Minutes of Public Safety Meeting September 30, 2021

Greg Bunch called the meeting to order at 10 AM

Other members present were Rich Sullivan, Brian Kern, and Steve Smith

Public Comment: There were no public comments. (No members of the public attended.)

Old Business

--Todd Taylor provided an update for body worn cameras.

_Mike Davidson gave an update of the new Tahoe for 2022 deliver in the next 2-3 months.

New Business

Chief Davidson gave his update including Fire Department calls through September.

Chief Taylor reviewed his draft of Succession Planning for the Police Department.

Summary of motions during New Business

- A motion was made to recommend to the Township Board the promotion and appointment of Brandon Jones to the rank of Lieutenant to commence of April 1, 2022 with a salary to be negotiated and determined by the Board. MSA
- A motion was made to recommend to the Township Board the increase for hourly wage for full-time police officers for the Top Step to \$32 per hour, in order to be competitive with neighboring municipalities, increase morale, and retain qualified officers.
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- A motion was made to recommend to the Township Board for the purchase of a third patrol car for the fiscal year 2022-2023.
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- A motion made to adjourn the meeting at 10:52 AM MSA

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Smith, Secretary