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 **General Order # 1,060 April 2021**

 **Date: Friday, April 16 2021**

 **Location: Virtual via ZOOM**

 **Time: 2000 hours**

 **Program: “Fires of the City of Champions” presented**

 **By Mr. Robert Myers.**

**Guest Speaker**

Our guest speaker for the April meeting is noted fire photographer and well-known buff, Mr. Robert Myers of Brockton, MA. Bob has been chasing fires in the Brockton area for many years. He is a Fire Alarm Operator for the Brockton Fire Department.

Bob will be presenting a retrospective of Brockton jobs of the past, which will feature many of the Seagrave and Mack rigs that served the City. This will be a great show, make sure you log in and don’t miss this one!

**March Meeting**

The March meeting had 53 members and guests log in to hear BFD Commissioner Dempsey update us on his plans for the Boston Fire Department. Then Mr. Peter Barber of Schenectady, New York gave a program of a number of New York State Fire Department’s.

**Membership**

The application of Mr. David Delaney will have its first reading at the April meeting. He is sponsored by members James Cullen and Frank Barry.

**150th Anniversary of the Great Boston Fire**

November 9th & 10th 2022 will have been 150 years ago that Box 52 was sounded at 7:24 PM for the first alarm of the Great Boston Fire. President Conway has established a Banquet Committee to organize an event to commemorate the fire. The committee held its first meeting on March 31st. More information will be forth coming.

**Lawrence 5th alarm Easter Sunday**

Once again a Box 52 member was the first arriving Chief Officer at this fast moving blaze involving several buildings at Saratoga & Bennington St. Member John McInnis quickly ordered additional alarms, which prevented additional buildings from becoming involved in this densely populated neighborhood. Thanks to member Peter Aloisi for the photos and information.

 

**Reminders**

* Virtual Meeting Friday, April 16th at 2000 hrs.

By Order of the President Newsletter Editor

Richard Conway Frank San Severino

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR JOINING ZOOM MONTHLY MEETING**

**Topic: Box 52
Time: April 16, 2021 08:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

[**https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81755933054?pwd=TVhvS1ppUjVnbW9oTDFTT0xSTDlyZz09**](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81755933054?pwd=TVhvS1ppUjVnbW9oTDFTT0xSTDlyZz09)

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