



Des Peres Public Safety Department  
1000 N. Ballas Road  
Des Peres, MO. 63131  
January 3, 2018

The meeting of the Board of Public Safety Commission was held at 7:00 p.m. on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 2018 in the Public Safety Building for the transaction of such business that may come before the Commission.

Present: Commissioner Chair.....Larry Beermann  
Commissioner.....Robert Ashcraft  
Commissioner.....Joanne Sullivan  
Chief.....Keith Krumm  
Captain.....Eric Hall  
Captain.....Sean Quinn  
Support Lieutenant.....Robert Willoughby  
Administrative Asst.....Mónica Llorián

Not Present: Alderman.....Ben Sansone  
Commissioner.....Jerry Lund

**ROLL CALL**

Commission Chair Beermann opened the meeting. Administrative Assistant Llorián commenced with the roll call. There was a quorum with Alderman Sansone and Commissioner Lund absent.

**HEAR CITIZENS**

None

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Commissioner Beermann made a motion to table the minutes of the December 4, 2017 meeting until the next meeting. Commissioner Sullivan seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

**AMENDMENT TO THE AGENDA**

None

## **ALDERMANIC REPORT**

Chief Krumm stated that with Alderman Sansone not present, there was no aldermanic report for the meeting.

## **BUDGET**

Chief Krumm stated that the department is under budget even with a few outstanding bills pending for 2017. He stated that in first aid supplies and building maintenance funds are over budget. He concluded that department is currently 9.75% under budget and that he anticipates being 4-5% under budget once all of the 2017 bills have been paid.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Commissioner Ashcraft presented the commission with an article from the Post-Dispatch regarding the Robertson Fire Protection District near Hazelwood, Missouri. Commissioner Ashcraft stated that the article sparked a question in his mind regarding the annexed area off Barrett Station Road that Des Peres currently pays West County Fire & EMS to service. Commissioner Ashcraft asked if Des Peres could dissolve their agreement with West County.

Captain Hall stated that he believes that it the Hazelwood agreement was prior to the change in the State statute, but he will do some research.

Captain Quinn believes Kevin O'Keefe is currently working this case for Hazelwood and could supply us with an answer.

Commissioner Ashcraft presented the commission with a comment a resident posted on the department's Facebook page. He stated that the comment posted gave a huge compliment to a Des Peres Police Officer who paid for part of a woman's groceries at Aldi's because was short of money. Commissioner Ashcraft asked if the department knows, which officer is was that did such a noble and kind gesture.

Captain Hall stated PSO Ryan Kellenberger was the officer that helped the woman and that PSO Kellenberger requested no personal recognition for his actions.

Commissioner Ashcraft, Commissioner Beermann and Commissioner Sullivan want to recognize PSO Kellenberger for his kind action in assisting this woman and the positive representation of himself and the department of Public Safety.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

### **Community Exchange Zones**

Chief Krumm stated that the community exchange zone is officially up and running. He stated that due to the extreme cold weather, there is a delay in installing the signage in the parking lot. He concluded that the signs will be installed once the weather warms up.

**CALEA Update**

Lt. Willoughby stated that the earliest CALEA conference for the department to be recognized will be in May 2019. He stated that he asked the rep if the department could be moved up to an earlier conference but was told the prior two conferences had been cancelled. Lt. Willoughby stated that the department would go through a mock assessment in March 2018 and a full on-sight assessment in October or November of 2018.

Chief Krumm stated that once the department passed the full assessment in October or November 2018, the department will be accredited and recognized at the May 2019 conference.

**Disposal of Old Radios**

Chief Krumm stated that there was a delay in inventorying all the old radios to be disposed of due to the holidays and people being out sick. He concluded that once there is inventory taken, Wireless USA will come out and take the old radios.

**ADJOURNEMENT**

Commissioner Sullivan made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Ashcraft seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 7:21 p.m.

Minutes Prepared by:

ATTEST:

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Mónica Llorián, Administrative Asst.

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