



City of Ladysmith

Police & Fire Commission **Meeting Minutes for November 16, 2022** **5 PM at the Ladysmith Fire Hall**

Jennifer Pearson, Cora Schultz, Dan Gudis, Fire Chief Kyle Gibbs, Assistant Fire Chief Shane Bishop

1. Meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm.
2. Motion to approve the Minutes of the October 12, 2022 made by J. Pearson; seconded by J. D. Gudis. Motion carried.
3. Motion to approve evening's agenda made by J. Pearson; seconded by D. Gudis. Motion carried.
4. Motion to approve last month's invoices made by J. Pearson; seconded by D. Gudis Motion carried.
5. Appearances by the public. None.
6. Fire Chief's Report. Chief Kyle Gibbs advised that they are at 163 calls to date. Chief advised that there have been no major structure fires. Chief advised that the hired 2 new firemen Jason from LaCrosse and Tyler Saraurer. Chief advised that Fireman Roger Rhoads will be retiring at the end of this year.
7. Chief Kevin Julien advised that he went to chief training. Chief went over the monthly booklet. Chief advised 2023 schedule is done. Chief advised school training went well. Chief advised that the SRO has been going well. Chief advised that sick time and over time is up a bit due to officer being on FMLA. Chief advised that the department purchased Tasers with fundraiser money. Chief also advised that we received a grant for body cameras and it will be a 50-50 match.
8. Next meeting is set for December 21, 2022 at 5:00 pm
9. Motion to adjourn meeting made by J. Pearson; seconded by D. Gudis. Motion carried.

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Respectfully submitted Kelly Engelhardt1/5/23

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