POLICE COMMISSION MINUTES

January 5, 2018

8:00 A.M.

IN ATTENDANCE: George E. Kennedy – Police Commissioner Chairman
Robert Peter Guip – Police Commissioner
Gene Ward – Police Commissioner
Joseph Petruch – Chief of Police

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
Motion was made to accept the minutes of the Police Commission Meeting dated November 3, 2017 as presented

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 II
STATISTICS REPORT


ITEM III
LETTERS OF CORRESPONDENCE

Chief Petruch presented a Letter of Commendation from Detective Commander Rice regarding outstanding investigations. Detective Sergeant Bogner assisted Federal Agencies in shutting down illegal Spas. Detective Sergeant Bogner, was awarded Level I Commendation.

Chief Petruch presented a Letter of Recommendation for Commendation from Detective Sergeant Bogner regarding outstanding police work and performance in apprehending two suspects responsible for burglaries. Officer Henry, was awarded Level III Commendation.
Chief Petruch presented a Letter of Commendation from Patrol Commander Kijurna regarding outstanding police work of the Patrol Division along with Crown Point K9 Officer Gligic and K9 Radar for working together to apprehend a double murder suspect in extreme weather conditions. Officer Reynolds, Officer Leto and Officer DeBenedetti, were awarded a Level III Commendation.

ITEM IV OLD BUSINESS

NONE

ITEM V NEW BUSINESS

Chief Petruch read Resolution 934 promoting Probationary Patrolmen Samantha L. Jordan, to Second Class Patrolmen effective from and after 12:01 AM, January 12, 2018.

Commissioner Guip made a motion to accept Resolution 934 and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy asked if there was any discussion.

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, “Three Ayes, and the motion carries.”

Chief Petruch read Resolution 935 approving Two Probationary Patrolmen Nicholas H. Feliciano, Eric J. Reid, to be effective from and after 12:01 AM, January 9, 2018. These positions will be for the duration of a one-year probationary period from this date and that the rate of pay will be set by the Chief of Police for the first year of employment.

Commissioner Guip made a motion to accept Resolution 935 and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy asked if there was any discussion.
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, “Three Ayes, and the motion carries.”

Chief Petruch presented the Eligibility list for Corporal.

Commissioner Guip made a motion to ratify the eligibility list for Corporal dated January 5, 2018 and to remain active for two (2) years, and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy asked if there was any discussion.

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, “Three Ayes, and the motion carries.”

Chief Petruch presented the Eligibility list for Sergeant.

Commissioner Guip made a motion to ratify the eligibility list for Sergeant dated January 5, 2018 and to remain active for two (2) years, and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy asked if there was any discussion.

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, “Three Ayes, and the motion carries.”

Chief Petruch presented the Eligibility list for Lieutenant.

Commissioner Guip made a motion to ratify the eligibility list for Lieutenant dated January 5, 2018 and to remain active for two (2) years, and was seconded by Commissioner Ward.

Commissioner Kennedy asked if there was any discussion.

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, “Three Ayes, and the motion carries.”

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