



**Incorporated 1787**

**Board of Police Commissioners  
Tuesday, August 4, 2015  
Meeting Minutes  
7:00 PM Town Hall Commission Room**

**Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM**

**Commissioners Present: Bill Brady Chairman, Beth Gralnick Vice Chairman,  
Jess DiPasquale, Susan Moch, Peter Ottomano, Woody Bliss,  
Jeff Eglash**

**Others Present: Chief Troxell**

- 1. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 2. Consideration / Approval July 7, 2015 Meeting Minutes**

**Commissioner Brady motioned to approve June 2, 2015 Meeting Minutes, 2<sup>nd</sup> by  
Commissioner DiPasquale, all in favor.**

**3. Chiefs Update**

- a) Road Safety Updates – Old Mill Road – DOT wanted to close Old Mill Road.  
The 1<sup>st</sup> Selectman Gayle Weinstein and State Senator Toni Boucher got involved  
- Old Mill Road will now remain open but the DOT refuses to pay the Police  
Officers to help direct traffic during business hours when work crews are  
engaged there. Chief Troxell believes this is a mistake even if DOT provides  
extensive signage. The Highway workers recommend that Police Officers  
control the traffic rather than utilizing signage.**
- b) Commissioner Brady made a motion to go into Executive Session at 7:10 PM,  
Commissioner Ottomano motioned to go into Executive Session, all in favor.**

**The Commission came out of Executive Session at 10:26 PM. A motion was made and seconded to promote Officer Chris Powers to Detective. The vote was unanimously in favor.**

**The Commission adjourned at 10:30 PM.**

**Respectfully submitted,  
Mary Gunshor  
Police Commission Recording Secretary  
Approved 9/1/15**