

VILLAGE OF SOUTH BARRINGTON

30 South Barrington Road
South Barrington, IL 60010

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES

WEDNESDAY, May 17, 2023

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

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

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Trustee Guranovich moved to approve the minutes of the Public Safety Committee for February 15, 2023. 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, he proceeded with the rest of the published agenda items.

OLD BUSINESS

Chief Roman informed the committee that Officer Parkhill is doing well.

Chief explained that the Police Commission has two interviews scheduled for Monday May 22, 2023.

Chief also mentioned the two gas cars we ordered (replacing hybrids that never came in) will be delivered Friday. The outfitter wont install all of the parts until we have everything on hand. That should be in August. However, this new outfitter can get the car road ready in a week.

NEW BUSINESS

- A. Chief Roman explained the need to purchase two new AEDs to replace two older ones. The cost for these is \$2,796.50. The Committee asked for a motion to bring this purchase to the board for approval. Trustee Guranovich made a motion to bring the purchase of two AEDs for the total of \$2,796.50 to the board. Seconded by Chairman Abbate. **Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.**
- B. Chief Roman discussed the want to purchase two of the Starchase deployment systems for two of the squad cars. This is the system that deploys a sticky GPS tracking device onto a vehicle used in crime. The Committee asked for a motion to bring this purchase to the board for approval. Trustee Guranovich made a motion to bring the purchase of two Starchase systems for the total of \$17,829.00 to the board. Seconded by Chairman Abbate. **Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.**
- C. Chief Roman explained the need to purchase four new patrol rifles for the department. He added that we have four old ones, where the stock is not adjustable and that makes is difficult for some of the smaller officers to hold comfortably. The Committee asked for a motion to bring this purchase to the

board for approval. Trustee Guranovich made a motion to bring the purchase of four new patrol rifles for the total of \$3,124.06 to the board. Seconded by Chairman Abbate. **Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.**

OTHER BUSINESS

Chairman Abbate asked if there was any other business, and Chief Roman mentioned that we had a stolen vehicle from the Willowmere subdivision. Mayor McCombie suggested that a Code Red message be sent out. The incident is under investigation.

The Committee and the Mayor discussed some immigration issues involving Chicago and Cook County, and how these things may effect South Barrington.


EXECUTIVE SESSION (IF NEEDED)

None.

ADJOURNMENT


There being no further business, Trustee Guranovich moved to adjourn the meeting at 4:03 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
19 day of July, 2023


Chairman Joseph Abbate