Pennridge Regional Police Commission Meeting Minutes

April 28, 2021

The regular business meeting of the Pennridge Regional Police Commission was held at 7:00pm on April 28, 2021. The meeting was held at James Memorial Park, West Rockhill Township due to COVID-19 restrictions.

Present:

James Miller

Commissioner

Gary Volovnik
David Collingwood

Commissioner Commissioner

Timothy Maloney
John Rice, Esq.

Sergeant Solicitor

Marianne Morano Greg Lippincott

East Rockhill Township Manager West Rockhill Township Manager

The following were identified as also being present East Rockhill Supervisor Dave Nyman East Rockhill Supervisor Jim Nietupski West Rockhill Supervisor Jay Keyser News reporter Bob Keeler

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Mr. Miller with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Citizen Comment #1:

There was none.

Announcements:

Mr. Miller announced that the meeting was held at the park due to a large amount of citizens in attendance for Chief Blake's retirement and incoming Chief Dickinson's appointment and due to COVID-19 restrictions.

Approval of Minutes from March 24, 2021 Regular Meeting

On motion by Mr. Volovnik, seconded by Mr. Collingwood, to adopt the meeting minutes from the Pennridge Regional Police Commission's March 24, 2021 Regular Meeting. With no additional discussion, all present voted in favor.

Financial Report: Sergeant Maloney

Sergeant Maloney read the financial report dated April 28, 2021. After payment of the monthly bills totaling \$68,758.02 the total operational account balance equals \$109,802.13. The capital reserve account funds total \$130,640.42.

On motion by Mr. Collingwood, seconded by Mr. Volovnik, to approve payment of Bills List dated April 28, 2021 totaling \$68, 758.02 and the Financial Report as presented. With no additional discussion, all present voted in favor.

Chief's Report: Sergeant Maloney

Sergeant Maloney asked the Board to take notice that Chief Blake had previously read the monthly Chief's Report at both Township Meetings for the activity of March, 2021.

On motion by Mr. Volovnik, seconded by Mr. Collingwood, to approve the Chief's Report as presented. With no additional discussion, all present voted in favor.

Solicitors Report: John Rice, Esq.

There was none.

Old Business

There was none.

New Business

The retirement festivities of Chief Rodney Blake after serving the Pennridge Community proudly for 33 years. Several dignitaries and citizens spoke on behalf of Chief Blake and his career accomplishments

The appointment of Chief Paul Dickinson beginning May 3, 2021 as the new Chief of Police of the Pennridge Regional Police Department.

Chief Dickinson received a name plate for his desk from his father; Chief Tim Dickinson (ret) **Citizen Comment #2:**

There was none.

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Miller, seconded by Collingwood, to adjourn the meeting. With no additional discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Timothy P. Maloney Sergeant