PORT WASHINGTON POLICE DISTRICT MINUTES OF REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING OF THE BOARD OF POLICE DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS

Held on at Port Washington Police Headquarters, 500 Port Washington Boulevard, Port Washington, New York on June 22, 2022.

Commissioner Scobbo called the Regular Business Meeting to order at 7:05 PM. There was a moment of silence for Philadelphia Firefighter who lost his life in the line of duty.

Present were Commissioners Angela Lawlor Mullins, Frank Scobbo, Brian Staley; Chief Robert Del Muro, Assistant Chief Kevin McCarroll, Deputy Chief William Zwerlein, Counselor Howard Miller, Office Manager Katie Rivera, Treasurer Christine Piacquadio.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT:

Commissioner Scobbo reported he attend the school meeting regarding traffic concerns on June 14th.

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Mullins and seconded by Commissioner

Staley to approve the minutes of June 8, 2022.

The vote was recorded as follows: Ayes: 3

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Staley approve the minutes of June 8, 2022.

The vote was recorded as follows: Ayes: 3

RESOLUTION CALENDAR:

None.

CHIEF'S REPORT:

Chief Del Muro reported there was a Port Outdoors on June 16th and the triathlon on June 19th. Community Affairs Officer Griffith was distributing flyers on Main Street ahead of the pedestrian crosswalk safety initiative.

Legislator DeRiggi-Whitton is providing a grant for the Police District to purchase a new speed sign. The approximate cost is \$17,000.00.

The flooring has been replaced in the north stairwell.

Two more officers were trained in installing car seats. Chief Del Muro encouraged members of the public to make an appointment to make sure their car seats are installed correctly.

Assistant Chief McCarroll reported the meeting with the school district regarding traffic concerns was a great event.

Assistant Chief McCarroll reported the NYS Drone School was very informative for the PWPD drone pilots. Also, a second drone will be purchased with a grant from Assemblywoman Gina Sillitti.

COUNSEL'S REPORT:

None.

Pending litigation will be discussed in Executive Session.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Commissioner Mullins congratulated all graduates and thanked the School Crossing Guards for their hard work during the school year.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

ACTION:

A Motion was made by Commissioner Staley and seconded by Commissioner Mullins to approve the June 21, 2022 abstract in the amount of \$161,808.98.

The vote was recorded as follows: Ayes: 3

Commissioners Staley reported that both he and Commissioner Scobbo attended the Blessing of the Fleet as well as the charity car show that took place at the high school.

Commissioner Staley wished everyone a Happy Juneteenth.

OLD BUSINESS:

Public Relations Firm –

A lengthy discussion was held on hiring a Public Relations Firm.

ACTION:

A Motion was made by Commissioner Mullins and seconded by Commissioner Staley to approve the Strategic Planning Communications as the Port Washington Police Public Relations Firm.

The vote was recorded as follows: Ayes: 3

NEW BUSINESS:

None.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS:

•	July 6, 2022	9:00 AM	Regular Business Meeting
•	July 20, 2022	7:00 PM	Regular Business Meeting
•	August 10, 2022	9:00 AM	Regular Business Meeting
•	August 24, 2022	7:00 PM	Regular Business Meeting

PUBLIC FORUM/PUBLIC SAFETY:

A question was asked about the real estate appraisal. Chief Del Muro reported there is discussion regarding said property.

A comment was made regarding the traffic conditions on Harbor Road.

A discussion was held on real estate matters.

A lengthy discussion was held on concerns within Port Washington regarding the event of an active shooter in one of the schools. There was a concern that the Port Washington Police did not send correspondence to parents after the Uvalde, Texas tragedy. Chief Del Muro reported that the Port Washington Police Officers are highly trained and equipped in the event of an active shooter.

ACTION: A Motion was made by Commissioner Scobbo and seconded by Commissioner Mullins to adjourn the public meeting at 8:15 PM.

The vote was recorded as follows: Ayes: 3

Angela Lawlor Mullins, Secretary