



ALLEGHENY VALLEY REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT



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ALLEGHENY VALLEY REGIONAL POLICE COMMISSION MEETING

The meeting was called to order by the Chairperson, Rick Stoneburner at 4:30 p.m. at the Cheswick Borough Building located at 220 S. Atlantic Avenue, Cheswick, Pennsylvania followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL:

- Rick Stoneburner – Chairperson
- Amy Kuhns – Vice-Chairperson
- Anthony Taliani, Jr. – Commissioner
- Ken Igo – Commissioner
- Dan Carroll – Commissioner
- Brad Yaksich – Commissioner
- Jaclyn Shaw – Solicitor
- Chief Michael Naviglia
- Pamela Manning – Secretary

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:

Jason Whitmore of Springdale Township attended the meeting. He expressed concerns about not receiving a police report. The solicitor to address.

CHIEF OF POLICE REPORT:

The Chief of Police read the monthly report for December 2023. A total of 160 incidents: 6 Incidents, 3 Arrests, 3 Adult, 0 Juvenile, 3 Traffic Collisions, 12 Citations, 56 EMS. Chief provided the explanation of the breakdown of the report; UCR reporting system to the FBI. Provided explanation of how Allegheny County assigns a case number for each call received at the dispatch center.

GENERAL OFFICE:

1. Motion by Commissioner Kuhns to approve the meeting minutes for the December 12, 2023 regular monthly meeting, 2nd by Commissioner Yaksich. Motion passed unanimously.

BUDGET & FINANCE:

1. Motion by Commissioner Yaksich to approve the bill list as provided for January 2024, 2nd by Commissioner Igo. Discussion regarding why Simpson Tire, a local

- business is not utilized for tire purchases. Chief explained that they are not under the Federal program but are used for repairs. Motion passed unanimously.
2. Motion by Commissioner Yaksich to authorize the Chairperson, the Vice-Chairperson and Secretary/Treasurer as signers for all financial institutions, 2nd by Commissioner Carroll. Discussion followed regarding the bank signers. Motion passed unanimously.
 3. Motion by Commissioner Yaksich to remove Brad Stanzione as an authorized banking signature, 2nd by Commissioner Kuhns. Motion passed unanimously.

OPERATIONS COMMITTEE:

1. Motion by Commissioner Kuhns to purchase not more than four computer towers for the police station; to not exceed \$3,500.00, 2nd by Commissioner Carroll. Motion passed unanimously.
2. Motion to approve the reorganization –discussion and then tabled until the February meeting as Cheswick Borough had not reorganized for lack of quorum.
3. Motion to approve the tie-breaker policy – tabled until further research by solicitor.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Annual financial audit scheduled by MaherDuessel for end of February at a cost of \$7,150.00. Following discussion, the Board decided that the secretary should obtain quotes from other certified public accounting firms.
2. Newest lawsuit to be handled with the Solicitors from the municipalities.
3. Incident in Springdale Township was handled very well.
4. Chief asked for chain of command when notifying for major incidents. He is to advise the Chairperson who will notify the Board members.

ADJOURNMENT:

1. Motion by Commissioner Yaksich to adjourn at 5:42 p.m., 2nd by Commissioner Kuhns.

APPROVED ON THIS 13th day of February, 2024

ATTEST:




