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PERSONNEL AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING (Meehling/Blaies/Matchett/Miller) Monday, December 16, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.

Trustee Lisa Meehling called the meeting of the Personnel and Public Safety Committee to order on Monday, December 16, 2024 at 6:36 p.m. Those present were Chairperson Lisa Meehling, Trustee Mike Blaies, Trustee Ray Matchett, Trustee Dana Miller, Mayor Seth Speiser, Village Clerk Jerry Menard, Trustee Tom Carpenter, Trustee Bob Kaiser, Village Attorney Fred Keck (absent), Police Chief Mike Schutzenhofer, Public Works Director John Tolan, Village Engineer Tim Pruett, Village Administrator Matt Trout and Office Manager Mary Downen. Guest present: None. There were no guests present via Zoom.

POLICE:

A. OLD BUSINESS:

1. K9 Program: Village Administrator Matt Trout said he spoke with the person that controls the trust. She confirmed that there is \$22,321 in the trust. She sent a list of what the money can and can't be used for. He let her know what our plan was and that this would probably utilize most of the money and she was fine with it. There was a discussion regarding pay and Matt said he will get more information and then discuss further.
2. Police Officer Hire: Police Chief Mike Schutzenhofer said the new officer will be sworn in tomorrow at noon. Trustee Meehling asked when does he start and Chief Schutzenhofer responded Wednesday night and went over his training schedule.

Chief Schutzenhofer summarized the 124 calls since last meeting

B. NEW BUSINESS:

1. SRO Contract: Matt said he has started talking to the grade school. Looking into doing a shorter contract to get in line with the union contract and once in line we can do a longer contract. He hasn't spoken with the high school yet.

PERSONNEL:

A. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Approval of November 18, 2024 Minutes: Trustee Mike Blaies motioned to approve the November 18, 2024 Minutes, and Trustee Dana Miller seconded the motion. All voting yea, the motion carried.

B. NEW BUSINESS: None.

C. GENERAL CONCERNS: None.

D. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: None.

- E. ADJOURN: Trustee Dana Miller motioned to adjourn at 6:52 p.m., and Trustee Ray Matchett seconded the motion. All voting yea, the motion carried.

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Mary Downen

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Office Manager