



PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

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Councilmember Christine Corrado- Chairperson
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PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

The Town of Brighton Public Safety Committee convened on Tuesday July 9, 2019 at the Brighton Town Hall, 2300 Elmwood Avenue, Rochester, New York 14618.

The following is a summary of the matters discussed and the actions taken at this open meeting.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

Meeting called to order at 0805 hours

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Supervisor William Moehle

Councilmember Christine Corrado

Mark Henderson; Chief Brighton Police Department

Mike DeSain; Captain Brighton Police Department

Felipe Hernandez; Executive Deputy Chief – Rochester Fire Department

Douglas Knapp; Lieutenant – Rochester Fire Department

Richard Tracy; Brighton Fire Department

Cody Dean; Chief Brighton Ambulance

Mike Gyon; Commissioner of Public Works

Christopher Roth; Chief Fire Marshal

GUESTS

Councilmember Robin Wilt

Peter Bouley

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Approved Motion by Supervisor Moehle

Second by Christine Corrado

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes of the June 11, 2019 meeting

Approved Motion by Supervisor Moehle

Second by Christine Corrado

COMMUNICATIONS:

OPEN FORUM

Peter Bouley was introduced and shared his work with a community based facebook page to provide information and raise awareness about events and happenings within the town.

NETWORKING:

□ Brighton Ambulance

- 549 June Calls for Service – 3300 YTD – Up about 4%
- Live with Mobile Stroke Unit (MSU) from the University of Rochester.
- ventilator unit is in service for transports – ongoing training in this specialized equipment.
- 4th July – No injuries of significance

□ Brighton Fire

- 1107 Calls YTD
- New Engine is In Service
- New staffing training Compete and started station assignment

□ Brighton DPW

- Milled and paving Rich's Dugway / Penfield Road / Highland Avenue
- Reviewed and verified parking markings and signage at Corbett's Glen

□ Brighton Police

- Two recruit officers in academy – proposed Labor Day graduation and field training to begin

□ City of Rochester Fire Department

- 52 June Calls

□ Town Council

- No Report

OLD BUSINESS:

RE MATTER: 4th July Recap / Update –

Slight Delay (10 Minutes) with opening the canal path due to securing hazards from Town of Brighton fireworks display. Widen the fallout area for future events to the west another 100 foot due to debris falling outside secured and fenced area.

Chief Henderson shared great work with planning and staffing by Captain DeSain to make this a family friendly and safe event with timely departure of patrons from the parking and pedestrian areas of the event.

Brief discussion about NYS Sparkler Law and awareness that these devices are not permitted on within any Town of Brighton park.

RE MATTER: Enforcement of park rules at Corbett's Glen – (Update) Werner / Henderson

Commissioner Guyon and Chief Henderson reviewed parking signage and appears to be complaint with the Town of Brighton Ordinances. Continued enforcement action and directed foot patrols as staffing allows.

NEW BUSINESS:

RE MATTER: Traffic Safety on Browncroft Blvd – Corrado

Discussion about speed and traffic along Browncroft Boulevard as you approach from Town of Penfield up the hill into the Town of Brighton. Brighton Police to monitor, collect future data on speed and volume and continued to provide enforcement as staffing allow. Will be contacting NYSDOT about maintenance of high grass within median to increase sight distances.

RE MATTER: Discussion of school speed limits / review schedule of streets (§ 185-6. School speed limits) – Corrado

This is a larger look and approach and will be working with Commissioner Guyon and Chief Henderson to review signage within appointed school zones and reach out to other transportation agencies (Monroe County DOT / NYSDOT) to suggest signage and speed postings along highways within their jurisdiction.

SET TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Chairperson Christine Corrado announced that the next Public Safety Committee meeting will Tuesday August 13, 2019 in the lower conference room, Brighton Town Hall.

ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourned at 0908 hours
Christopher Roth – Secretary