



POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSION MINUTES

January 23, 2025 at 5:30 PM
303 Mansion Street Mauston, WI

- 1. Call to Order/Roll Call:** The Police and Fire Commission meet on January 23, 2025, in the Council Chambers of Mauston City Hall. Chair Brian McGuire called the meeting to order at 5:36 p.m. The members present were Jack Hammer, Katie Gruman, Brian McGuire, Deborah Shuman, and Gary Purvis. Police Chief Mike Zilisch, and Fire Chief Brent Lenorud, were also present.
- 2. Minutes:** Purvis/Hammer to approve the minutes of December 19, 2024. Motion carried by voice vote.
- 3. Financial Report:** Purvis/Hammer to approve the Financial Report as presented. Motion carried by voice vote.
- 4. Fire Chief's Report:** The calls for service in December 2024 were reviewed and explained. Chief Lenorud reported that training is taking place on the new tanker and that the old tanker is listed on Wisconsin Surplus. He also said that during the course of ice rescue training, it was realized that new rescue suits were needed, and so four of them have been purchased. The process of purchasing a new brush truck is ongoing as the Fire Department looks for other dealers. Finally, Chief Lenorud informed the PFC that there were no firefighter applications at this time. Gruman/Shuman motion to approve the Fire Chief's Report. Motion carried by voice vote.
- 5. Police Chief's Report:** The December 2024 statistical reports were reviewed and explained. The total calls for service in December 2024 was 1353 while in December 2023, there were 1157 calls. Last month, there were 1329 calls. Another statistic worth noting is that the You Are Not Alone program is growing as there were 47 contacts made in December, up from 8 the previous month. Chief Zilisch also provided a year-end budget update
Hammer/McGuire to approve the Police Chief's report. Motion carried by voice vote.
- 6. Adjourn:** McGuire/Gruman to adjourn – motion carried by voice vote – meeting adjourned at 6:21 p.m.

Chair

Date