

LOWELL METROPOLITAN POLICE COMMISSION
December 23rd, 2021

The Lowell Metropolitan Police Commission met in regular session on December 23rd, 2021, at the Lowell Town Hall.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.

I. Roll Call

Commissioner Ray Borchert, present
Commissioner Sharon Patterson, absent
Commissioner Becky Ruiz-Harbinson, present
Commissioner LeAnn Angerman, present
Commissioner Mark Schwartz, present
Chief James Woestman, present

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE November 24th, REGULAR SESSION

Commissioner Angerman made a motion to approve the minutes from the November 24th, 2021, regular session, seconded by Commissioner Ruiz-Harbinson. 4 ayes, motion passed.

IV. APPROVAL OF CLAIMS/EXPENDITURES

Commissioner Angerman made a motion to approve the Claims/Expenditures, seconded by Commissioner Schwartz. 4 ayes, motion passed.

V. CHIEF'S REPORT AND THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEES OR MEMBERS

Chief Woestman informed the Commission there are no employees out for COVID-19 related issues and the total officer shifts lost to Covid remains at 100.5.

Chief Woestman announced he has begun to receive applications for the current hiring process with more interest from certified officers than in the past.

Chief Woestman stated the fixed sights, optics, and flashlights have been received and once the firearms and holsters have arrived, they will be issued and Officers must qualify with them. He also stated Sergeant Kaczmarczyk has recently completed the Glock Armorers Course and will assemble them.

Chief Woestman stated the new equipment in the weight room is set up and thanked Coach Joe Delgado of the Lowell High School graphic design team for banners they donated.

Chief Woestman announced the Santa Parade and Tree Lighting was completed without an issue.

VI. INTRODUCTION AND ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

There were none.

VII. OLD BUSINESS

There was none.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

There was none.

IX. PETITIONS, REMONSTRANCES, AND COMMUNICATIONS

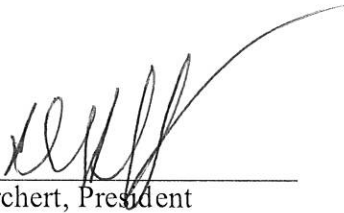
X. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next Police Commission meeting was set for Thursday, January 27th, 2022, at 7 pm.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Ruiz-Harbinson made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Commissioner Schwartz. 4 ayes, motion passed.

The Meeting was adjourned at 7:04.



Ray Borchert, President

Becky Ruiz-Harbinson, Secretary