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Board of Police Commission Regular Meeting March 27, 2012

Chairman D'Errico called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Present: Chairman D'Errico, Commissioners Monz, Calafiore and Lazaroff, Chief McLoughlin, Deputy Chief Mulhern, and Kevin Fletcher from NHTV.

Absent: Commissioner McLoughlin.

The first order of business was the approval of the minutes for the February 28, 2012 regular meeting and executive session. A motion to accept was made by Commissioner Calafiore, second by Commissioner Lazaroff. The motion passed unanimously.

The next order of business was the approval of the monthly reports for February. A motion to accept was made by Commissioner Monz, second by Commissioner Lazaroff. The motion passed unanimously.

CORRESPONDENCE

1. A family thanked Officers Stockman and Petrillo for the police escort during the funeral procession of a family member.
2. Pastor Scott Morrow thanked Sergeant Thorpe and Officer Queiroga for their sensitive, compassionate, and gentle assistance to the family of a church member who passed away.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Chairman D'Errico said that the second stop sign has been posted on the island nearest AT&T at the entrance to North Haven Commons on Eagle Crossing. Commissioner Monz noted the enforcement of hand held phone violations has significantly increased.

CHIEF'S REPORT

Chief McLoughlin reminded parents that they are responsible for their children who operate ATV's. Enforcement will be taken if the ATV is not licensed and registered and for any damage that may be caused by the ATV. The department is monitoring All Saints Cemetery, Hanson Park, and Peters Rock with the ATV.

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month. Colonel Ray Fowler pushed to raise the awareness of child abuse and educate the public. The Town will issue a proclamation in April. In addition to contacting the Department of Child and Family Services Chief mentioned the public can call the 211 help line for guidance and services before an issue rises to the level of crisis.

Chief reported that a “Prescription Take Back” program will be held at Fire Headquarters on Saturday April 28, 2012 from 10:00am – 2:00pm. The public is encouraged to bring in unused prescription medications so they can be destroyed properly. The name and personal information on the bottle should be blocked out.

Chief McLoughlin expects the department to come in slightly under budget this year.

Traffic Report – Chief has asked that the request for a stop sign at South Avenue and Angel Place be removed from the agenda, as the stop sign already exists.

A fatal single vehicle accident involving a dump truck occurred last week. The State Police Truck Squad assisted during the inspection of the truck, and the cause of the accident appears to be operator error.

The two new officers have two more weeks of field training. They are doing well.

Officer Petrillo completed the second phase of the accident reconstruction course. There is one more phase to the course to reach the reconstructionist level. Officer Capozzo completed the first phase of the “At scene” accident investigation, and Officer Rienzo is scheduled to attend advanced accident training in late April.

K-9 Koda is in the third of five weeks of training with the State Police K-9 trainers. She is doing very well. After completing the course, the K-9 will attend five weeks of training with her handler.

There are no new grievances. There is no long term injury or illness.

Walter T. Berniere Scholarship Award – Chief McLoughlin asked for a motion to approve a scholarship award for Officer Hannon for two courses he completed at POST U. A motion to approve was made by Commissioner Calafiore, second by Commissioner Monz. The motion passed unanimously.

Chairman D’Errico asked for a motion to adjourn and move into executive session to discuss personnel issues. A motion was made by Commissioner Lazaroff, second by Commissioner Calafiore. The motion passed unanimously. The time was 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry Lazaroff, Secretary

Minutes by Mrs. Amato

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Board of Police Commission
Executive Session
March 27, 2012

Chairman D'Errico called the meeting to order at 7:50 p.m.

Present: Chairman D'Errico, Commissioners Monz, Calafiore and Lazaroff, Chief McLoughlin, and Deputy Chief Mulhern.

Absent: Commissioner McLoughlin.

Personnel matters were discussed.

Chairman D'Errico asked for a motion to adjourn. A motion was made by Commissioner Monz, second by Commissioner Lazaroff. The motion passed unanimously. The time was 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas McLoughlin, Chief of Police