board will update if needed.
- Mutual Aide Truck Company Class
- ANY completed parts of the Mutual aide plan appreciated.
- Insurance coverage (personal and vehicle) by County.
- Portable radios at end of life. Requirements given to chiefs/departments, but no funding to get acceptable radios. County Chiefs Association would be willing to be conduit for grant for member unit purchases.
- Letter will be written for grant opportunities for radios.
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Public Safety have been absent all year and have provided no input to the Board.

Board reappointments done in January G/32/26 and Richard French was added in March G/107/26.

Web page updates are being made. Please let Jessica know if you have anything you would like added.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, June 2, 2026 @ 4:15 p.m.