

Bristol Town Administrator

From: Brett LaRose Fire Chief <bristolfiredepartment@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, May 5, 2022 4:13 PM
To: Bristol Fire Department Google Group
Cc: Bristol Town Administrator; Ian Albinson (ianalbinson+sb@gmail.com)
Subject: Fwd: Resignation

To all BFD Personnel:

The following note is from James Hockett. As you are all aware, James has been on a leave of absence since last July when he and Jill welcomed a new baby. Due to unforeseen circumstances, James has made the difficult decision to resign from the Bristol Fire Department as he and his family are preparing to move to Panton where they have purchased a home.

If you happen to cross paths with James in the coming weeks please take a moment to wish him and his family well in this next chapter of their life.

Thank you,

Brett LaRose
Chief
Bristol Fire Department

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From: James Hockett <jhockett26@gmail.com>
Date: Mon, May 2, 2022 at 4:39 PM
Subject: Resignation
To: Bristol Fire Department <bristolfiredepartment@gmail.com>

Dear Bristol Fire,

It's with great sadness I have officially announced my resignation from the Bristol Fire Department.

As some of you may know my family and I have been trying to purchase the property we currently reside in on Maple St. With the markets the way they are the dream of owning this home is no longer an option for us at this point. We have found a home in Panton and will be moving in early June.

It's been an absolute honor serving alongside all of you not only as a firefighter but also as an officer. I will always have a special place in my heart for BFD. It seems like yesterday I solely moved to Bristol just to be apart of this organization. You should all be proud to be part of it as well.

We look forward to this new chapter in our lives and hope to keep in touch with many of you.

Please remember to train hard, fight hard and as always have fun doing so.

F-26 signing off.

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James Hockett, Firefighter F-26
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