

**Columbia County
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
April 9, 2018**

Present: Kirk Konkol, Adam Field, Dan Drew, Mark Sleger, Teresa Sumnicht
Also Present: County Board Chair Gove, County Board Vice Chair Foley, Asst. Corp Csl. Krista Miller, DNR Keith Warmke and Mark Aquino, Sheriff Richards, Chief Deputy Kuhl, Lt. Stilson, Emergency Management Coordinator Johnson, Medical Examiner Hinze, ES Giuffre, PDR Jonathan Stefonek

Called to Order. Posting Compliance. Agenda Approval. Minutes Approval. Chairman's Comments.

- 1) Meeting called to order at 9 a.m. by Konkol.
- 2) Posting compliance was met per Open Meetings Law.
- 3) *Motion was made by Drew to approve the second amended agenda. Seconded by Field. Motion carried.*
- 4) *Motion made by Sleger to approve the previous meeting minutes. Seconded by Drew. Motion carried.*
- 5) **Chair's Comments:** Chair Konkol wished to thank the committee for their work for the past two years. Mr. Konkol wished Supervisor Sumnicht well on her new adventures and welcoming the new forthcoming committee members.

Emergency Management. (Johnson)

- 1) **General Review of Department Activities.** Handout provided. Johnson provided a brief synopsis of March activities. Johnson highlighted the recent Weather Spotter class training. There is an increased awareness with school safety and emergency planning. Deputy Max Jenatscheck continues to work on and presenting active shooter information and training.
- 2) **Expenditure Reports.** *After a review of the Emergency Management expenditure reports, a motion was made by Drew to approve report. Seconded by Field. Motion carried.*

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources – Shooting Range Update (Keith Warmke)

DNR Representatives Keith Warmke and Mark Aquino spoke about the shooting range and its progress to-date. The site is nearly done. Some work had to be re-done as it was not up to standards, but that portion is now completed. MOUs will need to be established with both Columbia County as well as the Columbia County Sporting Alliance. The grand opening is anticipated in the near future. Signage will be posted and an anticipated opening date of June 2018.

Sheriff's Office/Jail. (Richards, Kuhl, Stilson)

- 1) **General Review of Department Activities.** Handouts provided. Discussion of monthly highlights and activities for March. Squad car damaged in a recent accident involving a deer. Narcan usages will be tracked. Det. Lt. Brandner and Sgt. Haverley continue to give drug education talks to schools and community members. There were 26 OWI arrests in March.
- 2) **Inmate Count and General Review of Jail Operations.** Inmate Count: 163. The Sheriff commended jail staff on interrupting a recent inmate suicide attempt.
- 3) **Position Replacement Request – Jailer x2** (Badger, Niebuhr) Discussion. *Motion by Sleger to approve the position replacement request for Jailer Marcus Badger. Seconded by Sumnicht. Motion carried. Motion by Sleger to approve the position replacement request for Jailer Lisa Niebuhr. Seconded by Field. Motion carried.*
- 3) **Expenditure Reports.** *After a review of the Sheriff's Office's expenditure report, a motion was made by Drew approve report. Seconded by Sleger. Motion carried*

Medical Examiner. (Hinze)

- 1) **General Review of Department Activities.** Handouts provided. Discussion of monthly activities for

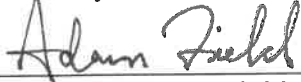
March. Discussion. The increased call volume coincides with the increase in revenues. Hinze advised she was invited to attend the County Drug Endangered Children Group. Hinze advised the committee that three new staff members have begun their orientation in her office. One in attendance was Lonnie Martinez.

- ↳) **Expenditure Report.** *After a review of the Medical Examiner expenditure report, a motion was made to approve the report by Sleger. Seconded by Drew. Motion carried.*

Motion by Field to adjourn the meeting at 9:45 a.m. Seconded by Drew. Motion carried.

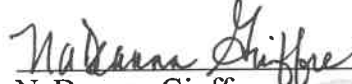
Next meeting date: Monday, May 14, 2018.

Secretary of Record,



Supervisor Adam Field
Committee Secretary

Recording Secretary,



NaDeanna Giuffre
Assistant to Sheriff Richards

cc: Public Safety Members
Chair Gove
1st Vice Chair Cupery
2nd Vice Chair Foley
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