



SEYMOUR POLICE DEPARTMENT

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MINUTES-REGULAR MEETING BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2015 7:00 P.M. 11 FRANKLIN STREET SEYMOUR POLICE DEPARTMENT

Members present: Lucy McConologue, Steve Chucta, Robert Koskelowski and William Paecht (Frank Conroy absent). Also in attendance: Chief Metzler, Deputy Chief Satkowski, Inspector DeNigris, Officer Oczkowski, Officer Scheithe and Cmdr D'Antona.

1. **Meeting was called to order** at 7:00 p.m. by Chairwoman McConologue.
2. **Pledge of allegiance:** was led by Commissioner Chucta.
3. **Public Comment:** None.
4. **Approval of minutes of regular meeting on January 21, 2015**
Robert Koskelowski/Steve Chucta motion to accept the minutes. **Motion: 4:0**
5. **Commissioner's Comments:**
Commissioner Paecht wanted to know the status of street signs in town as people do not know where the streets are. Commissioner Koskelowski stated that the Chief should send a letter to the First Selectman's office asking to take inventory of what signs are missing and to note that a street sign is needed alerting tractor trailer drivers not to use Silvermine Road to get to the industrial park.
6. **Old Business:**
 - 6a) Board accepted Patrol reports as handed out.
 - 6b) Board accepted Detective reports as handed out. Commissioner Koskelowski wanted to know if certain cases go to certain detectives to which Inspector DeNigris replied yes based upon the training the detectives have received.
 - 6c) Board accepted SRO report as handed out.
 - 6d) Board accepted K-9 report as handed out.
 - 6e) Board accepted car report as handed out. Inspector DeNigris stated that all wipers on the cars have been replaced because of the bad weather.
 - 6f) William Paecht/Robert Koskelowski motion to table the Duty Manual until the next meeting. **Motion: 4:0**

7. **New Business:** None.

8. **Management Report:** Chief Metzler reports that Cmdr Rinaldi sent some patches to an officer who was shot in the line of duty, income doing well, looking to trade in 3 cars, budget holding up well, working on JAG grant-hoping to buy an enclosed trailer with any money received and maybe Ipads for every officer, Civic awards upcoming, budget was presented to the Board of Finance, drug raid done in town and Office Oczkowski saved an individual's life who tried to hang themselves in the cell block.

Robert Koskelowski/William Paecht motion to put the second K-9 position on the table.

Motion: 4:0.

Chief Metzler spoke on a donation that was made to the Police Department to fund the second K-9 position. The money donated will go to a new K-9 car and the dog. A specific bank account has been set up to handle the new K-9 position and all funds donated regarding the K-9 will go into this account only. Candidates for the position will be interviewed on Friday.

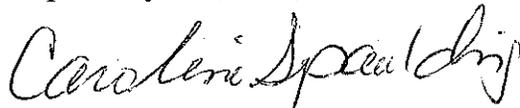
Robert Koskelowski/William Paecht motion to set a second K-9 position for the Seymour Police Department. **Motion: 4:0**

9. **Correspondence:** None.

10. **Other Business:** None.

11. **ADJOURNMENT** Steve Chucta/William Paecht motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:36 p.m. **Motion: 4:0**

Respectfully submitted,



Caroline Spaulding
Recording Secretary