

# Village of Hales Corners

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## POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSION Minutes March 15, 2016

- I. **Call to Order and Roll Call:** President Jim Gilboy called to order at 6:30pm. Present: President Jim Gilboy, Commissioners Tom Sobocinski, Sandy Sannes, Ian Thomson, Lieutenant Steven Murphy, and Chief Michael Jankowski.
- II. **Approval of Agenda and Minutes**
  - 2.1 Approval of Agenda and February 16, 2016 minutes: Agenda approved, minutes to be submitted for approval at the next meeting.
- III. **General Information**
  - 3.1 Written Communication: None
  - 3.2 Audience Communication: None
  - 3.3 Commissioner's Communication
    - 3.3.1 President's report: Commissioner Sobocinski will follow up with Mr. Weber about the village credit card.
- IV. **Old & New Business**
  - 4.1 None
- V. **Reports**
  - 5.1 Trustee Liaison – Mary Bennett: The Police Department has a new labor contract. Security improvements have been made for the board room and health department. Mr. Weber is retiring August 4<sup>th</sup>. Kmart TIFF district is under discussion. Hales Corners welcome signs will be removed temporarily for refurbishment. The Bosch will be moving by September 1<sup>st</sup>. Hwy 100 bicycle lanes are being revisited.
  - 5.2 Chief Reports
    - 5.2.1 Police Chief Report—Lieutenant Murphy presented.
      - Village sex offender ordinance is under review.
      - Recent publicity about the John Zera cold case has resulted in several compliments for Chief Cera on ongoing investigation, incredibly thorough police work.
      - Calls for service for dementia related issues is increasing, training inservice is scheduled but will become an increasingly important issue for the village.
      - St. Patrick's day will bring with it high visibility enforcement.
      - Officer Sayeg was able to get guns off the street as a result of good observation skills and good police work. Excellent work Officer Sayeg.

- Compliments to HCPD on handling a sensitive personal matter professionally and compassionately.
- New cameras are being installed into squads that automatically downloads video when squads enter the garage. Will free up time and increase reliability.
- Training by HCFD for use and administration of NARCAN by HCPD.

5.2.2 Fire Chief Report—Chief Michael Jankowski presented.

- No response issues for February, no issues with call back, cell phone messaging is highly effective.
- No update on paramedic contracts.
- Fire code updates are complete, sent to Mr. Weber for finalization by the board.
- EMS billing contract is open for suggestions for a new contract.
- FD was able to acquire ambulance equipment such that Ambulance 610 is able to respond as a full response ambulance and has been used 3 times already.
- Working with Mr. Weber on a response fee resolution.
- Part time captain position received 2 applications, exam Friday, interviews soon.
- New ambulance had an issue with defective decals, vendor was able to replace defective decals and honor the original warranty.
- Non-lights and siren response has reduced the use of lights and siren 35%.
- Firemark Award program for community service and fire prevention education has recognized Dep. Chief Martin Freibergs as a national finalist, winner gets a trip to New York and other special recognition. The contest is on Facebook.
- Knox Box program has 5 boxes in the community, used deposits to purchase more boxes.
- Eagle Scout sign project is fully funded, has begun construction.
- Peanut Butter Drive collected over 900 jars of peanut butter.
- Pancakes fundraiser tentatively set for May 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Department pick up truck body work complete, in good running shape, should last several more years.

**VI. Next Police and Fire Commission set for April 19, 2016**

**VII. Adjourned at 7:15pm.**

Respectfully submitted,



Ian J. Thomson  
Commission Secretary