I am running for a third term as a commissioner for the Cromwell Fire District on Monday, October 5, 2020. I would appreciate your vote so that I may continue to serve the people of Cromwell. I take pride in living in this town for almost 50 years and helping in the community. I have been vice president of the commission for the last two years and served as Acting President from March 1,2020 to the end of May, 2020 in the absence of the President during the COVID crisis.

Committees that I have been on:

Building Safety Committee
District Operations Committee
Executive Operations Committee Chairman – Responsible for creating/passing the yearly budget
Pension Committee
Personnel Committee
Public Safety Tower Committee Chairman
Water Operations Committee Chairman/Vice Chairman

I have been a past member of the fire department as well an original member of the ambulance division. I have also served the department as deputy fire marshal, the fire department's spokesman, a fire dispatcher and was appointed the first chief dispatcher for the fire dispatch center.

As a member of the Fire Commission, we once again had another "zero" increase in the fire tax on your home and vehicles as well as a "zero" increase in your water rates. We are all dedicated to maintaining the best possible service to our residents/taxpayers. The board of Fire Commissioners has also voted to put a freeze on spending except for safety reasons and put a 90-day freeze on paying your water and tax bills.

I am looking forward to serving you for another term. Mark your calendar for Monday, October 5. Voting will take place at the Town Hall from 6:00-8:00 pm. If you are unable to make it, we now have absentee ballots. You may obtain the ballot from the District's Administrative Office (860) 635-4420.