Public Safety Committee Meeting Minutes

May 22, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order by Councilor Reese at 1831 Hrs.

ROLL CALL

Present were: Councilor Reese, Councilor Deering, Councilor Smeltz, Mayor Bradley, and Police Chief Williams.

Also present: Sam Sulkosky.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

A change to the agenda to add an Executive Session prior to the first Public Input Period was requested. The agenda was adopted by Councilor Smeltz, seconded by Councilor Deering with the change added.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The committee went into Executive Session at 1832. At 1910 the meeting continued.

PUBLIC INPUT

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion to approve the minutes for the regular Public Safety Committee meeting held on April 24, 2017 was made by Councilor Smeltz and seconded by Councilor Deering. Motion carried unanimously.

FDMJ REPORT

Mayor Bradley reported that the new truck was delivered. After the Memorial Day parade the truck will be sent out for the equipment to be installed.

EMA REPORT

No report.

OLD BUSINESS

Main Street Parking No report.

Main & Marietta cross walk update

An email from Public Works Director Dennis Nissley regarding painting the crosswalks was discussed. The Committee recommended that the crosswalks be painted in the interest of public safety.

Main St crosswalks – audible walk signal

The hardware for the audible walk signal has been ordered. As soon as the parts are delivered the cross walk will be updated.

NEW BUSINESS

None

BUDGET

Chief Williams submitted the budget report showing line items that have exceeded the budget. Vehicle maintenance is up slightly due to repairs needed and new tires for two of the vehicles. Overall, the budget is on track and is \$11,256.65 under budget for the year.

PUBLIC INPUT

None

ANY OTHER MATTER PROPER TO COME BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

Chief Williams reminded the committee that the Memorial Day Parade will take place on Saturday.

Sam Sulkosky reported that members of the Borough Council will be meeting with a new insurance provider to determine if there will be any cost savings to the Borough.

Sam Sulkosky reported that research is being done to replace the street lights throughout the Borough with more efficient LED lights. Currently, 453 lights are eligible to be replaced. He will also be looking into grant money that may be available for this project.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

None.

ADJOURNMENT

At 1945 Hrs. Councilor Smeltz made a motion to adjourn; seconded by Councilor Deering.

Submitted by Susan Birchall