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### Board of Police Commission Regular Meeting March 26, 2013

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

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

Absent: Commissioners Monz and McLoughlin.

The first order of business was the approval of the minutes for the February 26, 2013 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 was made by Commissioner Lazaroff, second by Commissioner Calafiore. Chairman D'Errico asked that the Records Division Report be amended to reflect the month to date overtime. The motion passed unanimously.

#### Correspondence

A North Haven family praised Sergeant Mahon for his professionalism and patience during an emotional domestic situation.

#### Chairman's Report

##### Old Business

Chairman D'Errico asked if the State Department of Traffic Control has been notified about the need to replace the led's on the traffic lights at the Washington Avenue shopping center and Big Y. Chief replied yes, all of the led's on Route 5 are scheduled for replacement and maintenance.

##### New Business

Commissioner Lazaroff said that a couple of people mentioned the timing is off on the traffic signals at Walgreen Shopping Center and the North Haven Shopping Center.

The flashing light at Dixwell Avenue and State Street needs to be adjusted for daylight savings time.

Chairman D'Errico will write a letter to be placed in Lieutenant Glenn's personnel file commending him for the tremendous job he does with the monthly reports.

Work will be done at the traffic light on St. John Street at the end of summer or early fall. The cycle will be changed at Broadway and Church Street and will preempt the light for Fire Department emergencies. The eastbound Broadway traffic and the westbound St. John Street traffic will be changed so they don't have the same signal at the same time.

Chief's Report

Chief McLoughlin, Deputy Chief Mulhern, the Finance Director and the Director of Public Works met recently and came to some agreement for payment for traffic duty for Town projects for next year. Chief knew the department overtime would be over due to the very aggressive milling and paving that was done in Town. Next year's budget will include added funds separated from our overtime for town projects.

The new budget has reduced one cruiser, and the line item for the motorcycle has been eliminated.

The Sergeants Promotional Exam will be held during the first week in May.

The windows are leaking and water is seeping behind the panels on the outside of the building. The building is 50 years old and in good shape. Windows need to be recaulked and a decision will be made whether to recaulk the panels on the façade or to replace them with a new product.

Dr. Kaplan will finalize training this Thursday on the new go bags for the police cruisers. The training includes quick clot and tourniquet application for anyone hit with gunfire. The training will also take care of some of the training for Blood Borne Pathogens.

A legal expert will train the officers on the use of force and taser liability this summer. This is a training priority.

The LED traffic problems are being addressed.

K-9 Update – the department worked with the Wallingford Police Department and Koda was instrumental in finding 250 plus pills and \$4,000.00 cash from a home. Zeus was involved in four marijuana events, and an event involving a small amount of cocaine.

WTB Scholarship Awards – Chief McLoughlin asked for a motion to approve a scholarship award for two courses for Lieutenant Glenn, and two courses for Officer Norden. A motion was made by Commissioner Lazaroff, second by Commissioner Calafiore. The motion passed unanimously.

Public Comment – several residents from Buell Street presented a formal complaint with a signed petition regarding their traffic concerns for Buell Street. Buell Street is a cut through for traffic and the children in the area walk to Ridge Road School. There are no sidewalks in the area. After much discussion, a Slow Children sign and painted crosswalks in the area were requested. Captain Genovese will contact Kristen Cohen, the contact person for the group, to set up a meeting to discuss the concerns.

Chairman D'Errico asked for a motion to adjourn and move into executive session to discuss personnel matters. The motion was made by Commissioner Calafiore, second by Commissioner Lazaroff. The motion passed unanimously. The time was 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry Lazaroff, Secretary

Minutes by Mrs. Amato

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Board of Police Commission  
Executive Session  
March 26, 2013

Chairman D'Errico called the meeting to order at 8:45 p.m.

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

Absent: Commissioners Monz and McLoughlin.

Personnel matters were discussed.

Chairman D'Errico asked for a motion to adjourn Executive Session. Commissioner Lazaroff made the motion, second by Commissioner Calafiore. The motion passed unanimously. The time was 9:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas McLoughlin, Chief of Police