

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

Site: M-24

Monday, April 4th, 2022 - 5:30pm

Present: Commissioners Brown, Devine, Hawkins, Mullane, Patterson. Also present: Chief Abbott, Officer Jones, Alderman Beakman, DCC McGrath, Reporter Ben Joe, City Clerk Oates

- Meeting called to order by Comm. Hawkins at 5:31pm
- Motion by Comm. Devine to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of March 7th, 2022, seconded by Comm. Patterson. Ayes 5

Chief's Report:

- COVID Update-No member of the department has COVID
- Financials-A couple of employees were off work because of deaths in their respective families, and that will create a slight uptick in OT
- CompStat Report-Case reports were down, arrests were down, and there was one overdose; the individual survived
- Accreditation-Everything is on track, with auditors scheduled for April 19-21. No problems are anticipated. Officers Henry Nevins and William Jones, along with Capt. DiTullio, have done great work on it. The Chief of Police is ultimately responsible for accreditation
- 911 System-Chief has been working on the new system with Paul Warriner (doing GIS mapping) and Verizon. Training will start next week or the week after. The system is set to go live on April 25th

-The commissioners, along with Chief Abbott and Officer Jones, left M-24 to inspect the progress of the new 911 system. Upon return, Comm. Patterson exited the meeting at 6:16pm

-Presentation by Officer William E. Jones on the Emergency Medical Dispatch upgrade. Dr. Michael O'Brien, the Emergency Medical Director for the Niagara County Sheriff's Department, will serve as the city's EMD, as well. Chief Abbott said the upgrade will be implemented a couple of months after the 911 equipment goes live

**6:43pm: Motion by Comm. Devine to adjourn. Seconded by Comm. Brown.
Ayes 4**

**The next scheduled meeting of the City of Lockport Board of Police
Commissioners is Monday, May 2nd, 2022 at 5:30pm**

**Respectfully,
Paul K. Oates
City Clerk**

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