

PORTER METROPOLITAN POLICE COMMISSION
Minutes

January 20, 2015

The Porter Police Commission was called to order at 6:09 p.m. In attendance were Karen Pisowicz, President; Mark Lynk, Vice-President; Dave Silverthorn, Commissioner and Police Chief Jamie Spanier. Absent was Elka Nelson Town Council Liaison.

Lynk made a motion to nominate Pisowicz to be president and himself to be vice-president. Nominations accepted.

Lynk made a motion to accept the November 18, 2014 minutes. Motion carried.

According to Spanier the stats are down a little on the monthly reports. The department has resolved the frequency problem. Chesterton will switch since Porter's system is better. Porter had a grant to cover most expenses.

There was no old business.

Spanier also noted ^{that} ~~to~~ Detective Jason Casbon is going to be fine.

Under new business, the Commissioners discussed the qualifications of Timothy Pochron for part-time patrol officer. On the recommendation of Sgt. Joseph Torok, Lynk made a motion to accept Timothy Pochron as a part-time officer. Silverthorn seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Officer Tawni Komisarzik sent a letter requesting she be able to reside with her family in Kouts while she gets her finances in order. After discussion, the Commissioners agreed to Komisarzik doing this and to use a police car to and from work. Lynk made a motion to she be able to do this and the Commissioners will review the situation in 2 months. Motion carried 3-0.

Silverthorn was welcomed as a new commissioner.

Rita Newman was reappointed ~~as~~ secretary.

The commissioner discussed meeting every other month and it was decided to do just that. The next meeting will be the third Tuesday in March.

Meeting adjourned 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rita Newman". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Rita Newman, secretary