

MINUTES SUNSET HILLS POLICE ADVISORY BOARD

May 4, 2021

6:30 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT

Harry Schillinger, Kelly Snyder, Ald. Randy Epperson, Jesse Finney,

STAFF PRESENT

Brittany Gillett, Chief Steve Dodge, Officer Greg Schnittker, Communications Officer Mary Ebeler

MINUTES

A motion was made to approve the minutes of the January 19, 2021 meeting by Ald. Epperson and the motion was seconded by Harry Schillinger. The motion passed unanimously.

Officer Schnittker advised the board that due to the Covid-19 pandemic, Community Outreach/Engagement presentations were still limited. During March and April, there were three Zoom presentations for the Lindbergh High School Drivers Education Class. The presentations covered the Graduated Drivers License System, new driver challenges, what to do if you are pulled over by the police, and a question and answer segment.

Chief Dodge informed the board of a pending Police Service Agreement with the City of Crestwood that would consolidate the dispatch/9-1-1 centers. In addition to the contract, Chief Dodge suggested a possible "Pay Matrix" for the Sunset Hills Police Officers. The Board unanimously supported the agreement though no formal vote was taken.

Chief Dodge informed the Board of the proposed pay structure ordinance for Patrolman and Sergeants. After discussion, Ald. Epperson brought forth a motion for the board to approve the police pay matrix and forward a recommendation to the Board of Alderman. The motion was seconded by Mr. Finney. Mr. Schillinger, Ald. Epperson, and Mr. Finney voted in favor of the motion while Ms. Snyder chose to abstain from the vote and the motion carried.

Ald. Epperson made a motion to adjourn the meeting which was seconded by Mr. Finney. The motion passed unanimously and the meeting adjourned at 7:16 PM.