

**Police Commission Minutes
Regular Meeting
Monday, September 26, 2016
6:30P.M. – Town Hall
Room 2**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Commissioners Rob Parlee, Steve Caron and Sue Dubb

MEMBERS ABSENT: Commissioner Ed Fusco

OTHERS PRESENT: Sgt. M. Martinez, First Selectman A. Shilosky, Board of Finance Liaison James McNair III and Civic Students

1. Call to Order

Commissioner Parlee called the Monday, September 26, 2016 meeting to order at 6:30p.m.

2. Additions to Agenda

None

3. Citizen's Comments

None

4. Officer's Comments

None

5. Review Correspondence

None

6. Approve minutes: August 22, 2016 Police Commission Meeting

Commissioner Caron **MOTIONED** to approve the August 22, 2016 Police Commission meeting minutes as written. **SECONDED** by Commissioner Dubb. Commissioner Caron abstained. All members present voted in favor. **MOTION CARRIED**

7. Budget Review (Commissioner Fusco)

Tabled to next meeting

8. Appropriation and Transfer

None

9. Resident Trooper Report (Sgt. Martinez)

Sgt. Martinez read his report (attachment #1)

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2016 SEP 28 PM 3:37
POLICE COMMISSION
EDWARD FUSCO
TOWN CLERK

10. Local Traffic Authority

Commissioner Parlee stated he received an email regarding a public information meeting involving sign and pavement markings of horizontal curves on local roads that may involve the local traffic authority. Commissioner Parlee also stated he received an email regarding the yearly ghost run that will take place on the airline trails which has been approved.

11. Old Business

a. Discussion on Charter

Commissioner Parlee stated the Charter Commission is discussing possibly removing the Police Commission from the Charter and he will be attending the next meeting to gather more information.

b. Discussion on Police Officer's Body Cameras

Commissioner Parlee stated grants are available for body cameras and asked Commissioner Dubb to look into it. Discussion was had regarding equipment needed for data storage. BOF Liaison J. McNair asked the board if the cost of the body cameras comes before the BOF to please include the replacement cost for the equipment.

c. Discussion on Town Website Police Department Page

Commissioner Caron **MOTIONED** to approve the mission statement to post on the police department web page. **SECONDED** by Commissioner Dubb. All members present voted in favor. **MOTION CARRIED.**

d. Discussion on Narcan Overdose Drug

Sgt. Martinez handed out the Narcan policy and procedure draft for the commission to review.

e. Discussion Regarding Municipal Traffic Ordinances

Commissioner Dubb stated the Commission should look at the simplified town versions of traffic ordinances. Commissioner Parlee stated he will form a sub-committee to work on traffic ordinances.

12. New Business

None

13. Chairman/Commission Member Comments

Commissioner Parlee stated Stop & Shop will be having a food drive and asked if K-9 Josie would be able to make an appearance.

14. Adjourn

Commissioner Dubb **MOTIONED** to adjourn at 7:13 p.m. **SECONDED** by
Commissioner Caron. All members present voted in favor. **MOTION CARRIED.**

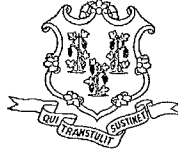
Attachment

Resident Trooper Report (attachment #1)

Respectfully Submitted,
Gina Santos



State of Connecticut



Resident Trooper Supervisor
Sgt. Martin Martinez # 124

Connecticut State Police Colchester Resident Troopers' Office

Colchester Police

TO: Colchester Police Commission
RE: Monthly Report for August 2016 (Sept. 26, 2016 meeting)

- I. **Monthly activity: statistics – previously submitted**
 - a. All personnel on full duty at this time.
 - b. The Midnight shift is manned by two of our junior Officers. The shift is stretching our other shifts thin and creating some overtime when earned days off, training and vacations days are used.
 - II. **Equipment:**
 - a. In car video/MDT-
The MVR cameras were checked on Nov. 04th by State Police personnel and Mario (IT Coordinator). Mario ordered the AP access point to place in the office, it has been delivered and it will be placed just outside of the office. This device will assist in the downloading of the MVR's. **Arrangements are being made to install the device.**
 - c. The State Police have not settled on a vendor to purchase body cameras.
- Officer Training:**
- a. All our Officers have been POSTC recertified.
- III. **Initiatives:**
 - a. RX Drug drop box. – over 1,152 lbs of prescription drugs have been dropped off to date.
 - b. Officers are conducting visibility/enforcement patrols at numerous locations within the town. The Speed Trailer has been deployed at numerous locations throughout the town and is currently on Miller Road.
 - c. During the month of July and September 19th. Officer Jonathan Goss has utilized “Josie” on motor vehicle stops approximately 13 times. Refer to the attached.
 - d. **Notable Investigations:**
None to report.

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