



# 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, December 10, 2024, at 08:00 hrs. in the **1st Floor Main Meeting Room – Temporary Town Hall Facility (Empire State College Building) located at 680 Westfall Rd, Rochester, NY 14620**

## MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

## APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Receive and file minutes of the November 12, 2024, meeting.

## COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

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

## GUESTS

Councilmember Christine Corrado  
Councilmember Robin Wilt

## COMMUNICATIONS:

## OPEN FORUM:

## NETWORKING:

Brighton Ambulance

- Month total calls: 724 YTD: 7627  
Decrease of about 1.5%
- 271 Brighton residents transported
- 206 nonresidents transported
- 22 Patient Assist
- 59 Refusal for assistance calls
- 184 Basic Life Support Transports
- 155 Advanced Life Support Transport

#### **Brighton Fire Department**

- Total Calls 2313  
No calls of significance
- 4 Recruits recently graduated from FF1
- 7 Recruits will attend the next class beginning the end of January
- There are several Community Events BFD is participating in during the month of December

#### **Brighton DPW**

No Report

#### **Brighton Police Department**

- Calls for service to end of October 2024: 44,245
- 12/7 – STOP DWI Light on 4 Life Motorcade “National Impaired Driving Prevention Month
- 12/11 & 12/18 Light the Night at Strong Hospital – Lighting event for kids in the hospital
- New Officer out of the Police Academy – 12 to 16 weeks of field training.

#### **Henrietta Fire District**

- YTD Calls through November: 6,714  
YTD Calls in West Brighton: 829  
77 calls in WB in November

- In the process of hiring 8 career firefighters, which will cover retirements and add staffing in line with our long-term staffing plan.
- Henrietta will be hosting the countywide career fire academy which will run from March through May.
- All the terms of the current grant for the West Henrietta Road station have been completed, with the most visible one being completion of the sign on the front of the building. We will be pursuing some additional grant funding to replace the standby generator.
- Though none occurred in the West Brighton area, we have had at least 5 significant fires and several major crashes since the last meeting.

**Town Council**

*No Report*

**OLD BUSINESS**

**NEW BUSINESS**

**RE MATTER:** – Country Club of Rochester – Fireworks 12/31/2024 08:30 PM

**SET TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING:** Tuesday January 14, 2025 @ 0800 Hours