

**VILLAGE OF CHERRY VALLEY, IL
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES
TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2016**

CHAIRMAN: JEFF FUSTIN
MEMBERS: NANCY BELT DAVID SCHROEDER

Chairman Jeff Fustin called the meeting to order at 6:45 PM. A Roll Call was taken:

NANCY BELT	PRESENT
JEFF FUSTIN	PRESENT
DAVID SCHROEDER	PRESENT

Also present: President Jim E. Claeysen, Trustees Gary Maitland, David Schroeder, Treasurer Karen Melloch, Public Works Director Chuck Freeman, and Chief of Police Larry Neville.

ADOPT AGENDA: Trustee Belt moved to adopt the agenda. Trustee Schroeder seconded. All "Aye"; none opposed. Motion carried by voice vote.

APPROVE MINUTES: March 8, 2016. Trustee Schroeder moved to approve the minutes for March 8, 2016. Trustee Belt seconded. All "Aye"; none opposed. Motion carried by voice vote.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

CHIEF'S REPORT:

1. Officer Personette's Actions in Loves Park

Chief of Police Larry Neville reported Officer Personette's involvement in saving 13-14 people from an apartment complex fire on May 2, 2016. Without regard for his own personal safety Officer Personette, along with Loves Park officers, entered the building and rescued the tenants. He noted Officer Personette will be honored at the second Board Meeting in June 2016 for his quick actions with a commendation medal.

2. Annual Report for 2015

Chief of Police Larry Neville presented the Cherry Valley Police Department 2015 Annual Report. Some of the items noted in the report: crime index/rate down from last year 326 reported down to 323, decrease in incidents at the mall down 15.6% due to increased patrols around the mall and extra assignments for foot patrol in the mall, Chief not happy with overall crime in the Village itself is up due to residents being encouraged to call the Police Department if they see something happening, in June Chief Neville will

finalize the beat assignment system for specific patrol areas to make contact with residents, overall solve rate up 6% from 2015 the detective doing an excellent job working to solve cases and officers taking additional steps to get information, calls for service up 7.5% this is anything from officers finding an open door to taking action on something called in by a citizen, Citations are down but the Police Department is down three officers compared to previous years, also less involvement in traffic details with the State of Illinois moving officers back to normal patrol rather than 5-6 hours for traffic enforcement, State of Illinois not reimbursing the Police Department for these traffic details, motor vehicle accidents up from 255 to 276 mostly property damage no fatalities, personal injury accidents down by 7. (Copy place on file with Committee minutes).

Chairman Fustin asked about posting information on the Village's website to alert residents to be aware of potential crime. Chief of Police Larry Neville indicated the department does use Facebook postings when looking for individuals. Trustee Schroeder noted if you are a member of the Police Department's Facebook page it will automatically send a message to your smart phone.

3. Update on Records Management Conversion

Chief of Police Larry Neville noted the Police Department has started the conversion which is working ok with some minor issues with our particular system. He indicated he will be meeting with Winnebago County IT this week to iron them out.

4. Overtime/Part time Report

Chief of Police Larry Neville indicated the Police Department between over time/part time is over budget +\$22,802.86. Thus far reimbursement from the State of Illinois has been \$12,934.63 with the State of Illinois still owing the Village \$6,105.00 for traffic details. In addition, the department is down officers and that will be resolved hopefully in the next month or so. (Copy placed on file with Committee minutes).

5. Awards Policy

Chief of Police Larry Neville distributed copies of a draft Awards Policy breaking down in detail each award. He asked committee members for their recommendations by the end of the month. (Copy placed on file with Committee minutes).

ADJOURNMENT: Seeing there is no other business, Trustee Belt moved to adjourn at 6:58 PM. Trustee Schroeder seconded. All "Aye"; none opposed. Motion carried by voice vote.

Recorded by Interim Recorder Barb Neville
Minutes reviewed by Chairman Fustin on May 12, 2016

AGENDA
VILLAGE OF CHERRY VALLEY, IL
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING
TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2016
6:45 PM

CHAIRMAN: JEFF FUSTIN
MEMBERS: NANCY BELT DAVID SCHROEDER

ROLL CALL:

ADOPT THE AGENDA:

APPROVE THE MINUTES: May 10, 2016

PUBLIC COMMENT:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Officer Nyman attendance at accident reconstruction training.
2. Sgt. Pearse be approved to take the Police Command and Staff course online.
3. E-Citation implementation by the department.

CHIEF'S REPORT:

1. Update on zone/beat assignments.

ADJOURNMENT:

JF (06/02/16)