

Public Safety Committee Meeting Minutes

June 22, 2015

1801 Hrs – Meeting called to order By Chairman Metzler

Roll call conducted, members present: Chairman Metzler, Councilor Reese. Also present: Mayor Bradley, Police Chief Williams, Fire Chief Hall and Kim Brewer.

Public input period: Amy Snyder, 44 E Main St, advised the committee that there are no off street parking areas assigned to 44, 46 & 48 E Main St. The residences are owner occupied and therefore have no requirement to provide off street parking. Residents of those addresses cannot park for more than two hours between 0800 and 2000 hrs. Mayor Bradley advised that the committee would discuss the matter and devise a solution to the issue.

Ned Sterling, 13 W Main St, asked the status of Regionalization efforts and asked if letters of interest were sent to other area municipalities to gauge interest. Chairman Metzler advised that there is currently only an information gathering effort under way and that no formal requests have been sent.

1813 Hrs - Councilor Deering arrived

FDMJ Report presented by Fire Chief William Hall

-Chief Hall advised that there is currently a county wide recruitment effort underway that is supplemented by local departments.

EMA Report presented in writing, Ken Barto absent from meeting.

Old Business covered by Police Chief Maurice M Williams, Jr

- UGI/PPL Manufactured Gas Plant Remediation Plan – The latest plan was discussed concerning the need for Hopewell St to connect with W Main St. A vote was taken and it was decided that the plan would be sent to the full council for consideration as is.
- Keyless Entry System – Purchase Order submitted
- Detective Vehicle Replacement - Purchase Order submitted
- Part time Officer – Background investigation completed on top candidate. Physical and Phsysc evals scheduled.
- New Hire, full time Officer – Background investigations completed on four candidates. Civil Service Commission meeting to be scheduled.

New Business covered by Police Chief Maurice M Williams, Jr

- A request to display a Kids Joy Land Banner was submitted by Councilor Deering – the motion passed and the request was sent forward to the entire council for action.

Budget covered by Police Chief Maurice M Williams, Jr

- Line items 410.174 (Training), 410.183 (Overtime) and 410.238 (Uniforms) were discussed.

1902 Hrs - Councilors Metzler, Reese and Deering, Mayor Bradley and Chief Williams conducted an executive session to discuss personnel matters. Council President Glessner was present for the executive session. Chief Williams was excused at 1914 hrs. The executive session concluded at 1935 hrs.

1937 Hrs – Councilor Metzler made a motion for adjournment and the motion was seconded by Councilman Reese.