

HYANNIS FIRE DISTRICT
95 HIGH SCHOOL ROAD EXT.
HYANNIS, MA 02601

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Peter Cross
Dennis Sullivan
Laura Cronin
Demetrius Atsalis
Victor Skende

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS --- SPECIAL MEETING
AUGUST 8, 2018

Chairman Cross called the special meeting to order at 11:30 am.

PRESENT: Commissioners Cross, Cronin, Sullivan, Skende and Chief Peter Burke.
(Commissioner Atsalis joined meeting in progress).

Chairman Cross recognized Chief Burke. Burke reviewed Lt. Richard Knowlton's 32 years of service with the Hyannis Fire Department. Burke referred the Board to MGLs (Line of Duty in Chapter 32 Section 94B). Lt. Knowlton's death, within 5 years of last date of service is defined by statute as presumptive occupational cancer.

Chief requested the Board approve the expense of an amount not to exceed \$11,000 from the Gifts of Funds Account to be paid directly to those providing services. Chief is negotiating with Town for donation of burial service at Mosswood Cemetery. After memorial services, FF Union 2172 will provide collation at the Cape Cod Conference Center.

Sullivan moved that the Board authorize the expenditure of a sum of NET \$11,000 from the Gifts of Funds Account for the funeral services for Lt. Knowlton. Seconded by Cronin. Passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Victor Skende
Clerk