

**POLICE COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING  
NOVEMBER 8, 2021**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting of the Police Commission was called to order by Chairperson Jenna Caulfield at 5:02 P.M. in the Main Meeting Room of the Simsbury Town Offices. In attendance were Commissioner Michael Long, Commissioner Terry Fogarty, Commissioner Tenesha Grant, Chief Nicholas Boulter, Deputy Chief Chris Davis, Lieutenant Gregory Samselski and Lieutenant Matthew Christian.

**2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**3. CORRESPONDENCE**

Commissioner Fogarty read the summary of letters received since the last meeting of the Commission on October 13, 2021.

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- a. After a motion was made by Commissioner Grant and seconded by Commissioner Long it was unanimous:

**VOTED:** To approve the minutes of the October 13, 2021 Special Meeting

**5. OLD BUSINESS**

None

**6. REPORTS**

**a. Chairperson's Report**

- The tri-board meeting is coming up; Chairperson and Chief will be meeting with Town Manager prior to this meeting to review department needs
- Municipal Employee Relations Act training will be held this week
- Variable message board was approved as well as the new lieutenant's office

**b. Chief's Report**

**i. General**

- Three members are still recuperating from long-term illnesses or injuries
- No new MV thefts since the August meeting
- There is a rise in catalytic converters being stolen off vehicles.
- The annual Jack Bannon Turkey Trot food drive will take place on November 17<sup>th</sup>; the collection area will be in the Fitzgerald's parking lot

**ii. Consolidated Monthly Report – September 2021**

No comments

**iii. Preliminary Monthly Activity Report - October 2021**

No comments

**7. NEW BUSINESS**

**a. 2022 Meeting Schedule**

The Commissioners reviewed the tentative schedule for 2022.

After a motion was made by Commissioner Grant and seconded by Commissioner Fogarty it was unanimous:

**VOTED:** To approve the minutes of the October 13, 2021 Special Meeting

**b. Policy Review**

The Chief provided an overview on the policies presented regarding use of force. The Connecticut Police Officer Standards and Training Council released a statewide policy on use of force; the updated policies are identical to this. The Commissioners reviewed and asked questions.

After a motion was made by Commissioner Long and seconded by Commissioner Fogarty it was unanimous:

**VOTED:** To approve the policies as presented


**8. PRESENTATION**

None

**9. ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Long made motion to adjourn at 5:45 P.M., seconded by Commissioner Fogarty. All were in favor and the motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Jenna Caulfield, Chairperson

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