

CITY OF DALTON
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
MINUTES
JUNE 28, 2022

The regular meeting for the Public Safety Commission was held today in the Council Chambers of City Hall. Present were Chairman Terry Mathis, Commissioners Bill Weaver, Truman Whitfield, Anthony Walker, Alex Brown, Fire Chief Todd Pangle, Police Chief Cliff Cason, Councilmember Annalee Harlan and City Attorney Terry Miller.

AGENDA APPROVAL

On the motion of Commissioner Brown, second Commissioner Walker, the agenda was approved as presented. The vote was unanimous in favor.

PERSONNEL MATTERS

Police Department – New Employee Confirmations

On the motion of Commissioner Brown, second Commissioner Walker, the Commission approved the following personnel as new Dalton Police Officers. The vote was unanimous in favor.

- Jesus Antonio Cruz-Ramos
- Wilson Miles McNair
- Terry Richard Miller
- Brandon Lee Putnam
- Kaleb Bryce Warren
- Christopher Leonard Wingate

Fire Department – Employment Confirmation

On the motion of Commissioner Whitfield, second Commissioner Walker, the Commission approved the following personnel as Dalton firefighters. The vote was unanimous in favor.

- Zachary Carlson
- Drew Sage
- Chris Stanley

MINUTES

The Commissioners were presented written copies of the regular meeting minutes of May 24, 2022. On the motion of Commissioner Brown, second Commissioner Walker, the minutes were approved as presented. The vote was unanimous in favor.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Crime and Crash Statistics for May 2022

Police Chief Cliff Cason gave a written and oral summary of the Crime and Crash Statistical Reports for the month of May 2022. As noted in the written summary, Chief Cason reported the rate of Year to Date Part I crimes are approximately 19.8% lower and Part II crimes are approximately 22.7% lower when compared to the past 5-year average. Chief Cason further reported there were 127 non-private property crashes reported for the month and injury crashes increased from April 2022, though total injuries increased.

On the motion of Commissioner Walker, second Commissioner Brown, the report was approved. The complete report in its entirety is a part of these minutes. The vote was unanimous in favor.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Financial Statistics for May 2022

Police Chief Cliff Cason presented the Financial Report for all divisions within the Dalton Police Department for the month of May 2022. Chief Cason reported the department has expended 40% of their 2022 budget and is confident there will be sufficient funds to accomplish the Department's 2022 goals.

On the motion of Commissioner Brown, second Commissioner Walker, the financial report was approved. The complete report in its entirety is a part of these minutes. The vote was unanimous in favor.

Written Directives

Police Chief Cliff Cason presented the following written directive reviews for approval:

- 3.19 Personnel Early Intervention System
- 4.16 Vehicle Pursuit
- 4.23 Response to Developmental Disabilities and Mental Health Disorders
- 7.10 Lineups and Pretrial Identifications
- 7.21 Victim / Witness Assistance
- 7.24 Body Worn Cameras

On the motion of Commissioner Weaver, second Commissioner Brown, the Commission adopted the Written Directives. The written directives are a part of these minutes. The vote was unanimous in favor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Monthly Statistical Report – May 2022

Fire Chief Todd Pangle presented the May 2022 Statistical Report to the Commission. Chief Pangle outlined details of the complete report, which included the Incident Report with 339 Total Responses, a Dollar Value Saved & Loss Analysis of \$272,800.00, NFPA Fire Experience Survey, Incident List by Incident Number, Training Division Monthly Report, Fire Safety Division Monthly Report and the Inspection Summary.

On the motion of Commissioner Brown, second Commissioner Whitfield, the Commissioners approved the Statistical Report for the Fire Department. A copy of the report outlining all incident values is a part of these minutes. The vote was unanimous in favor.

Monthly Financial Report – May 2022

Fire Chief Todd Pangle presented the Financial Report for the month of May 2022 to the Commission. Chief Pangle stated the department has expended 37.6% of their 2022 budget and is confident there will be sufficient funds to accomplish the Department's 2022 goals.

On the motion of Commissioner Walker, second Commissioner Whitfield, the Commissioners approved the Financial Report for the Fire Department. A copy of the report is a part of these minutes. The vote was unanimous in favor.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Commissioners, on the motion of Commissioner Walker, second Commissioner Brown, the meeting was adjourned at 9:22 a.m.

Terry Mathis, Chairman

ATTEST:

Anthony Walker, Secretary