

Village of Hobart-Town of Lawrence Police Commission
Meeting Minutes – Thursday, April 25, 2024 @ 6:00 PM
Village of Hobart Office
2990 S. Pine Tree Rd.
Hobart, WI 54155

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by John Shimek @ 6:05 PM.

Roll Call

Commissioners Ron Jaeger, Don Hedrick, John Shimek and Larry Potter were present. Gary Pieschek was absent (excused). Chief Renkas was in attendance.

Approval of the Agenda and Certification of the Open Meeting Law Agenda Requirements

A motion to confirm certification of the open meeting law agenda requirements and approval of the agenda was made by Don Hedrick and seconded by Ron Jaeger after action item #6 was deleted. All in favor; motion carried.

Approval of Meeting Minutes

A motion was made to approve the minutes of the October 4th, 2023 meeting. Motion made by Larry Potter; seconded by Donn Hedrick. All in favor, motion carried.

Discussion and Action: Police Commission Officer Elections

After discussion, John Shimek was selected to be president. Gary Pieschek will serve as vice President and Larry Potter as secretary. All in favor; motion carried.

Discussion: Police Department Update

Chief Renkas provided the commisiion on a new IT provider that is in place. All commissioners will be provided email information and communicate through this system. The HLPD has a wellness committee to support our officers. Each officer will have a mandatory session per year. Our therapy dog Arlo is fully trained and certified. There was discussion on accrediatation and training requirements for our officers and department.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7: PM was made by Don Hedrick, seconded by Ron Jaeger. All in favor; motion carried.

Meeting Minutes submitted by:

John Shimek

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