POLICE COMMISSION MINUTES

May 3, 2013

8:00 A.M.

IN ATTENDANCE: Rick Bella – Police Commission Chairman
Robert Peter Guip – Police Commissioner
George E. Kennedy – Police Commissioner
Joseph Petruch – Chief of Police
James Donohue – Assistant Chief of Police

Commissioner Bella asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and to remain standing for the invocation.

Father Vamos led the invocation.

ITEM I Motion was made to accept the minutes of the Police Commission Meeting dated April 5, 2013 as presented.

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

ITEM II STATISTICS REPORT

Chief Petruch presented the March 2013 Monthly Statistical Report. One homicide was reported, and was noted that charges have been filed on four suspects; 1141 citations written; 140 adult arrests; 1787 Calls for Service. Chief commented that the officers continue to do an outstanding job with manpower only at 46.

ITEM III LETTERS OF CORRESPONDENCE

NONE

ITEM IV OLD BUSINESS

NONE
ITEM V NEW BUSINESS

The Patrolman Eligibility List for the Merrillville Police Department was presented for ratification.

Commissioner Guip made a motion to accept Patrolman Eligibility List and was seconded by Commissioner Kennedy.

Commissioner Bella asked if there was any discussion.

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

Chief Petruch took a roll call vote.

Commissioner Kennedy, “Aye”
Commissioner Guip, “Aye”
Commissioner Bella, “Aye”
Commissioner Bella stated, “Three Ayes, and the motion carries.”

Chief Petruch presented a Conditional Offer of Employment for Nicholas Hlebasko, Nickolaus Schultz, Corey Nash, Daniel Djukic.

Commissioner Kennedy made a motion to extend the Conditional Offer of Employment to Nicholas Hlebasko, Nickolaus Schultz, Corey Nash, Daniel Djukic and was seconded by Commissioner Guip.

Commissioner Bella asked if there was any discussion.

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

Chief Petruch took a roll call vote.

Commissioner Kennedy, “Aye”.
Commissioner Guip, “Aye”.
Commissioner Bella, “Aye”.
Commissioner Bella stated, “Three Ayes, and the motion carries.”

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