POLICE COMMISSION MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING

February 25, 2020

8:00 A.M.

IN ATTENDANCE: George E. Kennedy – Police Commissioner Chairman
Robert Peter Guip – Police Commissioner
Gene Ward – Police Commissioner
James Donohue – Assistant Chief of Police
Joseph Petruch – Chief of Police
Jeff Minchuk – Chairman of Public Safety Committee

Commissioner Kennedy asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and to remain standing afterwards for the invocation by Chaplain Randy Scott.

ITEM I  STATISTICS REPORT
NONE

ITEM II  LETTERS OF CORRESPONDENCE
NONE

ITEM III  OLD BUSINESS
NONE

ITEM IV  NEW BUSINESS

General Order 7.1 Communications Center – Repeal

Commissioner Guip made a motion to Repeal General Order 7.1 Repeal and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy stated all in favor signify by saying, “Aye.”
All replied, “Aye.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Opposed, same sign.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Motion carries.”
General Order 7.6 Drivers License Inquiry – Repeal

Commissioner Guip made a motion to repeal General Order 7.6 Repeal and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy stated all in favor signify by saying, “Aye.”
All replied, “Aye.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Opposed, same sign.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Motion carries.”

General Order 7.7 Report Call Information – Repeal

Commissioner Ward made a motion to repeal General Order 7.7 Repeal and was seconded by Commissioner Guip.

Commissioner Kennedy stated all in favor signify by saying, “Aye.”
All replied, “Aye.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Opposed, same sign.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Motion carries.”

General Order 7.9 Dispatching Fire Service – Repeal

Commissioner Ward made a motion to repeal General Order 7.9 Repeal and was seconded by Commissioner Guip.

Commissioner Kennedy stated all in favor signify by saying, “Aye.”
All replied, “Aye.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Opposed, same sign.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Motion carries.”

General Order 7.10 Vehicle Registration Inquiry – Repeal

Commissioner Ward made a motion to repeal General Order 7.10 Repeal and was seconded by Commissioner Guip.

Commissioner Kennedy stated all in favor signify by saying, “Aye.”
All replied, “Aye.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Opposed, same sign.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Motion carries.”

General Order 7.11 Active Steals Recover – Repeal
Commissioner Ward made a motion to repeal General Order 7.11
Repeal and was seconded by Commissioner Guip.

Commissioner Kennedy stated all in favor signify by saying, “Aye.”
All replied, “Aye.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Opposed, same sign.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Motion carries.”

General Order 12.2 Body Worn Cameras – New

Commissioner Guip made a motion to adopt General Order 12.2
adoption was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy asked if there was any discussion.

Commission discussed the purposed policy before voting.

Commissioner Kennedy requested that Chief Petruch take a roll call
vote.

Chief Petruch took a roll call vote.

Commissioner Ward, “Aye”
Commissioner Guip, “Aye”
Commissioner Kennedy, “Aye”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Vote is unanimous, and the motion
carries.”

Merrillville, Indiana Town Council Temporary Order

Commissioner Kennedy thanked the Council for the copy of the
Proposed Temporary Order and stated he will send a letter to the
Public Safety Committee and Town Council.

Commissioner Guip made a motion to have the Chairman send a
letter and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy stated all in favor signify by saying, “Aye.”
All replied, “Aye.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Opposed, same sign.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Motion carries.”
ITEM V  ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Guip made motion to adjourn and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy stated all in favor signify by saying, “Aye.”
All replied, “Aye.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Opposed, same sign.”
Commissioner Kennedy stated, “Adjourn.”

AS THERE WAS NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED.