

PORTER METROPOLITAN POLICE COMMISSION  
Special Meeting Minutes  
December 13, 2017

The Porter Police Commission was called to order at 6:35 p.m.

In attendance were Elka Nelson, Karen Pisowicz, Mark Lynk Chief James Spanier

Absent was Liaison Ross LeBleu

Approval of Minutes

Ms. Pisowicz made a motion to approve the minutes of September 19, 2017, Mr. Lynk seconded motion.

Motion passed 2-0

Monthly Reports

Chief Spanier states that November numbers are down from what they have had in past, it was a warm month.

Officer Dicky has school for first responders for bomb calls. He should do pretty good, he is a smart kid.

Old Business-

New Business-Dispatchers-Chief Spanier would like to hire 2 part-time dispatchers to help with cutting down full time dispatchers overtime. County has changed their schedule recently and we have a lot that work the same shift so we have full timers who have to fill the shift. We would also like to hire one or two if we can get them with experience. Ms. Pisowicz made a motion to approve hiring Jamalyn Bogan and Nicole Henderickson for part-time dispatchers, Mr. Lynk seconded motion.

Motion passed 3-0

Beards-Ms. Nelson asked to have this item put on the agenda. We did it last year for no shave November. Allow them to keep beard but follow a clean shaven. Beards are easier to enforce than tattoos. We can set up guidelines that can be followed and enforced. Ms. Nelson would like to explore this issue as long as board is ok with it. If we let them shave their head we should let them grow a beard. We will talk about it more at the next meeting.

Public Comments-

Comments-Liaison


Comments- Chief Spanier would like to thank you all for the special meeting.

Minutes approved this 20 day of MARCH 2018.

  
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President

  
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Vice-President

  
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Secretary

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