

Minutes
Thursday, April 4, 2019
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE (PSC)

1. **Call to Order:** Meeting called to order by Chairperson Peach 5 p.m.
2. **Roll Call:**
Members Present: Chairperson Richard Peach, Mary Mason, Peter Bernstein, Don Mueller, Youth in Government Representative Craig Christensen
Absent: Youth in Government Representative Mya Wilson
Also Present: Police Chief Chris Hughes, Sabastian VanWyhe, Better Brodhead Erin Menzel and Kathy Comeau
3. **Motion to deviate from the order of the agenda if necessary:** Bernstein motioned, Mason 2nd to deviate if necessary, all aye.
4. **Approval of previous meeting minutes:** Bernstein motioned, Mueller 2nd to approve the March 2019 minutes as presented, all aye.
5. **Public Appearances:**
 - Sabastian VanWyhe is requesting the ordinance be changed to allow property owners to possess more chickens. After discussion of ordinance §178-13E, Peach requested this item be placed on next month's agenda.
 - Police Chief Hughes brought forward a request and handout by the Public Works Director to reinstate the no parking on the square and downtown from 2 a.m. to 6 a.m. Peach requested this item be placed on next month's agenda.
 - Police Chief Hughes brought forward a request and handouts by the Park and Recreation Director to institute a Dog Park which would require ordinance changes. Peach requested this item be placed on next month's agenda.
6. **Police Chief's, Fire Chief's and EMS Captain's reports of their department's activities:** Police Chief Hughes presented information in regard to the Livescan fingerprinting grant approved by Council. Hughes provided activity data in regard to the Green County Traffic Safety Task Force deployment from October 2018 to February 2019. Hughes advised the Task Force was recently awarded a speed enforcement grant in addition to the OWI and Seatbelt grants previously awarded.
7. **New Business**
 - a. **Operator's Licenses:** After review, Bernstein motioned, Mason 2nd to recommend Council approve of the following; Terry Gilden, Jennifer Williams, Tina Peak, Wendy Schaver, Hailey Landphier, Mary Pagoudis, and Darlene Short, all aye.
 - b. **Public Event Permits:** After review, Bernstein motioned, Mason 2nd to recommend Council approve of Green County Healthy Communities Coalition walk event on April 23, 2019 on the Pearl Island Corridor, all aye.
 - c. **Temporary Class B Licenses:** After review, Bernstein motioned, Mueller 2nd to recommend Council approve the VFW Post 5868 application, all aye.
 - d. **Other City licenses and permits:** None presented.
8. **Old Business**
 - a. **Better Brodhead Community Event Toolkit for Alcohol Management:** After presentation by Better Brodhead and discussion by PSC, at Better Brodhead's request Peach asked this item be placed on next month's agenda.
 - b. **Amending Ordinances 301-8 and 301-9 Juvenile tobacco and 272-9 and 354-24 Smoke free workplace in incorporate e-cigarettes:** Chief Hughes requested this item be placed on next month's agenda, Peach approved.
 - c. **Amending Ordinances 290-14 and 290-16 to prohibit click and collect sales:** Chief Hughes presented City Attorney's insight. After discussion Bernstein motioned, Peach 2nd to recommend

to Council that City Attorney be directed to create language for either an ordinance or resolution which would make it clear that such practice is prohibited in the City, all aye.

- d. **Alcohol Establishment Change of Presumption:** Chief Hughes advised PSC this item was tabled by Council. Chief Hughes advised there were concerns expressed as to the enforcement issues this change may create, as well as, the Council's support of Better Brodhead's mission.
 - e. **Changing Street Names in 3 City Subdivisions:** Chief Hughes requested this item be placed on next month's agenda, Peach approved.
9. **Committee Comments or Questions:** Mason expressed concerns she has received about junked vehicles, pedestrian crossing issues and the probability of placing lighted warning signs for emergency vehicles exiting onto 1st Center Ave from 12th Street. Police Chief Hughes stated the warning sign issue has been brought up before and he will bring information to May meeting. Hughes stated the department will be running pedestrian safety enforcement operations this summer.
10. **Future agenda items and next meeting date and time:**
- Next Meeting Thursday, May 2, 2019 at 5 p.m.
 - Items noted in the minutes.
11. **Motion to Adjourn:** Mason motioned, Peach 2nd to adjourn at 6:05 p.m., all aye.

Approved: May 2, 2019