

Easton Police Commission Special Meeting
Easton Public Library Community Room
August 17, 2015

The Easton Police Commission Meeting was called to order at 5:32 pm by Chairman Colangelo.

Present were: Richard Colangelo, Chairman
Laurie Israel, Vice Chairman
Thomas A. Herrmann, Secretary
Marvin Gelfand, Commissioner

Also present: Chief Timothy Shaw

Larry Price, Easton Resident
Jane Price, Easton Resident

I. PRELIMINARY BUSINESS

- A. Correspondence
 - 1. A letter of appreciation for Officer Pastor's participation with the Connecticut State Police D.A.R.E. Training Unit was received from the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection.
 - 2. Officer French and Sargent Spencer were thanked and commended by two residents who called for assistance concerning a suspicious person.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT

- A. Residents expressed support for the new administration and for reinstating the K-9 program.

III. CHIEF'S MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT

- A. Chief's monthly report will be reviewed at the next Police Commission meeting.

IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. A Traffic Survey report, prepared by PO Kinahan, was reviewed. The Report included a proposal for a pedestrian crosswalk on Center Road, as requested by the Easton Congregational Church. Chairman Colangelo made a motion to approve the establishment of the crosswalk as outlined in the Report. Commissioner Gelfand seconded the motion and it was passed unanimously.

V. NEW BUSINESS

- A. A motion was made by Chairman Colangelo to approve the Minutes of the Special Meeting of July 27, 2015. Vice Chairman Israel seconded the motion and it was approved unanimously.
- B. Chief Shaw informed the Commission that the Project Lifesaver Federal Grant application had been approved. Trumbull and Westport have also had applications approved. No action taken.
- C. Testing procedures for the pending Detective position were discussed by Chief Shaw with the Easton Police union. No action taken.

VI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- A. Motion to go into Executive Session was made by Chairman Colangelo at 5:50 pm and seconded by Commissioner Herrmann. Motion passed unanimously. The Commission returned to regular session at 5:56 pm. No motions were made and no votes were taken during executive session.

Commissioner Gelfand moved to adjourn the meeting at 5:57 pm, and the motion was seconded by Vice Chairman Israel. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. A. Herrmann", is written over a horizontal line.

Commissioner Thomas A. Herrmann, Secretary