



**Police & Fire Commission**  
**Meeting Minutes for July 17, 2024**  
**4:30 PM at the Ladysmith Fire Hall**

Chairperson Cora Schultz, John Pohlman III, Dan Gudis, Mike Closs, Jennifer Pearson, Chief of Police Kevin Julien, Fire Chief Kyle Gibbs, Terry Wedwick, Mayor, City Administrator, Nathan Johnson.

1. Meeting was called to order at 4:30pm
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approve the minutes of the June 19, 2024 meeting made by M. Closs; seconded by J. Pearson. Motion carried
4. Motion to approve the evenings agenda made by D. Gudis; seconded by J. Pearson. Motion carried.
5. Motion to approve last month invoices motion made by M. Closs; seconded by D. Gudis. Motion carried.
6. Appearances by the public:

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

7. Chiefs report. Chief Kyle Gibbs advised that the department has 118calls to date. Chief advised that the Saturday of Mardi Gras from 8-11 will be the pancake breakfast. Instead of the annual water fights, this year will be a corn hole tournament due to road construction. Chief advised that he is working on his 2025 budget. Chief advised that the 2 rural pumpers are titled and the titles are at City Hall. Chief advised that the chasse should be started in approximately 1-2 months. Chief advised that the sprinkler system claim was denied by insurance. Chief advised that there was damage to the sprinkler during the Easter egg hunt.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

8. Chief Kevin Julien advised that he is still working on updating the policy manual. Chief advised that the department closed the training year and all officers had the annual training requirements. Chief advised he forgot to add Officer Sternweis's training that he attended in Green Bay for SRO. Chief advised that he is currently working on the 2025 budget. Chief advised that the department has an intern for the summer. He started June 2.
9. Motion to go into closed session made by D. Gudis; seconded by J. Pohlman III. Motion carried. All responded yes.
10. Motion to return to open session made by J. Pearson; seconded by M. Closs. Motion carried. All responded yes
11. Next meeting at 4:30 on August 21, 2024.
12. Motion to adjourn meeting made at 5:21pm by D. Gudis; seconded by J. Pohlman III. Motion carried.