



TOWN OF MIDDLEBURY

POLICE COMMISSION

MINUTES MEETING OF THE POLICE COMMISSION Monday, May 08, 2023 – 6:00 p.m.

Present: Chairman George Moreira
Commissioner Fran Barton
Commissioner Rita Smith
Commissioner Paul Bowler

Also Present: Chief Patrick Deely
James M. Long, Recording Clerk

**Excused
Absence:** Commissioner Tom King

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:07pm by Chairman Moreira leading the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of April 10, 2023 Meeting Minutes

Commissioner Barton MOTIONED to approve the minutes, SECONDED by Commissioner Smith. Unanimous approval.

Committee Reports

Building & Equipment

Commissioner Barton defers time to the Chief's report.

Budget and Overtime

Commissioner Barton defers time to the Chief's report.

Personnel & Labor

Commissioner Barton defers time to the Chief's report.

Rules & Regulations

Commissioner Barton defers time to the Chief's report.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

Commissioner Moreira and all Commission's present approved Chief Deely to move forward on hiring three part time officers. The cost would be minimal and would be in the next fiscal year

Chairman's Report

Chairman Moreira recommended the commission to discuss next month for each commissioners committee assignments for June as Commissioner King was absent.

Chief's Report

- A letter of resignation from Commissioner Cipriano dated April 17, 2023
- Rita Smith was appointed to fulfill Commissioner Cipriano's term. Commissioner Smith is the first female commissioner.
- Recent Criminal Activity was discussed; Webster Bank robbery, stolen vehicles, and an attempted carjacking in Waterbury involving a Middlebury Officer
- ReKor Camera's were discussed as a very useful investigative tool.
- Part-Time hires are needed to fill in for full time officers. Need to hire three more.

Public Comment

None

Adjournment

Chairman Moreira MOTIONED to ADJOURN the meeting at 6:28 PM, SECONDED by Commissioner Barton. Unanimous approval

Next meeting is scheduled for June 12, 2023 at 6:00 PM.

These minutes are submitted subject to approval.

Respectfully,
James M. Long, Recording Clerk