

PRESENT: Don Dinius, Susan Rapoza, Sherron Smyth, Peter Twitchell and Wally Richardson.

Other people present: Police Chief McDonald, Lt. Chris Liu and Fire Chief Barker.

Chairman nominations made: Don Dinius and Sherron Smyth. After secret ballots were casted, Don Dinius got the vote and Sherron Smyth was elected as Vice-Chair.

Public Safety Chairman Dinius reviewed the resolution with the Committee members at this time regarding establishing regular monthly meetings. After discussion, following dates were set for the next 3 months: March 6th, April 3rd and May 1st, 1991, 7PM at the Fire Station Classroom. Following are the phone numbers for the public safety committee members: Mr. Dinius: 543-5245(wk), 543-2987(hm); Ms. Smyth: 543-3321 ext 257(wk), 543-5376(hm); Mr. Twitchell: 543-3131(wk), 543-3640(hm); Ms. Rapoza: 543-3414(wk), 543-5261(hm) and Ms. Richardson: 543-3541(wk), 543-3397(hm).

Basic agenda format accomplished, to be in the following order: Call to Order, Roll call, Approval of minutes, People to be heard, Approval of Agenda, New Business, Old Business and Adjournment.

Department reporting process was briefly discussed. Mr. Dinius suggested that the Committee try and participate in the 'Ride Along' program with the Police Department before the next meeting; and on individual basis, to visit the Police and Fire Department.

Police Chief McDonald indicated that what he would like to see the Committee do is look at the police and fire department programs and any comments welcome. Brief discussion on public safety equipment was discussed and it was also indicated that the whole safety package was at least \$2,300 which the Officers have to pay themselves.

Committee also reviewed with the Police Chief as to where the 6% budget cut would come in; after discussion, it was also suggested to review the Animal Control Agent's budget proposal.

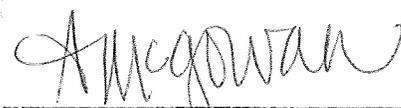
At the next meeting, it was requested that the City Manager be at the meeting. Police Chief McDonald concluded by indicating that any suggestions that the Committee may have were welcome.

Public Safety Committee adjourned at 9:15 PM.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 13 DAY OF March, 1991.


Don Dinius, Chairman

ATTEST:


Anna McGowan, City Clerk
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