

MINUTES FROM THE GREENFIELD POLICE & FIRE COMMISSION MEETING HELD AT THE LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER, Court Room – 5300 West Layton Avenue, Greenfield, on Monday, September 19, 2016 AT 6:00 P.M.

1.	Meeting called to order at 6:01 p.m. by Commissioner Cashmore, Chairperson.	Call to Order
2.	Roll Call: Commissioner Cashmore Present Commissioner Brown Present Commissioner Clark Excused Commissioner DeGaro Present Commissioner Springob Present Also Present: Assistant Fire Chief Weber Assistant Police Chief Patrick	
3.	Pledge of Allegiance.	
4.	Approval of the Police & Fire Commission Minutes for the July 7, 2016 and September 6, 2016 meetings. Motion by Commissioner Springob, Seconded by Commissioner DeGaro to approve minutes on a unanimous roll call vote.	
5.	Greenfield Fire Department Reports (Chief Weber). Background check came back from the Police Department. The next step for Joe is for the psychologist either this week or next and then the physical and stress test. He will start work in the middle of October. Ryan Kaminski's paperwork is all in. Once the county approves, he will ride as a paramedic. He has been shadowing a paramedic unit. After approval from county, he will be assigned with another firefighter to make up a paramedic unit. Thanks to all of the commission members for assisting us in doing interviews on short notice. Another active shooter event will be held this fall and are in need of volunteers. Greenfield has become the hub for active shooter and one of the reasons is because of the relationship of the police and fire have. National Night Out was a success.	
6.	Greenfield Police Department Reports (Chief Patrick). Heroin is the big news. 70 deaths in 7 weeks with one child overdose. Greenfield has weekly heroin overdoses. The police department and fire department partnered to train in Narcan use. Since then the police department has used it several times. The Cure program has 15 participants with 2 successes for being clean. Officer wellness has started a peer support group about 1-1/2 years ago. Sergeant, 2 patrolmen, 1 pastor, 2 associate pastors that are training now. After officer involved shooting that took place in the past, we relied on Milwaukee. Now we can do a debriefing with our own peer group. Later this year, from the Chief on down, will talk with a counselor for 45 minutes to go over the past year. Further discussion followed on above items. Active shooter event this year has 16 departments participating. Officers Adam, Olson, Padilla are finishing field training and should be ready to go in early November.	
7.	Election of Police and Fire Commission Officers. Commissioner Springob nominated Patsy Cashmore for chairperson, Seconded by Commissioner DeGaro. Commissioner Cashmore accepted nomination with unanimous roll call. Commissioner Brown nominated Dennis Clark for Vice President, Seconded by Commissioner Springob. Unanimous roll call. Commissioner Cashmore nominated Julie DeGaro for secretary, Seconded by Commissioner Brown. Commissioner DeGaro accepted with unanimous roll call.	
8.	Commission Reports. None	
9.	New Business. None	
10.	New Items for Placement on Next Agenda. None	

11.	The next meeting of the Greenfield Police and Fire Commission shall be held when there are items that require a meeting.	
12.	Adjournment. – Motion by Commissioner Springob, seconded by Commissioner DeGaro to adjourn. Unanimous roll call. Meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.	<i>Adjourn 6:40 p.m.</i>

Respectfully submitted,

Patsy Cashmore

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