

Bellevue Borough Committee Meeting Minutes

Committee: Public Safety

Date:	06-04-2024	Location: Borough Building
Chair:	Tom Hrynda called to order	Time: 7:36 p.m.
Note Taker:	Jim Kelly	
Members In Attendance:	Russel Ellis Tom Hrynda	Jodi Cerminara, Council President
Members Absent:	Amanda Sloane	
Others In Attendance:	Matt Sentner, Police Chief Bill Hartman, Fire Chief Shawn Jacobs, BCO/Zoning Officer Jack Davin Val Pennington, Mayor	
Public Contributions on Agenda Items (5 minutes): None		
Agenda Items – Reports:		
a.	Police Department - Chief Sentner Discussed meeting with AHN about the Chill Program and what they will provide to the Police Officers and Fire Fighters. - Study was completed for S. Bryant speed was not an issue volume did see high.	
b.	Bellevue Fire Department - Chief Hartman department passed inspection for QRS - Meeting was had with the City of Pittsburgh to confirm our status and desire to use them as a mutual aid resource only as of July 1 2024	
c.	Code Enforcement Department Report Submitted	
d.	NorthWest Emergency Management Services No report received	
Unfinished Business:		
a.	Quality of life Ordinance 24-08/IPMC Amendments - Mr. Kelly advised after talking to Mr. Racunas we could make an amendment to the IPMC instead of making many changes to the existing Ordinance’s allowing for ticketing. - Discussion followed including confirming appeals to fine will be handle at the Borough.	
b.	Abandoned Properties. - Mr. Hrynda advised we need to get properties back on the books for taxes and could we invoice the school district for partial maintenance expenses. - Mayor Pennington will be meeting with the school district.	
c.	Crossing Guard contract Mr. Ellis advised them to have an offer to send to the union.	

d.	Lincoln Ave. Stop/Parking signs. Chief Sentner would like to keep in committee to continue to review areas that need no parking. Many areas may need no parking to allow the fire trucks access.
e.	Ordinance 24-07 Fire department cost recovery - Mr. Kelly provided an edited version with parts eliminated that would allow any other billing. - Discussion followed.
f.	Demolition Progress Mr. Kelly advised demolition is to begin and company is aware of required deadline.
	Mr. Kelly, Chief Sentner, Mr. Jacobs met with Kuhns contractor of some concerns. They were very responsive, and we will be working to build a better relationship with Kuhns and see how we can assist.
New Business	
a.	Police Department new hire. Chief Sentner would like to move to hire Alexander Edwards at Pre-council.
	Chief Hartman will be working with the Volunteers to start some fund-raising efforts and possibly working on the web site and social media opportunities.
	Mr. Jacobs asked to use the Borough owned bicycles.

Public Contributions on Non-Agenda Items (2 minutes) :

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Meeting Adjourned at: 9:13 p.m.

Next Meeting: July 2, 2024, 7:30 pm