

LOWELL METROPOLITAN POLICE COMMISSION
August 25th, 2022

The Lowell Metropolitan Police Commission met in regular session on August 25th, 2022, 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, present
Commissioner LeAnn Angerman, absent
Commissioner Mark Schwartz, present
Chief James Woestman, present

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by a brief moment of silence.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE July 28th, 2022, REGULAR SESSION

Commissioner Schwartz made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 28th, 2022, Regular Session, seconded by Commissioner Patterson. 3 ayes, motion passed.

IV. APPROVAL OF CLAIMS/EXPENDITURES

Commissioner Patterson made a motion to approve the Claims/Expenditures, seconded by Commissioner Schwartz. 3 ayes, motion passed.

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

Chief Woestman stated there are 0 employees out for COVID-19 related issues and the department remains at 109 lost officer shifts to quarantine or isolation due to COVID-19.

Chief Woestman informed the commission he has solicited quotes for cars for next year's potential order and that prices have gone up significantly with all manufacturers.

Chief Woestman stated 4 more officers are scheduled to attend the School Resource Officer training course to work part time in the schools. He also stated that 9 officers are working in the schools as the state has given a 180 day reprieve from the new training.

Chief Woestman stated school started and there were no issues.

Chief Woestman announced Nathaniel Ricci was sworn in August 2nd as a Reserve Officer and is scheduled to begin training.

Chief Woestman recognized Sgt. Kaczmarczyk with a life saving award for saving a 7 year old girl's life using the heimlich maneuver at a local restaurant.

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

There were none.

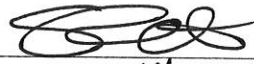
X. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next Police Commission meeting was set for September 22nd, 2022, at 7 pm.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

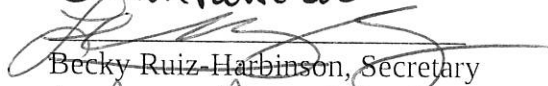
Commissioner Patterson made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Commissioner Schwartz. 3 ayes, motion passed.

The Meeting was adjourned at 7:04 p m.



~~Ray Borchert~~ President - Acting President

Sharon Patterson



Becky Ruiz-Harbinson, Secretary

LetAnn Angerman