

Town of Hamden Police Commission
Minutes of the Meeting
May 13, 2015

Attending: Raeann Curtis, Michael Iezzi, Robert LaTorraca Betty Murray, Mitchell Strickland, Police Chief Wydra, Deputy Chief Cappiello

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Iezzi called the meeting to order at 8:52 P.M.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Chairman Iezzi entertained a motion to approve the minutes of the meeting of April 8, 2015. Mr. LaTorraca motioned to approve the minutes of the meeting of April 8, 2015, with the correction that Ms. Murray was not present at the meeting, seconded by Mr. Strickland. ***The motion carried unanimously.***

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS

None at this time.

MONTHLY REPORT

- a. Review of department activity – Chief Wydra advised the Commission that Jay Hankins and Kyle Sampognaro will be graduating the academy on Monday My 18, 2015 and if they would like to attend to let him know he will arrange seats for them. He noted that 4 vehicles have been delivered to Bob Thomas Ford. Officer Geary has returned to work on a modified capacity. The Legislative Council has passed the 2015-2016 Budget including a new position in the records department and a full time officer.
- b. Correspondence – various Thank You letters.

OLD BUSINESS

- a. Budget Review – Chief Wydra advised the Commission the Budget has been passed.

NEW BUSINESS

- a. Request to park vehicle at Government Center – A request to park the P.L.A.C.E. Trolley at the Government Center from the Town Attorney Sue Gruen was presented. A brief discussion ensued and Ms. Curtis motioned to approve the request as presented, seconded by Mr. Strickland. ***The motion carried unanimously.***

REVIEW OF POLICIES AND PROCEDURES – (Executive Session if needed)

Nothing t this time!

EXECUTIVE SESSION

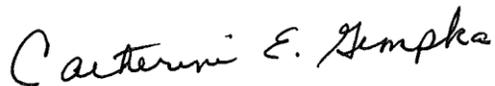
- a. Interview candidates for Certified Officers to fill two (2) positions – At 8:58 p.m. Ms. Curtis motioned to go into Executive Session for the purpose of reviewing files and interviewing candidates for two Certified Officer positions, seconded by Ms. Murray. ***The motion carried unanimously.***
At 9:26 p.m. Mr. LaTorraca motioned to reconvene from Executive Session, seconded by Ms. Murray. ***The motion carried unanimously.***
Mr. LaTorraca motioned to hire Luis Rivera and Lloyd Barrett, Jr. to the position of Certified Police Officer, seconded by Ms. Murray. ***The motion carried unanimously.***

ADJOURNMENT

At 9:27 p.m. Mr. Strickland motioned to adjourn, seconded by Ms. Murray. ***The motion carried unanimously.***

The next meeting will be Wednesday, June 10, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. in the Legislative Council Chamber Memorial Town Hall, 2372 Whitney Ave., Hamden CT.

Recorded by,



Catherine E. Gempka
Commission Clerk