



ALLEGHENY VALLEY REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT



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ALLEGHENY VALLEY REGIONAL POLICE COMMISSION MEETING

The regular month meeting of the Allegheny Valley Regional Police Department Board of Commissioners 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
- Dan Carroll – Vice-Chairperson
- Amy Kuhns – Commissioner
- Brad Yaksich – Commissioner
- Chief Michael Naviglia
- Jaclyn Shaw – Solicitor
- Pam Manning – Secretary
- Ken Igo – Commissioner (ABSENT)
- Anthony Taliani, Jr. – Commissioner (ABSENT)

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:

Alan Rice of Cheswick Borough attended the meeting to address the speeding on Hill Avenue, specifically a Ford Mustang. (Fast, loud and belligerent per resident)
Chief to install the portable speed device on Hill to obtain statistical data for patrols.
Commissioner Carroll to check into Cheswick's noise ordinance with the Borough's Solicitor.

CHIEF OF POLICE REPORT:

Chief read the report for January and February. January's report: 187 Events, 148 Incidents, 2 Arrests, 2 Adults, 0 Juvenile, 11 Traffic Collisions, 15 Citations, 62 EMS. February's report: 145 Events, 94 Incidents, 3 Arrest, 3 Adult, 0 Juvenile, 11 Traffic Collisions, 33 Citations, 42 EMS.

2019 Dodge Charger was sold through Municibid.

2 Details with 6 Officers each day of scheduled Boiler take-down for Springdale Borough. (Discussion of the impact of shut-down on first day regarding Cheswick's businesses)
Command Center has been completed and in full service.

Iron City Details are covered; increasing number of events in 2025. Meeting with Tarentum Borough officials to discuss traffic plan.

US Open will not be using the Pittsburgh Mills for parking so there will not be a need for special details for AVRPD.

Discussion regarding the future of hiring full-time officers.

GENERAL OFFICE:

1. Motion by Commissioner Kuhns to approve the meeting minutes from January 14, 2025, 2nd by Commissioner Yaksich. Motion passed unanimously.

BUDGET & FINANCE:

1. Motion by Commissioner Yaksich to approve the paid February bills due to the cancelled February meeting, 2nd by Commissioner Kuhns. Motion passed unanimously.
2. Motion by Commissioner Yaksich to approve the March bill list, 2nd by Commissioner Carroll. Motion passed unanimously.

OPERATIONS COMMITTEE:

1. Motion by Commissioner Kuhns to approve the Chief and K9 Carr to attend the 2025 National Workshop for the required updates of the North American Police Work Dogs Association, to not exceed \$2,000.00 in expenses plus the cost of Workshop, 2nd by Commissioner Carroll. Motion passed unanimously.
2. Discussion regarding the Civil Service Board – Tabled
3. Discussion regarding the Civil Service Testing – Tabled

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

Special Meeting to be held on March 25, 2025 to promote part-time employee to full-time status.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by Commissioner Kuhns to adjourn at 5:38 p.m., 2nd by Commissioner Carroll.