

SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES
Tuesday January 14, 2025

Tammy called the meeting to order at 6:00pm

Roll Call: Kevin Maloney, Steve Thorn, Patrick Frost

Others Present: Chief Urso, Mayor Tammy Meyer, Solicitor Bill Mason, Officers Paul Maroni, Miranda Brothers, Chase Sedivy and Zachary Sefcik.

Officers: Patrick elected as Chair (Steve motioned, Kevin seconded, all Ayes), Steve elected as Secretary (Patrick motioned, Kevin seconded, all Ayes)

Introductions: Chief introduced Sergeant Maroni and Officers Sedivy and Sefcik.

Minutes: Patrick made a motion to approve as amended; Steve seconded, all Ayes.

Department Report: Chief presented the Appropriations Status, Vendors and SRO reports.

Citizens: nothing

Old Business:

- **Ohio Collaborative:** Chief is working through Phase 1 of overall certification - needing to apply Lexipol changes - Deadline Feb 15th. Chief will pass on O.C. info to Steve and Patrick.
- **Diversion Program:** Looking to start around March 1. Brothers (Program Coordinator) is looking into setting up our own Diversion Program that mirrors others state-wide. Goal of moving (minors in particular) through a program of rehabilitation and corrective action in lieu of pressing charges.

New Business:

- **Employee Status:** Chase about ready to be released, Zachary still needs range qualifications. 2nd interviews done with 2 PT officers (one possibly FT), waiting on fingerprinting and references.
- **Ordinance 2024-60:** Extended discussion. Steve motioned to return the Legislation to Council, Kevin seconded, all Ayes.
- **EMA Visit:** Waiting on reply from them to firm up our visitation date, tentatively March 19th.
- **SRO Contract:** Currently expires at the end of school year. The Chief, Mayor and school Superintendent will be putting together a 3-year contract.
- **PR Events:** Discussion about setting dates soon for annual events. Tentatively Easter on April 12th, Halloween Bash on Friday Oct 31, Fill-A-Cruiser on Dec 12th. Looking to add an event in July.

Kevin motioned to adjourn at 7:03 pm, Steve seconded, all Ayes.