



Public Safety Advisory Committee Meeting August 23, 2012

Carol Colleen called the meeting to order at about 5:30 pm.

Attendance: Carol Colleen, Betty Lightfoot, Cerissa Farrington, Ted Kotsakis, Brian Cooper, Steven Prom, Norm Cooper

Staff Present: Chief Kenneth Johnson, Kristi Walls Records Specialist

Absent: Council Liaison Steve Owen, Susan McKinney

August 23, 2012 agenda was unanimously approved.

May 31st, 2012 Minutes were approved unanimously.

There was no public comment.

The Chief updated the PSAC group with the following information:

The Chief gave a Red light Camera update. A detailed presentation will be given to City Council on September 5th, 2012.

The bike rodeo that was being planned for this year is canceled due to an illness in the department. It will be held again next year. Chief Johnson asked for volunteers to help collect donations for our bike helmet program.

The Chief gave an update on the photo radar in the schools zones. City Council approved moving forward with this.

Update on the Post Office congestion and hazards. Turtles have been installed in the road and a section of curbing was painted to limit parking on the curve by the credit union. Steve Prom reported that the turtles have been an effective in reducing speed in this area.

Because of reduced funding, the Awards Program will probably be held in the afternoon with coffee and dessert.

The Chief gave a brief explanation about the property taxes and how they affect compression. This has a potential impact on staffing recommendations the PSAC committee might make.

Chief Johnson asked for committee members to participate on a Staffing Committee. Carol Colleen and Cerissa Ferrington will spearhead the committee to research funding options for two officers 24/7.

The Chief informed the PSAC committee that he would be at the International Chief's Association in San Diego from September 27th – October 3rd.

Ted Kotsakis gave an update on his Technology Goals Committee. He reported on the top 10 up and coming new devices for military and civilian police. The PSAC group gave their approval for Ted to work with the Chief on ways to pursue funding for the officer cameras and I pad's.

The next meetings are scheduled for October 25th and November 29th.

Meeting adjourned 6:55

Submitted by

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Approved by

Carol Colleen

Date

25 OCT 2012
