

PORTER METROPOLITAN POLICE COMMISSION
Minutes

January 15, 2013

The Porter Police Commission was called to order at 6 p.m. In attendance were Joe Wagner, President; John McCrum, Vice-President; Karen Pisowicz, Commissioner, Police Chief Jamie Spanier and Town Liaison David Wodrich.

McCrum made a motion to accept the November 20, 2012 minutes. Pisowicz seconded. Motion carried. McCrum made a motion to accept the November 20, 2012 Executive minutes. Pisowicz seconded. Motion carried.

During Monthly Reports, Spanier gave a Calls for Service comparison showing which months are the busiest. An update on the dispatcher situation with Chesterton is "being held hostage" by Frontier. He has not received a copy of the memorandum of understanding. Soon as that is received Spanier will give it to the Commissioners. Since the last meeting the part-time dispatcher has started working and seems to be doing quite well. Previous full-time hire is also doing a great job and in a month or so will be off on her own.

Last item is the update on the K9 and will keep everyone up-to-date.. X-rays show possible problems with hips and elbows. Dr. Reed and the doctor from West Lafayette both seem to think the dog is not suited for police work. Wagner feels we should go with our vet's prognosis.

There was no Old Business.

Under New Business, election of officers is to be held. Wagner made a motion to elect McCrum as Vice-President. Pisowicz seconded. Motion carried. Wagner made a motion to elect Pisowicz as secretary. McCrum seconded. Motion carried. Pisowicz made a motion for Wagner to continue as President. McCrum seconded. Motion carried.. McCrum made a motion that Newman continue as recording secretary for 2013.

Liaison Wodrich stated he would take the K9 information back to the Council.

Meeting adjourned 6:15 p.m.

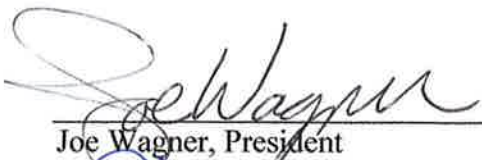
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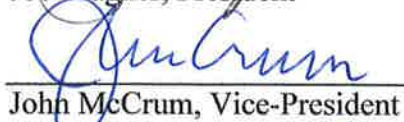
Rita Newman, secretary

Minutes approved this 19th day of Feb., 2013.

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Joe Wagner, President



John McCrum, Vice-President



Karen Pisowicz, Commissioner

Attest 

Rita Newman