

Public Safety Committee Meeting

The Public Safety Committee met on Monday, September 10, 2018 @ 4:00 p.m. at 316 S. Brad Street, Grantsburg, Wisconsin.

The Public Safety Committee Meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Committee Chairman, Greg Peer.

Roll Call

Present: Chairman, Greg Peer

Member, Diane Barton Member, Mike Longhenry

Absent: None

Others: Village Clerk, Patty Bjorklund

Village Treasurer, Sheila Meyer Police Chief, Jeff Schinzing Village President, Larry Ebersold

Equipment Inventory was presented to all members. This included the suggested replacement date, purchase date and cost at the time of purchase.

Police Chief, Schinzing noted that there was a Click-It or Ticket Grant that was awarded by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation on September 5, 2018 in the amount of \$4,000. He asked the committee what the best use of this money would be. Discussion ensued. Most logical use would be for a computer, or video system for a new squad Police Chief, Schinzing noted.

He went over the police vehicles in service currently. There is a 2017 Police Utility Explorer, Current Mileage 22,061. There is a 2013 Truck, Current Mileage 38,868. There is a 2009 Explorer, Current Mileage 144,201. He noted that the problems with the current Explorer are the following: It has a torn/worn out driver's seat, the doors are rusting, some dash lights are out. It has loose suspension. The transmission shift lever does not show the gear that you are in. Molding on sides are hanging, and it has bad ball joints causing the tires to wear. RCV control module is out. Broken front bumper which has been plastic glued several times. Vehicle estimates from Fiedler Ford were presented. A 2019 Ford F150 Truck SSV \$31,350 and a 2020 Police Interceptor Utility \$37,740. Recommend replacement of 2009 Explorer with 2019 Police SSV Truck would be Police Chief, Schinzing's preference. The new equipment for patrol car costs were as follows: Light barinterior \$800, Center council for switch box/radio/printer \$500, Cage/Security screen-airbag compliant \$800, Control switch box \$600, Install equipment/lights/siren/cage/radio \$2,200, Extra red/blue lights/mirrors/sides/rear \$1,000, Push bumper and lights \$500, Gun locks \$400, Siren/brackets \$210, Video Camera \$4,895, Computer with dock \$3,400. Total for the truck and equipment is \$46,655.

Other budget items were discussed. Building security video system. \$2,000 was set aside for 2018 and has not been expended yet. The quote from CWS Security for Security Cameras was \$4,300 it does not include an alarm system button in the village office. The price can be investigated for that Police Chief, Schinzing noted. He will check with Library Director, Kristina Kelly-Johnson. She will be looking into that cost for the library. It will be done through Grantsburg Telcom. He thought cost was approximately \$500.



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Member, Peer would like to see more money expended for a Building Inspector/Ordinance Officer for the village in 2019. Currently, the Ordinance Officer Budget is \$4,000 for 2018 Village Treasurer, Meyer noted. The focus needs to be on dilapidated buildings.

Member Barton moved, seconded by Member Longhenry to try to budget \$10,000 for a Building Inspector/Ordinance Officer for the village in 2019.

Ayes: Peer, Barton, Longhenry

Nays: NONE Motion to approve: Carried

Street Project Downtown Cameras was discussed. Police Chief, Schinzing would like to implement this when the light poles are placed, and streets are done downtown.

Member Longhenry moved, seconded by Member Barton to adjourn the Public Safety Committee Meeting at 4:50 p.m.

Ayes: Peer, Barton, Longhenry

Nays: NONE Motion to approve: Carried

Submitted by:

Patty Bjorklund – WCMC, CMC, CMTW Village Clerk, Deputy-Treasurer September 10, 2018