Pennridge Regional Police Commission Meeting Minutes

February 24, 2021

The regular business meeting of the Pennridge Regional Police Commission was held at 7:00pm on February 24, 2021. The meeting was held as a video/call in conference meeting due to COVID-19 restrictions.

Present:

James Miller Commissioner
Gary Volovnik Commissioner
David Collingwood Commissioner
Rodney Blake Chief of Police

John Rice, Esq. Solicitor

Marianne Morano East Rockhill Township Manager Greg Lippincott West Rockhill Township Manager

The following were identified in the video conference; East Rockhill Supervisor Dave Nyman East Rockhill Supervisor Jim Nietupski 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 as a video/call in conference meeting due to COVID-19 restrictions.

Mr. Miller announced that the Board held an Executive Session on February 8 and February 10 to discuss personnel matters.

Mr. Miller announced that there would be an Executive Session held after this meeting to discuss personnel matters.

Approval of Minutes from January 27, 2021 Regular Meeting

On motion by Mr. Collingwood, seconded by Mr. Volovnik, to adopt the meeting minutes from the Pennridge Regional Police Commission's January 27, 2021 Regular Meeting. With no additional discussion, all present voted in favor.

Financial Report: Chief Blake

Chief Blake read the financial report dated February 24, 2021. After payment of the monthly bills totaling \$44,463.81 the total operational account balance equals \$137,014.54. The capital reserve account funds total \$150,574.16.

It should be noted that the department was requiring only 1 authorized signature on the checks issued by the department instead of the normal 2 signature requirement. This was approved by QNB and was requested due to COVID-19 restrictions.

On motion by Mr. Volovnik, seconded by Mr. Collingwood, to approve payment of Bills List dated February 24, 2021 totaling \$44,463.81 and the Financial Report as presented. With no additional discussion, all present voted in favor.

Chief's Report: Chief Blake

Chief Blake read the monthly report indicating Department activities for the month of January, 2021.

On motion by Mr. Collingwood, seconded by Mr. Volovnik, 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

Chief Blake presented the Board with Resolution 2021-01; PMRS Non-Uniform Pension Plan.

On motion by Mr. Volovnik, seconded by Mr. Collingwood, to approve Resolution 2021-01 as presented. With no additional discussion, all present voted in favor.

Chief Blake advised the Board that on January 19, 2021 the department was successfully audited by the PA State Police. The audit was to ensure that the department has proper procedures in place relative to the dissemination of protected information.

Chief Blake presented a citizen thank you letter to Officer Ruiz for his assistance with a motor vehicle lock out.

Chief Blake advised the Board of Officer DiGiovanni's retirement effective March 18, 2021.

Citizen Comment #2:

There was none.

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Volovnik, to adjourn the meeting. With no additional discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 7:11 pm.

Respectfully submitted,