



ORANGE DEPARTMENT OF POLICE SERVICE
BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

COMMISSIONER ROY CUZZOCREO
COMMISSIONER CHRISTOPHER CARVETH

COMMISSIONER JOHN BARTON

COMMISSIONER MARIAN HURLEY
COMMISSIONER NYJAHWAHN WALKER

BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS
Immediately following Traffic Authority Meeting
Monday June 13, 2022

Unapproved Minutes

Commission Chairman Barton called the meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners to order at 5:11 p.m.

Commissioners Present:

Commissioner Jack Barton

Commissioner Christopher Carveth (via ZOOM call)

Commissioner Marian Hurley

Commissioner Roy Cuzzocreo

Commissioner Nyjahwahn Walker

Commissioners Absent:

Also Present:

Police Chief Robert Gagne

Assistant Chief Max Martins

Kathy Gulia, Board Secretary

Minutes

Commissioner Hurley seconded by Commissioner Carveth, made the motion to approve the minutes of the April 11, 2022 Board of Police Commissioners Meeting. **The motion passed 3-0 with Commissioners Cuzzocreo and Walker abstaining.**

Commissioner Walker seconded by Commissioner Hurley, made the motion to approve the minutes of the May 9, 2022 Board of Police Commissioners Meeting. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Commissioner Hurley, seconded by Commissioner Carveth made a motion to approve the minutes of the May 23, 2022 Special Meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners. . **The motion passed 3-0 with Commissioners Cuzzocreo and Walker abstaining.**

Reports

Activity of the Department: Assistant Chief Martins discussed May statistics with the Commissioners. The Board was informed that there were 43 criminal arrests and 65 motor vehicle citations. There were 2 commercial burglaries, 3 stolen motor vehicles and 2 recovered vehicles. In addition, there were 47 larcenies and 61 motor vehicle accidents. There were 3,825 calls for service that generated 513 written reports. Assistant Chief Martins advised that ISU is working on many cases, including the commercial burglaries and background checks for officers and dispatchers.

Chief Gagne reported that the Records Division took in report sales of \$177.75, \$1,905.00 in permits, and parking tags of \$125.00 for a total of \$2,207.75.

Expenditures

Chief Gagne highlighted some expenditures from May including holsters and mag pouches and a recoil kit, all of which were paid for by a Board of Finance transfer of money from salaries. He also noted Behavioral Health for wellness exams required by the Police Accountability Bill, pre-employment psychological exams, training for Glock Armorer and a Dell Computer which the Fire Marshal paid half of.

Budget Balances

Chief Gagne advised that all is in order, there are no concerns, the budget will end in the black and transfers will be done as needed.

Old Business

FARO Crash Reconstruction Program: Chief Gagne advised that we have requested this through Short Term Capital. The Finance Director along with the approval of the Board of Finance moved money from salaries to allow this purchase.

Citizens Academy: Chief Gagne advised that the academy has gone very well. Graduation will be Wednesday June 15, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. and invited the Commissioners to join.

Training Room/EOC: Chief Gagne updated the Board that this room is almost complete. The money from the JAG Grant purchased docking stations, large monitor, small monitors, super computer, computer cabinet, etc.

New Business

None.

Correspondence

Letters to Lieutenant DeRubeis and Sergeant Scott from Chief Gagne thanking them for their efforts in the replacement pistol roll out.

Letter from Kelly Orzel, Racebrook School Volunteer, to Officer Castelao thanking her for her participation in their Touch a Truck Event.

Letter from The Griswold Family thanking Officer Kirby for his assistance when Mrs. Griswold went into labor.

Personnel

Training: Chief Gagne advised the Board that training is continuing both in person and virtually for the pistols, etc. Post University in Waterbury is proposing a program that is approved by POSTC that will supplement our in-house training.

Commissioner Walker, seconded by Commissioner Hurley made a motion to enter Executive Session at 5:29 p.m. **The motion passed unanimously.** The Board invited Chief Gagne and Assistant Chief Max Martins into Executive Session.

Commissioner Walker, seconded by Commissioner Carveth made a motion to bring the Board out of Executive Session at 5:46 p.m. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Commissioner Cuzzocreo seconded by Commissioner Walker, made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:46 p.m. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Respectfully Submitted,
Kathy Gulia, Board Secretary