



PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

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Councilmember Christopher Werner - Chairperson
Councilmember Jason DiPonzo, Co-Chairperson

The Town of Brighton Public Safety Committee convened on Tuesday April 11, 2023, at 08:00 hrs. in the Auditorium, Brighton Town Hall, 2300 Elmwood Avenue, Rochester, New York 14618.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Receive and file minutes of the March 14, 2023, meeting.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Supervisor William Moehle
Councilmember Christopher Werner - Chairperson
Councilmember Jason DiPonzo, Co-Chairperson
David Catholdi, Chief, Brighton Police Department
Mike DeSain, Deputy Chief, Brighton Police Department
Mark Audino, Battalion Chief, Henrietta Fire District
William Clark, Captain, Brighton Fire Department
Evert Garcia, Commissioner of Public Works
Christopher Roth, Chief Fire Marshal, Town of Brighton

GUESTS

Councilmember Robin Wilt
Councilmember Christine Corrado

COMMUNICATIONS:

OPEN FORUM:

NETWORKING:

Brighton Ambulance

The following information outlines the activities for Brighton Volunteer Ambulance for March 2023.

- Brighton Volunteer Ambulance received a total of 716 requests for service throughout the month of March,
- with a total of 588 being within the Brighton Ambulance District, with 267 Brighton Residents receiving services.
- A total of 128 requests for Mutual Aid were received for surrounding ambulance districts. Of those 128 requests, Brighton Volunteer Ambulance responded to 37 calls for Mutual Aid.
- Code 32 reserve policy was applied 64 times. Of those 64 occasions, BVA staff were able to respond to 40 calls within the district that otherwise would have been assigned to mutual aid, showing an efficacy of 63%.
- Total Brighton Volunteer Ambulance requests for service up to April 1st is 2,050 (an increase of 2.8% from 2022 volume).
- Collaborative meetings between the regional agency leaders are ongoing.

Brighton Fire Department

- Approx 673 calls year to date
- Since the last meeting, only call of significance was a CPR save on Gleason Circle.
- 2 new career firefighters starting April 17. One is a lateral hire from Suffolk County.
- New Volunteer information session at Station 1 on April 17 at Station 1 at 7PM.

Brighton DPW

- April 10th started leaf and lawn debris pick up services.
- April 17th – Public Works Department will begin the 4/10 hour day work schedule.
- Continue with lawn damage repair(s) from winter plowing season
- Anticipate “chip seal” and pavement projects to begin in May. Schedule to be posted on the Town of Brighton website once finalized.

Brighton Police Department

- Calls for service to end of March 2023: 12,352
- April 3rd -10th {U-text, U-drive, U-pay}
 - 97 tickets issued
- April 4th - Received grant for an ATV
 - Increase our response capabilities for off-road incidents.
- April 10th unannounced inspection by Ag & Market on our kennel
- April 12th – preparations are well underway for Whole Foods Grand Opening additional police staff coordinating with security.
- April 24th New hire (Croll) starting
- May 10th - processing a candidate for May police academy.
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Henrietta Fire District

- 1711 calls in the district through 3/31
- 239 calls in West Brighton through 3/31
- New engine 675 for the West Brighton Station due to go in service this Saturday (3/15), new Rescue Engine for Station 4 delivered and will be in service around May 1.
- Community CPR classes started Monday April 10th.

Town Council

No Report

OLD BUSINESS:

RE MATTER: Update - Pedestrian and Turn Signals – Westfall, Winton, Monroe, Edgewood, Torrington, Allens Creek.

Commissioner Garcia will familiarize himself and research the past correspondence with these intersections and have an update at the May meeting.

RE MATTER: Town Road speed reduction. Report on search for expert for street analysis.

The contract is out for signatures and anticipate the beginning of the project to be started soon. There was some discussion that this should start before traffic counts differ once local school(s) begin summer recess.

NEW BUSINESS

THE TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING IS Tuesday May 9, 2023 @ 0800 Hours