

**CEDAR LAKE METROPOLITAN POLICE
COMMISSION MEETING
WEDNESDAY JUNE 27, 2018**

CALL TO ORDER: 7:20 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

ROLL CALL:

Commissioner, Terri Blagojevic	Present
Commissioner, Kevin Toth	Absent
Commissioner, Lester C. Kaper	Present
Council-Liaison, Ralph Miller	Present
Council-Liaison, Randell Niemyer	Absent
Council-Liaison, Julie Rivera	Absent
Chief of Police, David Coulson	Present

PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

COMMUNICATIONS:

(1). Letter from Lake County Prosecutor's Office stating that after reviewing the incident that Officer Allen Sulski was involved in, there will be no charges filed as it was justified Officer Sulski was acting in self defense.

CONSENT AGENDA:

Motion made by Commissioner Toth and seconded by Commissioner Blagojevic to accept the minutes, Wednesday May 23, 2018.

Vote- 2	Blagojevic	Yes
	Kaper	Yes

OLD BUSINESS:

Police Department:

- (1). **Consolidated Dispatch**-Chief Coulson stated as of January 2019 Cedar Lake Dispatchers (South Com) will be employees of Schererville.

NEW BUSINESS:

Police Department:

- (1) **Monthly Activity Report**-Chief Coulson reviewed May 2018 activity for the Dept.
- (2) **Training Report**- Chief Coulson reviewed the training for May 2018.
- (3) **Technology**-Chief Coulson stated that the new squad car is in and is being equipped for the road. Website is not user friendly.
- (4) **Code Enforcement Personnel**-Chief Coulson stated that Jami is doing a great job and is getting to know the areas of the Town that need attending to. Phamplets are being updated to give out to the public on ordinances.
- (5). **Hire of New Officer**- Chief Coulson stated that the Personnel hiring board has chosen Dustin Corbin as the new Officer. As everyone knows Dustin left due to a family member having health issues, and is now ready to return to active duty.

Motion made by Commissioner Blagojevic and seconded by Commissioner Kaper to send a favorable recommendation to the Town Council to accept Dustin Corbin for the new position open for a fulltime Officer.

Vote-2	Blagojevic	Yes
	Kaper	Yes

NOTE: Special meeting held by the Town Council on Friday June 29, 2018 at 2:30 p.m. in the Town hall to accept Dustin Corbin for the position fulltime Officer.

- (6). **Indiana Department of Homeland Security Grant**-Chief Coulson stated that Officer Douglas Machalk has submitted a GRANT to Homeland Security for a utility vehicle that can be used by Police-Fire and DNR.
- (7). **Other**-Chief Coulson stated that the Council approved a fee raise for accident-case reports and fingerprints. The only fee not raised was towing. NARCAN nasal spray will be given to each Officer and they will be trained on how to use it on an individual who shows signs of opioid overdose.

VOLUNTEER IN POLICE SERVICES (VIP'S)

- (1) **Activity Report-** Lt. Layer gave activity totals for the month of May 2018
(2) **Other-** Lt. Layer advised that two VIP'S members have resigned.

Motion made by Commissioner Blagojevic and seconded by Commissioner Kaper to accept the resignations of Mitchell Olthoff and Adam Godbolt.

Vote- 2	Blagojevic	Yes
	Kaper	Yes

PUBLIC COMMENT:

None


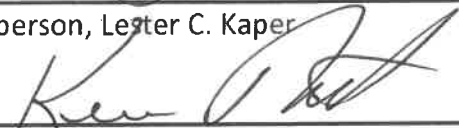
ADJOURNMENT:

Motion made by Commissioner Blagojevic and seconded by Commissioner Kaper to adjourn.

All In Favor

End 7:40 P.M.

An Executive Session was held before the meeting at 5:30 P.M. reference personal pursuant to Indiana Code 5-14-1.5.6(b).

 Chairperson, Lester C. Kaper	Present
 Vice-Chairperson, Kevin Toth	Absent
Member, Terri Blagojevic	Present