

Village of Grantsburg

Public Safety Committee Meeting Monday, September 28, 2020

The Public Safety Committee for the Village of Grantsburg met on Monday, September 28, 2020, at 4:00 pm at the Village Office, 316 S. Brad Street, Grantsburg, WI. This meeting was also available via zoom.

Present: Chairman/Trustee Peer, President Longhenry, Trustee Sturdevant.

Others: Police Chief Daniel Wald

<u>CALL TO ORDER</u> Chairman/Trustee Peer called the Public Safety Committee meeting to order at 4:00 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

2021 Budget Prep Chief Wald presented the following items for consideration for the 2021 budget: bullet proof, load bearing vest for Officer Getts, computer and docking station for the Explorer squad, 2 portable radios, 3 roller traffic accident wheels, 3 lockout kits, request to increase uniform allowance, a second digital camera, radar unit and adding a phone to Officer Getts' desk. Chief Wald also asked for a pay increase for his Administrative Assistant Lee. After doing a survey of area departments and because of the level of work she is capable of handling, Chief Wald feels she is underpaid. Part-time police hours were also discussed. Mental health transports are taking patrol hours away from the Village Police Department. The committee felt 15 more shifts should be added to the part-time police schedule for 2021. Chief Wald will check with area departments about sharing in transports.

<u>Halloween</u> Discussion was held. The committee suggested posting a notice setting trick-or-treat hours in the Village from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on October 31, 2020 and reminding everyone to practice social distancing and respect those households that chose not to participate.

<u>ADJOURNMENT</u> Motion by Trustee Sturdevant, second by President Longhenry to adjourn the Public Safety meeting at 5 p.m. Motion carried.

Sheila Meyer Clerk/Treasurer