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POLICE COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING
MAY 10, 2010

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Special Meeting of the Police Commission was called to order at 6:01 P.M. in the Police Department Training Room of the Simsbury Town Offices. Present were Chairman Carl Eisenmann, Commissioner Harvey Goodfriend, Commissioner Edward Cosgrove, Chief Peter Ingvertsen and Captain Matthew Catania. Commissioner Brendan Walsh was not in attendance.

CORRESPONDENCE

Commissioner Cosgrove read the Summary of Letters received since the last Special Meeting of the Commission on March 8, 2010. (Addendum 1)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Goodfriend made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Eisenmann and passed unanimously to approve the Minutes of the March 8, 2010 Special Meeting as written.

4. PUBLIC AUDIENCE

There were no members of the public present at the meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

6. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

None.

7. REPORTS

a. Chairman's Report

None.

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b. Chief's Report

Chief Ingvertsen reported the following:

- The Chief's secretary of 8 years, Joanne Alt retired on April 16th and Tina Labrecque was introduced as the Chief's new secretary and will also serve as the Commission's recording clerk. A new examination process was implemented during the recruitment process and will become a part of any future efforts to fill open non-sworn positions in the Police Department.
- Jason Terribile, the departments newest Officer continues his field training and reports from his Field Training Officers continue to be positive.
- An update was provided to the Commission regarding the Regional Dispatch effort.
- An update on the present and future organization of the Department was presented.
- An update on the Accreditation process, which included target completion dates, was provided.
- c. Consolidated Monthly Report for February (Addendum 2)

In response to Commissioner Goodfriend, Chief Ingvertsen said the increase in motor vehicle accidents was probably due in part to the weather conditions in February.

d. Consolidated Monthly Report for March (Addendum 3)

Commissioner Goodfriend commented on the increase in Warnings that were issued and indicated that he hoped that the additional Warnings would help reduce the number of Motor Vehicle Accidents that occur.

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8. NEW BUSINESS

Commissioner Cosgrove expressed his concern regarding the increasing width of landscaping trailers parked on Town roadways. Discussion ensued regarding the fact that a summons cannot be issued to a landscaping company unless a statute is actually violated.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Cosgrove made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Long and passed unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 6:32 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Carl Eisenmann, Chairman

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