



Des Peres Public Safety Department  
1000 N. Ballas Road  
Des Peres, MO. 63131  
June 4, 2018

The meeting of the Board of Public Safety Commission was held at 7:00 p.m. on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 2018 in the Public Safety Building for the transaction of such business that may come before the Commission.

Present: Commissioner Chair.....Joanne Sullivan  
Commissioner.....Robert Ashcraft  
Commissioner.....Jerry Lund  
Alderman.....Dean Fitzpatrick  
Chief.....Keith Krumm  
Captain.....Eric Hall  
Captain.....Sean Quinn  
Support Lieutenant.....Robert Willoughby  
Administrative Asst.....Mónica Llorián

Not Present: Commissioner Chair.....Larry Beermann

**ROLL CALL**

Commissioner Chair Sullivan opened the meeting. Administrative Assistant Llorián commenced with the roll call. There was a quorum with Commissioner Beermann absent.

**HEAR CITIZENS**

None

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Commissioner Ashcraft made a motion to approve the minutes of the May 7, 2018 meeting. Commissioner Lund seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

**AMENDMENT TO THE AGENDA**

None

## **ALDERMANIC REPORT**

Alderman Fitzpatrick introduced himself as the new Aldermanic liaison to the Commission. He stated that he has been a resident of Des Peres for over thirteen years and looks forward to participating in the Commission.

## **BUDGET**

Chief Krumm stated that the department is under budget overall. He stated that building maintenance is over budget due to updates & improvements required for CALEA accreditation. He added that first aid supplies have gone up as the number of calls has increased. He conclude that first aid supplies budget has been increasing every year due to an increase in EMS calls for service.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **Memorial Highway Designation**

Chief Krumm stated that the Oberkramer family approached the department asking if a section of highway 100 could be dedicated to fallen Des Peres Officer John Oberkramer who was killed in the line of duty on Christmas Eve of 1978. He stated that a section of Manchester Road/Highway 100 could be reserved for this request with the commission's vote to move this request forward to the Board of Alderman. Chief Krumm added that with the approval of the Board of Alderman, the department can then move forward requesting that the state dedicate a section of Manchester Road and have a memorial sign placed marking the location.

Commissioner Ashcraft made a motion to approve the Board of Alderman to proceed in designating a section of Hwy 100 to fallen Officer John Oberkramer. Commissioner Lund seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

### **Resident Camera Program**

Chief Krumm stated that details of the program are still being worked out and residents have not been made aware of the program at this point in time.

### **Insurance Services Office Audit for 2018**

Captain Hall stated that the public safety department will have their fire department services audited this year. He stated that last time the department was audited by the Insurance Service Office (ISO) was in 2004. He stated the auditors will only be on-site for about 1 ½ hours collecting information to complete the audit. He concluded that he hopes to receive a current rating of four or better.

### **CALEA Update**

Lt. Willoughby updated Alderman Fitzpatrick on all the department's CALEA guidelines and requirements. He stated that the department is on schedule to be CALEA accredited by November of 2018.

**DISCUSSION**

Chief Krumm stated that Anheuser Busch has received permission from MODOT for a special event that will include having the Clydesdales parade down Manchester Road, from Schnuck's to Dierberg's and then return westbound to Ballas and Manchester. He stated that the parade will be Friday June 29 and will last approximately one hour. Chief Krumm added that the Missouri Highway Patrol will be providing manpower to assist during the event as Manchester Road is a State highway.

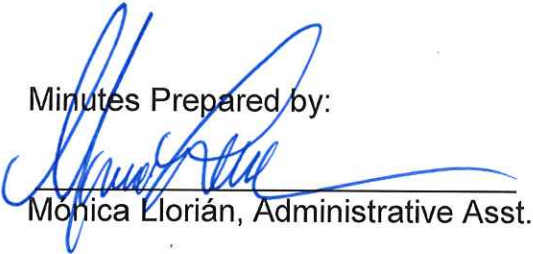
Commissioner Ashcraft stated that he read an article that Ladue Police department received a grant for new body armor. He asked if the department has the same type of vests. Lt. Willoughby stated the department does have ballistic vests and is reimbursed 50% of the cost through a federal grant. All officers are required to wear body armor while on patrol.

Commissioner Lund stated that he noticed in the Webster Kirkwood Times (WKT) that Des Peres seems to have more incidents of crime reported than other municipalities. He asked if there was a reason for reporting so many incidents. Captain Quinn stated that he reports as much as possible to WKT for the department to be as transparent as possible. Lt. Willoughby added that this is a CALEA requirement. Captain Hall concluded that some departments only report major events.

Alderman Fitzpatrick stated that he had received an email from a resident about additional stop signs in the area of Sarala and Grandview Heights. He asked how these requests are usually handled. Chief Krumm stated that such requests should be forwarded to the Board of Alderman and City Administrator for consideration. He concluded that once the City Administrator and the Board of Alderman is aware of the request, if there is any interest in moving forward, the request will be forwarded to the Director of Public Works and the Director of Public Safety for their review and recommendation.

**ADJOURNEMENT**

Commissioner Ashcraft made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Lund seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

Minutes Prepared by:  
  
Monica Llorian, Administrative Asst.

ATTEST:  
