



ORANGE DEPARTMENT OF POLICE SERVICE BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

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COMMISSIONER NYJAHWAHN WALKER
COMMISSIONER CHRISTOPHER HANSEN

BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS Immediately following Traffic Authority Meeting January 12, 2026

Unapproved Minutes

Commissioner Cuzzocreo called the meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners to order at 4:40 p.m.

Commissioners Present:

Commissioner Roy Cuzzocreo
Commissioner Nyjahwahn Walker
Commissioner Christopher Hansen
Commissioner Christopher Carveth

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Sgt. Robert Gagne
ORANGE TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT
Records Division

Commissioners Absent:

Commissioner Marian Hurley

Also Present:

Chief Robert Gagne
Assistant Chief Max Martins (via phone)
Kathy Giulia, Board Secretary

Minutes

Commissioner Walker seconded by Commissioner Hansen, made the motion to approve the minutes of December 8, 2025, Board of Police Commissioners Meeting. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Commissioner Walker seconded by Commissioner Hansen, made the motion to approve the minutes of December 22, 2025, Board of Police Commissioners Meeting. **The motion passed 3-0 with Commissioner Hansen abstaining.**

Reports

Activity of the December: Chief Gagne discussed December statistics with the Commissioners. The Board was informed that in December there were 45 criminal arrests and 76 motor vehicle citations. There were no burglaries, and no stolen or recovered motor vehicles. In addition, there were 35 larcenies and 101 motor vehicle accidents. There were 3033 calls for service that generated 548 written reports.

Chief Gagne reported that the Records Division took in report sales of \$344.00, \$230.00 in permits, \$50.00 in fingerprints, and \$10.00 in record checks for a total of \$634.50 in December.

Expenditures

Chief Gagne highlighted the following expenses for December; accident reconstruction training, carpet cleaning for the building, body worn cameras (reimbursable by a grant), K-9 food and medicine, speed trailer annual software, ammunition (reimbursable from the Union), Flock cameras (paid from Asset Forfeiture) and the repair to car 13.

Budget Balances

Chief Gagne advised the Board that the budget is in good order.

Annual Report

Chief Gagne also discussed the annual activity of the Department for 2025 and the changes in certain calls for service, including medical, motor vehicle thefts, burglaries and failure to stop.

Old Business

Flock: Chief Gagne updated the Board with information regarding the passing ordinance and the bid process being bypassed. First Selectman Zeoli approved the purchase of 5 cameras from Flock to be used in the southside of Town.

26-27 Budget: Chief Gagne advised the Board that the budget they approved on December 22, 2025, will be presented to the Budget Planning Committee on February 6, 2026 at 8:00 am.

New Business

None.

Correspondence

Thank you letter from Chief Gagne to Ofc. Repice and Ofc. Griffith for their participation in the Shop with a Cop event.

Thank you letter from Chief Gagne to Lt. Kosh, Det. Artabane, Ofc. Correia, Ofc. Piscitelli for their participation in the Shop with a Cop event.

Thank you note and holiday card from Donna Shanley to Chief Gagne.

Thank you letter to Donna Shanley from Chief Gagne for the cookie tray.

Thank you letter from Chief Gagne to Dr. Chhabra for the donation to purchase breakfast for the Department.

Thank you letter from Chief Gagne to John and Michael Bakis for their efforts to make our tractor parade display a huge success.

Thank you letter from Chief Gagne to Phyllis McGrath and Patrick Sheehan for their generous donation.

Email from Det. Peterson to the Chiefs and Supervisors praising Ofc. Hajrula for his work on a case.

Personnel

Resignation letter from Andrew DeClement: Commissioner Carveth seconded by Commissioner Hansen made a motion to accept the resignation as presented. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Commissioner Carveth seconded by Commissioner Hurley made a motion to enter Executive Session at 5:05 p.m. **The motion passed unanimously.**

The Board came out of Executive Session at 5:25 pm.

Commissioner Carveth seconded by Commissioner Walker, made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:25 p.m. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Respectfully Submitted, Kathy Gulia, Board Secretary