



TOWN OF UXBRIDGE
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
UXBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 01569

Chairman Benn Sherman Director DPW
Chief William Kessler, Fire Dept.
Chief Jeffrey Lourie, Police Dept.
David Genereux, Town Manager
Kevin Carney, School Superintendent
Peter Emerick, Retired

MEETING MINUTES

APR 7 '16 AM 10:58

MEETING DATE: March 3, 2016
MEETING LOCATION: Uxbridge Police Department, 275 Douglas Street

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Benn Sherman	Uxbridge DPW
David Genereux	Uxbridge Town Manager
Jeffrey Lourie	Uxbridge Police Department
William Kessler	Uxbridge Fire Department

Received by
Uxbridge
Town Clerk

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Valerie Nowlan	Recording Secretary
Larry Lench	Uxbridge Building Inspector
Neil Vaidya	Our Lady of the Valley School Parents' Guild President
Peter DeMers	Uxbridge Resident

I. CALL TO ORDER

It being 9:37 am, the meeting being properly posted, duly called and a quorum being present, the meeting was called to order by the Chair.

II. OLD BUSINESS

1. Approval of minutes: **Motion by William Kessler, seconded by Jeffrey Lourie to accept the minutes of the February 4, 2016 Public Safety Committee Meeting. Motion carried 4-0-0.**
2. Request For Streetlight: At the February Public Safety Committee meeting, Chief Lourie expressed interest in a light at the Uxbridge District Court. Benn Sherman talked to one of the District 3 traffic engineers and he is gathering additional data to present to MassDOT for further evaluation as it falls under MassDOT's jurisdiction.

III. NEW BUSINESS

1. Boston Ave Streetlight Restoration Request: Benn Sherman to contact the resident and advise them to contact NGRID. **Motion by William Kessler, seconded by Jeffrey Lourie for No Action. Motion carried 4-0-0.**
2. Mendon Street Request For Signage: Request for a Blind Driveways sign. Benn Sherman to research and evaluate and discuss at the next Public Safety Committee meeting.
3. West Hartford Ave Sight Issue: Larry Lench presented a concern from a resident regarding a neighboring fence that blocks their line of sight when backing out of their driveway. Jeffrey Lourie will have the police do speed enforcement in this area.



Motion by William Kessler, seconded by Benn Sherman for the Town Manager to draft a letter of concern to the property owner of the fence thru the Public Safety Committee. Motion carried 4-0-0.

4. East Hartford Ave ^{/GRANITE/LINWOOD} @ ~~Henry Street~~: Jeffrey Lourie is requesting a 4-way flashing red signal. Benn Sherman to look into the cost and will advise the committee at an upcoming meeting with additional information.
5. Municipal Parking Lot: Larry Lench mentioned there is a vehicle that has been parked in the municipal parking lot for quite a while now and the vehicle needs to be removed before work begins on the Fire Station Project. Chief Lourie has advised getting the plate number on the vehicle so the owner of the vehicle can be contacted.
6. Carpenter Terrace: Larry Lench mentioned there is a home marked as unsafe and he advised no emergency personnel are to enter this house.
7. OLV Race: Neil Vaidya presented to the committee the route for their upcoming road race on Saturday, April 30th. Chief Lourie suggested there be a volunteer at each major intersection and the route be marked with cones. Sergeant Burke will coordinate with police personnel as well.
8. Uxbridge High School: Chief Lourie suggested petitioning the State for a School Entrance Sign Ahead. Benn Sherman will send a letter to MassDOT to have them evaluate the signage request.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Jeffrey Lourie, seconded by William Kessler to adjourn the meeting at 11:00 a.m. Motion carried 4-0-0.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Valerie Nowlan.

Minutes approved by Public Safety Committee


Benn Sherman, Chair


Jeffrey Lourie

Kevin Carney

Date Approved: 4/7/2016


William Kessler


David Genereux

Peter Emerick