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

Site: M24

October 3, 2022 - 5:30pm

Present: Commissioners Devine (phone), Hawkins, Mullane, Patterson, Brown. Also, present: Chief Abbott, Mayor Roman, DCC McGrath, City Clerk Lanzo, Officer Lusinski.

- Meeting called to order by Comm. Hawkins 5:32 pm
- Motion by Comm. Mullane to approve the minutes of the August 12, 2022 meeting, seconded by Comm. Devine. Ayes 5.

Chief Abbott's Report:

- CompStat Report: In September: 940 blotters were filed, 261 case reports, 45 custodial arrests. Significant events included: Shots Fired Call at West Ave and Bristol. Rounds were recovered, shots were fired at night. Investigation is ongoing. Stabbing there was a man stabbed on Market St. behind the ice rink. Investigation is ongoing. The Drug Task Force was called in and a possible bomb was retrieved by the Erie County Bomb Squad.
- COVID-19 Update: One officer recently had and was out, and has since returned.
- Emergency Medical Dispatch: Officer Kevin Lusinski, presented on the upcoming Emergency Medical Dispatch Training scheduled for Thursday October 6, 2022. Officer's Lusinski and Officer Jones will be trained as Train-the-Trainer, allowing for them to be able to train the other officers on how to handle the calls. Goal is to have all officers trained by November.
- Where the cellphone calls will be answered from is currently being discussed.
- Police Exam: 76 people sat for the test on September 17, 2022.
 Looking to hire at least two. Study program was advertised and is being promoted to have PT instructors support those who interested

- to make sure that they are ready to pass the physical fitness part of the test.
- City of Lockport will be moving to a "key-fob system" using the same company that is utilized for security cards now. Cost is \$32,000. The Commissioners, Alderman and city staff will have cards. This will allow for there to be secured tracking of the comings-and-goings of people to One Locks Plaza. Chief Abbott said he is researching the costs involved in having one point of entry at city hall. ID cards would work as key fobs.
- Trunk-or-Treat will be taking place on the Friday before Halloween, October 28, 2022. 4 pm.
- There was positive feedback from the involvement of the policemen on bikes for the tailgate fundraiser which was held in memory of Aaron Salter.

6:18 pm. Motion: Comm. Mullane made motion to go into executive session. Patterson seconded. 5 Ayes.

6:44 pm. Motion made by Comm. Brown to end executive session. Comm. Miles seconded. 5 Ayes.

6:45 pm Motion by Comm Patterson to adjourn. Seconded by Comm. Brown. 5 Ayes.

The next scheduled meeting of the City of Lockport Board of Police Commissioners is Monday, November 7th at 5:30pm.

Respectfully,
Sarah K. Lanzo
City Clerk

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