

CITY OF LOCKPORT
BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MEETING – OFFICIAL RECORD

Site: M-24

Monday, October 4th, 2021 - 5:30pm

Present: Commissioners Brown, Devine, Hawkins, Murphy. Also present: Capt. DiTullio, Capt. Palumbo, Mayor Roman, DCC McGrath, City Clerk Oates

- Meeting called to order by Comm. Hawkins at 5:32pm
- Motion by Comm. Devine to approve the minutes of the August 9th, 2021 meeting, seconded by Comm. Brown. Ayes 4
- Motion by Comm. Brown to approve the minutes of the August 23rd, 2021 special meeting, seconded by Comm. Murphy. Ayes 3 (Comm. Devine did not vote since he did not attend the Aug. 23rd meeting)

Chief's Report (presented by Captains Palumbo and DiTullio):

- **CompStat Report-Capt. Palumbo reported an average of 50 calls for service per day in September, with 1,531 blotters filed. There were 166 case reports filed and 45 custodial arrests made, both numbers representing a decrease over the same time last year. Robberies were also down over September, 2020. There were 9 significant events during the month, however no overdose deaths**
- **Following the CompStat Report, Capt. Palumbo reviewed the sentences handed down by Judge Murphy in the Farewell case**
- **COVID Update-Capt. DiTullio stated that the department is back to wearing masks regardless of vaccination status. Three LPD members have had COVID in the last month**
- **Capt. Palumbo reviewed overtime in September, noting that OT was up, primarily because of COVID cases and bereavement time**
- **Capt. DiTullio referenced the monthly production numbers, with tickets down slightly**
- **Capt. Palumbo said the 911 phone system equipment has been ordered and is expected to be installed in early January. Also, four new cars are expected next month (October)**

- **Mayor Roman reviewed the 911 Dispatch Committee's findings with the Board**

6:06pm: Motion by Comm. Brown to begin executive session to discuss personnel. Seconded by Comm. Devine. Ayes 4

6:13pm: Motion by Comm. Devine to end executive session. Seconded by Comm. Brown. Ayes 4

6:13pm: Motion by Comm. Murphy to adjourn. Seconded by Comm. Devine. Ayes 4

The next scheduled meeting of the City of Lockport Board of Police Commissioners is Monday, November 1st at 5:30pm

Respectfully,

Paul K. Oates

City Clerk

CC: Police Board, Chief Abbott, Mayor Roman, Common Council and Corporation Counsel