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PERSONNEL AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING (Meehling/Blaies/Heap/Matchett) Wednesday, September 26, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.

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Chairperson Lisa Meehling called the meeting of the Personnel and Public Safety Committee to order on Wednesday, September 26, 2018 at 6:46 p.m. Those present were Chairperson Lisa Meehling, Trustee Mike Blaies, Trustee Mike Heap, Trustee Ray Matchett, Mayor Seth Speiser, Trustee Denise Albers, Trustee Dean Pruett, Village Clerk Jerry Menard, Police Chief Mike Schutzenhofer, Village Attorney Fred Keck, Public Works Director John Tolan (absent), Village Administrator Tony Funderburg and Office Manager Julie Polson. Guest present: Janet Baechle.

POLICE:

A. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Police Department Expansion: Chairperson Meehling advised the pre-bid meeting for the police expansion has been set for Friday, October 5th at 2:00 p.m.

B. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Chief Mike Schutzenhofer Distinguished Team Award: Chairperson Meehling congratulated Chief Mike Schutzenhofer on receiving the Distinguished Team Award from the Illinois Chapter of the International Association of Arson Investigators for his work on an aggravated arson and homicide investigation at the Orr Weathers Housing Complex.

PERSONNEL:

A. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Approval of August 29, 2018 Minutes: Trustee Ray Matchett motioned to approve the August 29, 2018 Minutes and Trustee Mike Blaies seconded the motion. All voting yea, the motion carried.

B. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Executive Session to Discuss Personnel, 5 ILCS 120/2-(c)1: Not needed. Chief Schutzenhofer stated he would like to hire a part-time officer. Jacob is currently employed with the St. Clair County Sheriff's Department and is the Chief of Police in Lenzburg.

Trustee Ray Matchett motioned to recommend to the full Board Jacob Hoffman be hired as a part-time police officer and Trustee Mike Blaies seconded the motion. All voting yea, the motion carried.

Mike advised he will be interviewing the applicants soon for the full-time officer position.

C. GENERAL CONCERNS: None.

D. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: Janet asked if the Mike's award will be mentioned Monday night, and Chairperson Meehling stated it will be mentioned in the committee meeting report.

E. ADJOURN: Trustee Ray Matchett motioned to adjourn at 6:53 p.m. and Trustee Mike Blaies seconded the motion. All voting yea, the motion carried.

Julie Polson
Office Manager



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