

**Campton Thornton Fire Commissioners**  
Campton, Thornton and Ellsworth Selectmen  
Joint Budget Hearing -  
January, 8, 2007

This Annual Meeting was chaired by Bill Cheney, Campton's Chairman of the Selectmen.

The budget was reviewed and a few minor changes were made and approved. The COLA was changed to 3% in keeping with the other COLA for the 3 towns' Employees.

After the Budget approval Chief Tobine presented the need to replace 32 year old Engine #1 with a 2500 gallon tanker/pumper with tandem wheels. This was discussed at length and the Selectmen voted to think on the issue and reopen discussion and make a final Decision at the January, 23, 2007 Thornton Selectmen's' meeting.

Chief Tobine presented the ambulance budget and also his proposal for a new ambulance for our department which the proposal showed would save the three towns considerable money in just a short time. A member of the Belmont Ambulance/FD was in attendance and described what a money making project this has proven for their department.

A unanimous affirmative vote was taken and this will be a warrant article in March.

Respectfully Submitted,

Nancy Byerly, Secretary