

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

Site – Council Chambers

Thursday, January 12, 2023 – 4 pm

Present: Commissioners Devine, Hawkins, Patterson, Mullane.

Also present: Chief Abbott, DCC McGrath, City Clerk Lanzo, Captain Ditillio

- Meeting was called to order by Comm Hawkins at 4:11 pm.
- Commissioner Hawkins led the Police Board in the Pledge.

**Chief Abbott's Report:**

Chief Abbot sent email including all reports, make sure to come to him with any questions:

- **Comp Stat Report:**
  - 966 Blotters Files in December. 174 case reports, 54 Custodial Arrests.
  - YTD – 15,177 Blotters, 2236 Cases, 632 Arrests; 510 Warrants Issued.
    - Numbers are lower than before – was 1200 on average arrests prior to COVID.
      - Over 7,000 people have walked up to the Communications window in the last year
    - Significant Events include: 12 overdoses reported with 4 fatal overdoses; additionally, there were multiple robberies – some of motor vehicles, property and money;
- **COVID Update:**
  - Currently there are no officers or staff in the LPD. Aware that COVID is currently on the increase, maintaining all protocols for safety.
- **Additional Updates:**
  - There are five (5) interviews for Lieutenant scheduled for two (2) positions available

- Ambulance service has reinstated. Thank you for your support to LFD and the ambulance. They are hoping to have the Ambulances up and running as quickly as possible.
- 2 Council members have resigned. Alderwoman Barnard and Alderwoman Pasceri have submitted their resignation – there will be appointments made by Mayor Roman ASAP.

4:33 pm: Motion by Commissioner Hawkins to move into executive session for personnel matters. Seconded by Commissioner Patterson.

7:45 pm: Motion made by Commissioner Hawkins to come out of executive session. Seconded by Commissioner Devine.

7:46 pm: Motion made by Commissioner Mullane to offer Lieutenant position to Jones and Lusinski. Seconded by Commissioner Hawkins.

7:48 pm: Motion made by Commissioner Miles to adjourn. Commissioner Patterson seconded.

The next scheduled meeting of the City of Lockport Board of Police Commissioners is Monday, February 6, 2023 at 5:30 pm.

Respectfully,  
Sarah K. Lanzo  
City Clerk

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