



PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Regular Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, June 1, 2022
Zoom and In-Person Meeting

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 5:19 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Public Safety Advisory Committee Members Present: Alan Hart, Ray Dotson, Mark Peila, James Hairston, Tod Wolf, Mark Terry, Karen Ferreira, Ken Witkoe, Martin Pullman and Teresa Imholt King

Public Safety Advisory Committee Members Excused: None

Public Safety Advisory Committee Members Absent: None

City Councilmember Present: Michael Brandstetter

Fire Department Staff Present: Assistant Fire Chief Scott Adams

Lakewood Youth Council Present: Josephine Kaiser

Staff Present: Assistant Chief John Unfred and Committee Staff Support, Joanna LaVergne, Administrative Assistant

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mark Peila motioned to approve the minutes. All ayes; minutes approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comments.

SPEAKER: Public Works Director Scott Williams

Director Williams was not in attendance due to illness.

CITY COUNCIL LIAISON COMMENTS

Councilmember Mike Brandstetter gave an update on the Body Worn Camera's for the police department and the Public Disclosure Request (PDR) side of the process. Discussion ensued.

Councilmember Mike Brandstetter gave an update on the road/paving projects. Assistant Chief John Unfred asked Joanna LaVergne to share the YouTube video regarding roundabouts on social media, again.

FIRE CHIEF COMMENTS

Assistant Fire Chief Scott Adams discussed their open house happening on Saturday the 4th, their upcoming Youth Academy, Safe Sitter Class, and discussed their call volume, adding that about 78-80% of their call volume comes from Lakewood.

Assistant Fire Chief Scott Adams shared information about the PulsePoint AED app; Joanna LaVergne will try to get that up on social media soon, as well.

POLICE CHIEF COMMENTS

Assistant Chief John Unfred explained that he would be out of the office/state for the next 6 months (starting August 1st) for an FBI Internship in Washington D.C., and gave an update on the Body Worn Camera Pilot Program. Discussion ensued.

Assistant Chief John Unfred stated that Michael Vargas, with the City would be conducting a business survey in the next few weeks, and we were going to ask him to come present the results to PSAC once he's presented them to City Council, so there was some question over whether PSAC needed to do a survey as well. Discussion ensued.

YOUTH COUNCIL COMMENTS

Youth Council member Josephine Kaiser gave an update on the Youth Council Summit, stating it was a huge success. Ms. Kaiser asked about the training lockdown at Harrison Prep and Four Heroes Elementary. Discussion ensued.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Chair Alan Hart discussed the sign- up sheet for the SummerFest Dunk Tank, asked about pricing for the throwing balls, along with table, chairs, cash box, flyers, etc. Discussion ensued.

Fireworks Education was discussed. Assistant Fire Chief Scott Adams stated that the City and WPFR met and it was agreed that the City would be sending out a mailer reminding everyone about the new Municipal Code. Joanna LaVergne will be posting the "rack card" which WPFR created on the Department's Facebook and Twitter accounts, and email the electronic version to PSAC members. Discussion ensued.

The PSAC members discussed the City Council Business Survey. Tod Wolf gave a sub-committee update; he presented the idea of a survey at a Chamber of Commerce event and the responses he received there included mainly homelessness, panhandling, crime and trash. Chair Alan Hart stated he will coordinate with the subcommittee and Councilmember Brandstetter regarding next steps.

Chair Alan Hart asked if anyone had anything to add regarding Park Safety. There were no suggestions or concerns, so that issue is now closed.

NEW BUSINESS

Chair Alan Hart reminded everyone that their Joint Council Meeting session is on August 8th. The members will finalize their report at next month's meeting on August 3rd.

REPORTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS & STAFF

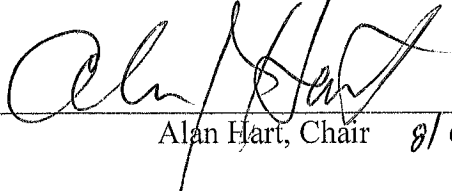
Members discussed their Neighborhood Associations, as applicable.

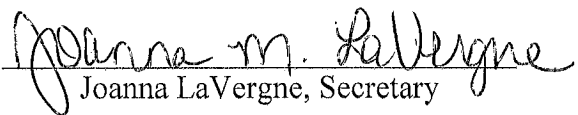
ADJOURNMENT

Mark Peila motioned to adjourn the meeting; all ayes. Meeting adjourned at 6:41 p.m.

Public Safety Advisory Committee:

Attest:


Alan Hart, Chair 8/02/22


Joanna LaVergne, Secretary