

ROSENDALE POLICE COMMISSION

Commissioners Supervisor Jeanne Walsh, Anthony Stenta, Joe Hafner

November 28, 2023 Police Commission Meeting

Rondout Municipal Center

3:35 p.m. Meeting called to Order

Pledge of Allegiance: Supervisor Walsh

Present: Supervisor Walsh, Commissioner Hafner, Commissioner Stenta; Councilman Havranek, Sergeant Quigley, Community Liaison Richard Wright, Community Liaison Terry Johnson

Absent: Chief Schaffrick

Supervisor Walsh made a motion to approve the minutes from the October 24, 2023 meeting; 2nd by Commissioner Stenta; Roll Vote: 3 Yes.

Report:

Correspondence: Sergeant Quigley stated that there was no correspondence received and no responses received for the Police Commission survey. Supervisor Walsh stated that the survey is until December 31, 2023 and will report responses in January.

Personnel: Sergeant Quigley stated that Chief Schaffrick would like to hire Geovanni Villalon as a part time police officer and his background investigation is completed. Supervisor Walsh stated they will go into Executive Session to discuss further.

Vehicles: Sergeant Quigley stated that all vehicles are operational and that Chief Schaffrick is looking to possibly replace a vehicle towards the end of 2024 or beginning of 2025 for vehicle 362. Sergeant Quigley stated the status is unknown for the old 365. There was a brief discussion about options for that vehicle.

Grants: Sergeant Quigley stated the department was waiting for the LiveScan and painting has started in that room and looking to install cabinets in early January. Sergeant Quigley stated that DWI High Visibility there were 7 shifts for the Thanksgiving weekend out on patrol.

Department STATS: Sergeant Quigley stated that she will email the STATS tomorrow to everyone.

Training: Sergeant Quigley stated that Officer Normann recently attended Taser Training. Officer Scheible attended Field Training Officer school and we now have 2 Field Training Officers. Sergeant Quigley stated that Cycle 4 training was cancelled by the Ulster County Sheriff's Office but that Chief Schaffrick is planning an in-house department training in January with our officers.

Old Business: Sergeant Quigley stated that evaluations are underway and Sergeant Lewis conducts those and that Accreditation is still ongoing. Sergeant Quigley stated that from Chief Schaffrick's meeting on October 24, with Division of Criminal Justice Services and Ulster County Civil Service, Emergency One will now be conducting all of our medicals in accordance with Executive Law Section 6000.10 as well as Civil Service. Supervisor Walsh stated she was waiting for paperwork for a contract with Emergency One with the Police Department from Chief Schaffrick.

Supervisor Walsh made a motion at 3:52 p.m. to go into Executive Session to discuss the employment of a particular person; 2nd by Commissioner Stenta. Roll Vote: 3 Yes.

Executive Session ended at 4:09 p.m. Supervisor Walsh made a motion to hire Mr. Villalon as a part time police officer; 2nd by Commissioner Stenta. Roll Vote: 3 Yes.

Meeting ended at 4:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Peggy Dingman
Deputy Town Clerk