

**CEDAR LAKE METROPOLITAN POLICE
COMMISSION MEETING
WEDNESDAY AUGUST 22, 2018**

CALL TO ORDER: 7:02 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

ROLL CALL:

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

PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

COMMUNICATIONS:

None

CONSENT AGENDA:

Motion made by Commissioner Toth and seconded by Commissioner Blagojevic to accept the minutes of Wednesday July 25, 2018.

Vote- 3	Toth	Yes
	Blagojevic	Yes
	Kaper	Yes

OLD BUSINESS:

Police Department:

- (1). **Consolidated Dispatch**-Chief Coulson stated that at the July 2018 meeting, our Dispatchers will be employees of Schererville starting January 1, 2019. (The Town will be re-embursing Schererville for Dispatch services)

NEW BUSINESS:

Police Department:

- (1) **Monthly Activity Report**-Chief Coulson gave the monthly activity from July 2018.
- (2) **Training Report**-Chief Coulson gave the total of training from the month of July 2018.
- (3) **Technology**-Nothing at this time.
- (4). **Hiring of New Officer**-Deadline to apply is Friday August 24, 2018
- (5) **Narcan Kits**-Chief Coulson stated that through a grant the department was granted 25 Narcan Kits and all Officers have been trained in the use of it.
- (6). **Pet Chip Reader**-Chief Coulson stated that a pet chip reader has been purchased and should be very useful locating owners of pets.
- (7). **Other**-A check from the Lighthouse Resturaunt for the DARE program in the amount of \$1.050.00 (parking during Summerfest)
Officer Douglas Machalk and Officer Allen Sulski spent a week in training in how to equip vehicles with car seats. A grant to purchase car seats has been approved, It was also noted that Sgt. David Moake has been assigned as a security Officer for the Hanover Middle School. Sgt. Moake will be at the school, during the school year and then will be with the department during the summer months.

VOLUNTEER IN POLICE SERVICES (VIP'S)

- (1) **Activity Report**-Tim Layer gave the activity report from July 2018.
- (2) **Other**-A letter of resignation was read from Daniel Gocal, due to his busy Work schedule he could not volunteer his time for VIP'S.
Motion made by Commissioner Blagojevic and seconded by Commissioner Toth to accept Daniel Gocal's resignation.

Vote- 3	Blagojevic	Yes
	Toth	Yes
	Kaper	Yes

(3) **Motion** made by Commissioner Blagojevic and seconded by Commissioner Toth to accept two new VIP'S members, Floyd White and Erik Vazquaz.

Vote- 3	Blagojevic	Yes
	Toth	Yes
	Kaper	Yes

PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting was adjourned at 7:24 P.M.

An Executive Session was held before the meeting at 6:30 P.M. reference personal pursuant to Indiana Code 5-14-1.5.6(b)



Chairperson, Lester C. Kaper Present



Vice-Chairperson, Kevin Toth Present

Member, Terri Blagojevic Present