

**Committee of the Whole
Public Safety Committee**

Wednesday, February 14, 2024

7:00 a.m.

Village Board Room

Attendance

Committee Members:	
Timothy Nugent, Mayor	X
Timothy Boyce, Trustee	X
Todd Crockett, Trustee	
Diane Dole, Trustee	X
Joel Gesky, Trustee	X
Sam Martin, Trustee	X
Wendell Phillips, Trustee	X
Other attendees:	
Chris LaRocque, Village Administrator	X
Jim Hanley, Supt of Public Works	X
Al Swinford, Chief of Police	X
Ryan Marion, Building Official	X
Sheila Martin, Treasurer	X
Jakob Knox, Community Relations Dir	X
Robin Batka, Village Clerk	
Darla Hurley, Deputy Village Clerk	X

Trustee Dole called the meeting to order at 7:00 a.m.

A motion made by Trustee Martin, seconded by Trustee Boyce, to approve the minutes of the January 10, 2024, as presented; motion carried by voice vote. All ayes, no nays.

Public Participation: None

Items for Discussion:

- **2023 Yearly Report** – Chief Swinford presented copies of the 2023 Year End Report that was compiled by Sgt. Skelly. *(enclosed in packet)*
- **Significant Case Updates** – Local resident was arrested by KMEG for solicitation of minors. This is an individual that the department is familiar with and has been arrested by our department also. A report was taken from a 70-year-old resident who was scammed on-line for \$540,000 involving crypto-currency. The FBI has been asked to investigate the incident.
- **Monthly Stats** - See packet for details.
- **Personnel Update** –
 - One officer on light duty – full staffing is 21 officers
 - Interviewing a possible lateral entry hire.
 - Continuing to look at new hire list

- SRO Contract expires in July 2024 – will have Officer Tobeck reach out to school officials. Mayor Nugent would like to see expenses and stats during Officer Tobeck’s time with the school.

- **Damage/Vandalism Recap** – There were no new items added to the list.

Chief Swinford will schedule a meeting for the use of Park Rangers at the Square. Previous park rangers will be contacted to see if they would like to return for another year.

A motion by Trustee Gesky and seconded by Trustee Martin to adjourn the meeting at 7:21 a.m. Voice vote – all ayes.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Darla Hurley, Deputy Village Clerk