

VILLAGE OF SOUTH BARRINGTON

30 South Barrington Road
South Barrington, IL 60010

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES

WEDNESDAY, August 17, 2022

AT 3:30 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Abbate called the meeting to order at 3:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Chairman Joseph Abbate, Trustee Stephen Guranovich

Members Absent: Trustee Edgar Alvarado

Officials Present: Mayor Paula McCombie, Trustee Stagno

Staff Present: Police Chief Thomas Roman, Administrative Assistant Nicole Vaccarello

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Trustee Guranovich moved to approve the minutes of the Public Safety Committee for June 8, 2022. Seconded by Chairman Abbate. **Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.**

PUBLIC COMMENT

Chairman Abbate invited members of the public to address the committee. Hearing none, the meeting proceeded with the published agenda items.

OLD BUSINESS

Chief Roman discussed personnel updates. Michael Garrison, our new Deputy Chief, starts on the 29th. Officer Kevin Doyle is on FMLA, he and his wife welcomed a baby boy so he will be out until mid-September. Officer Matthew Fauth is nearing the end of his probationary period. Sergeant Puralewski has created an assessment for him. There will be a staff meeting to discuss Officer Fauth's progress. Chief went on to discuss the Sergeant Process will begin soon with the written exam. There are currently 5 candidates. We will also need to be placing and ad for 2 patrol positions. One to fill the spot when we moved Walsh to detectives and the other to fill the spot when we move someone into the Sergeants spot. The Police Commission approved new lateral entry language into the Police Commission rules. We have 2 spots reserved with Cook County for Academy in January so we'll have to move quickly.

Chief went on to discuss the IPRF Safety Grant for Tasers. Officer Kevin Doyle and Officer Michael Ornelas will be the trainers. Classes for them will be arranged locally.

Chief Roman discussed the patrol car situation. Two have been ordered. They should be here in October or November. He went on to say that WatchGuard system was delivered and we will get the squad 473 in to MPC soon for install. He also said that we ordered the redaction software. We will build our own server and it should save about \$1500 by doing this.

NEW BUSINESS

Chief Roman discussed the training and evidence software. A program called Beast is used by many local departments and the crime lab. A new records management system (RMS), we have three being considered, will also be more NIBRS compliant.

Chief Roman went on to discuss traffic safety. He stated the end of the radar trailer and traffic analyzer season is coming to a close in the next 6-8 weeks. If there are locations where the analyzers or radar trailers

should go, please let him know. Trustee Guranovich asked about the truck traffic on Penny Rd. Chief explained that it has decreased significantly.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mayor McCombie mentioned that our lawyer is looking into something about Liberty Drive not being in our jurisdiction.

Mayor McCombie mentioned a recent request about a block party. Road closings are not allowed.

Mayor McCombie stated that BACOG is looking for a volunteer for the Connectivity Committee that is responsible for bike paths. A man named Brad Fritz has been the only volunteer.

Trustee Stagno mentioned an article he saw from Evanston, that the police had funding reduced and now they don't respond to certain calls anymore.

Chief mentioned that a Hindu Holy man will be in town and we were asked to escort him from the Trinity Yoga center in Carpentersville to the residence he's staying at and back the next day.

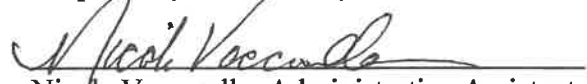
EXECUTIVE SESSION (IF NEEDED)

None.

ADJOURNMENT

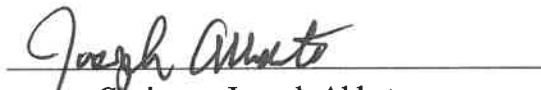
There being no further business, Trustee Guranovich moved to adjourn the meeting at 4:16 p.m. Chairman Abbate seconded. **Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.**

Respectfully submitted by:



Nicole Vaccarello, Administrative Assistant
to the Chief of Police

These minutes were approved this
21 day of September, 2022



Chairman Joseph Abbate