



# PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

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*Councilmember Christopher Werner - Chairperson  
Councilmember Nate Salzman Co-Chairperson*

The Town of Brighton Public Safety Committee convened on Tuesday, March 12, 2024, 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 February 13, 2024, meeting.

## COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Supervisor William Moehle  
Councilmember Nate Salzman, Co-Chairperson  
David Catholdi, Chief, Brighton Police Department  
Jose Caraballo, Captain, Brighton Police Department  
Jeff Blair, Community Risk Reduction; Henrietta Fire District  
William Clark, Captain, Brighton Fire Department  
James Sprague, Commissioner of Public Works  
Christopher Roth, Chief Fire Marshal, Town of Brighton

## GUESTS

Councilmember Robin Wilt  
Councilmember Christine Corrado  
Merideth Drager  
Lenora Robin(sp)  
Seth Weinstein  
Martina Ashbury

## COMMUNICATIONS:

## OPEN FORUM:

Ms. Drager first addressed the committee about concerns and the Town of Brighton should be setting safety standards for protest(s) around the twelve corners intersections. Ms. Robin (sp) added that her son shared some similar personal safety concerns while at school and inquired about a plan for safety while observing protest signage within the twelve corners intersections. Mr. Weinstein echoed these concerns and emphasized that there should be some basic framework with protest and demonstrations moving forward.

Supervisor Moehle responded that these concerns raised and will be reviewing these with the Town Attorney, Police Chief and will report back on their findings or recommendations, if any.

Ms. Ashbury addressed the committee about the lack of street lighting along Clinton Avenue South @ Highland Avenue intersection. Clinton Avenue South is a County of Monroe DOT Road and Commissioner Sprauge will begin a discussion with them about potential lighting improvements.

## **NETWORKING:**

### **Brighton Ambulance**

*No Report*

### **Brighton Fire Department**

- 430 Claas YTD
- 4/21 Female Firefighter Field Day

### **Brighton DPW**

- Reviewing the summer construction schedule
- Spring Clean Up – Started due to mild weather.

### **Brighton Police Department**

- 8,633 calls for service

### **Henrietta Fire District**

- YTD Calls (as of 2/29/24): 1185, up ~5% over this time last year
- YTD Calls in WB (as of 2/29/24): 155, up ~5% over this time last year
- No calls of significance in West Brighton
- Working on hiring 2 firefighters for the spring academy to backfill retirements.
- Working on Eclipse plans

## **Town Council**

*No Report*

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

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**RE MATTER: Update** - Crosswalk - Highland Avenue: @ Grosvenor Rd, Pelham Rd, and Council Rock Ave.

- *No Update to Report*

**RE MATTER: Update** - Traffic signal at North Landing and Blossom Roads.

- *No Update to Report*

**RE MATTER: Crosswalk Penfield Road – Werner**

- *No Update to Report*

## **NEW BUSINESS**

**SET TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Tuesday April 9, 2024 @ 0800 Hours**