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POLICE COMMISSION MEETING
Monday, November 26, 2012
6:30P.M. -- Meeting Room 1

MEMBERS PRESENT: Commissioner's Rob Parlee, Steve Petty, Stan Nolan and Ed Fusco

MEMBERS ABSENT: Commissioner Frank Jackter

OTHERS PRESENT: Sgt. M. Petruzzi, Sgt. R. Suchecki, First Selectman Liaison Stan Soby, Sal Tassone, Jim Paggioli, Art Shilosky and Ryan Blessing

1. **Call to Order**
Commissioner Parlee called the Monday, November 26, 2012 meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.
2. **Additions to Agenda**
None
3. **Citizen's Comments**
None
4. **Officer's Comments**
None
5. **Review Correspondence**
None
6. **Approve minutes :**
October 22, 2012 Police Commission Meeting
Commissioner Petty **MOTIONED** to accept minutes of the October 22, 2012 meeting as typed.
SECONDED by Commissioner Fusco. All members present voted in favor, **MOTION CARRIED.**
7. **Budget Review**
Sgt. Petruzzi stated they are closely monitoring the officer's overtime schedule.
8. **Appropriation and Transfer**
None
9. **Resident Trooper Report (Sgt. Petruzzi)**
Sgt. Petruzzi read the November monthly report (see attachment #1)

10. Old Business

a. Discussion on Local Traffic Authority

Sal Tassone and Jim Paggioli gave the board members an overview of the past and current issues involving the local traffic authority. Discussion was had regarding the police commission's involvement now that they will oversee the local traffic authority for the town of Colchester.

b. Discussion and Possible Action on Five Year Equipment Plan

Commissioner Petty gave board members the first draft of the Colchester Police Five Year Equipment Plan which included present inventory and projected cost over the next five years. Discussion was had.

c. Discussion on Blight Ordinance

Discussion was had. Sgt. Petruzzi stated he sent an email to the First Selectman making him aware that the Police Commission is in favor of the Blight Ordinance and that the involvement of the officers will be as an information source.

11. New Business

a. 2013 Meeting Dates

Commissioner Petty **MOTIONED** to accept the 2013 meeting dates. **SECONDED** by Commissioner Nolan. All members present voted in favor, **MOTION CARRIED.**

12. Chairman/Commission Member Comment

None

13. Adjourn


Commissioner Petty **MOTIONED** to adjourn at 7:01p.m. **SECONDED** by Commissioner Nolan. All members present voted in favor. **MOTION CARRIED.**

Attachment

Resident Trooper Report (Attachment #1)

Note: This meeting was recorded by a digital audio recording system and is available through the Colchester First Selectman's office in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act.

Respectfully Submitted,



Gina Santos, Administrative Assistant



Resident Trooper Supervisor
Sgt. Marc Petruzzi #213

State of Connecticut



Colchester Police

Connecticut State Police Colchester Resident Troopers' Office

11/26/12

TO: Colchester Police Commission
RE: Monthly Report.

1. Monthly activity (October 2012) – Previously Submitted
 - a. SRO activity – C.A.R.D. classes have started at JJIS; narcotics arrest at Bacon Academy; several emergency committals; scheduling conflicts with Be Aware at BA; walk-throughs, etc.
 - b. All Personnel on full duty
2. Equipment –
 - a. Vehicles –
 - All vehicles in service; Car 6 nearing last legs
 - DPW order imminent. Final savings between bid and trade in approx. \$12K
 - b. In car computer status:
 - Replacement laptop for Expedition in service
 - c. In-car video system
 - Will be planning install for second vehicle.
 - Continuing computer glitch preventing wireless downloading. Met with vendor last week. Will be coordinating with DESPP on fix.
 - d. Firearms – Will be working on including in next budget.
 - e. New Department Coats – issued this week
3. Training
 - a. TASER re-cert to take place this month
 - b. Working on four-class spread for officers
4. Initiatives
 - a. Rx Drug Drop Box 90+ lbs. so far
 - b. C.A.R.D. – expanded # of classes at JJIS; working with PE staff at WJMS on inclusion in their existing substance abuse program
 - c. Met with C3 – agreed to provide assistance in events (touch-a-cruiser; child seat info; etc)
 - d. Food Drive @ Stop and Shop on 11/10; approx. 1360 lbs. of food and \$300+ collected; organized by Sgt. Suchecki; Labonte and DiMauro assisted.
 - e. Cop on Top on 12/8 1000-1400 Linwood and Main St.
5. Issues of Serious Discipline – NONE

Respectfully Submitted,

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