Board of Police Commissioners

Thursday, March 12, 2015 Special Meeting Minutes
7:00 pm Town Hall Commission Room

Commissioners Present: Bill Brady Chairman, Beth Gralnick Vice Chairman

Commissioners Absent: Jess DiPasquale, Susan Moch, Woody Bliss, Jeff Eglash, Peter Ottomano

Others Present: Chief Troxell

1. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Consideration / Approval of February 3, 2015 Meeting Minutes

Commissioner Brady stated that we do not have a quorum tonight so we cannot approve the February 3, 2015 meeting minutes.

3. Chiefs Report

Policies – Video Camera Updates – CPCA and also Post C are collaborating for a model policy for video body cameras. The Westport Police Department is currently doing a pilot program they have been given Taser Body Cameras. The Chief spoke to the company that manages our servers, if Weston was to use body cameras we would set up a separate server and the equipment could be downloaded on docking stations, it would date it, time it and the Officers badge # would be assigned to that camera and all of the information would be stored on our server.

Road Safety Updates – Once the snow has thawed we will be conducting a study on Old Mill Road.
Public Facility Update – The Chief will do a presentation on April 11, 2015 to the Kiwanis club.

Chiefs Monthly Review – Waiting for re-imbursement from CIRMA. McGraw and Greenfield are doing very well.

Brief discussion regarding fraud scams.

Alarm Software is currently being updated.


Possible Dates for Physical Agility Test for new hire – April 3rd is the cutoff date for taking applications, Saturday, April 18, 2015 – Physical Agility test at the High School from 8:00 am – 1:00 pm. Two seats are reserved for the FBI Academy in October. The written test for the new hire will be Saturday, May 2, 2015 we will reserve the Cafetorium at the Intermediate School 8:00 am – 1:00 pm. The Oral Board the week of May 25th – May 29th. The top five can either come to the June 2, 2015 Commission Meeting or we can have a Special Meeting.

The Detective Test – The Detective Study Guide recommends that you give the Officers at least sixty days to study before giving the written test. The oral test has to come before the written test. The week of June 22 thru June 26 is for the Oral Board for the new Detective. The written test for the Detective test will be July 6th thru July 10th. July 13th we can swear in the new Officer and July 14th we can swear in the new Detective.

No additional Business for Commission Consideration.

The meeting adjourned at 8:11 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Gunshor
Police Commission Recording Secretary

Minutes Approved 4/7/15