

Norwalk Board of Police Commissioners
Mayor Harry W. Rilling
Commissioner Charlie L. Yost
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CITY OF NORWALK
BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS
MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 20, 2017

ATTENDANCE: Mayor Harry Rilling; Commissioner Charles Yost

STAFF: Police Chief Thomas Kulhawik; Deputy Chief Susan Zecca; Deputy Chief Ashley Gonzalez

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Rilling called the meeting to order at 4:41 p. m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OCTOBER 16, 2017

- ** COMMISSIONER YOST MOVED TO APPROVE THE OCTOBER 16, 2017 MINUTES AS SUBMITTED.**
**** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

PUBLIC COMMENT

No member of the public came forward.

PERSONNEL MATTERS

National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA) Award Presentation to Sgt. Peter Lapak

- ** COMMISSIONER YOST MOVED TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND TAKE THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE BOATING LAW ADMINISTRATORS (NASBLA) AWARD PRESENTATION TO SGT. PETER LAPAK OUT OF ORDER.**
**** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

Officer Brendan Fearon, PBA President of the Westport Police Department, came forward to present the award to Sergeant Lapak. Officer Fearon stated that the NASBLA Award is given in appreciation to an individual who has either given a lot of time and effort to the association to

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help achieve its objectives or who is acknowledged nationally, statewide or in their community for notable contributions to the betterment of boating. The award may be given to any representative of government, industry or the member or the public active in their field or retired and living at the time of selection.

OPERATIONS REPORT

Patrol Staffing

Deputy Chief Zecca stated that we are fully staffed at 179. We have two in the academy and three in field training. Chief Kulhawik stated that we have spent \$1 million in overtime cost that would have cost \$3 million if we had hired more officers.

Selective Enforcement Report

Deputy Chief Zecca stated that the number of infractions is up this year over last year. We have started a Click It or Ticket campaign and will be having additional DUI checkpoints over the Thanksgiving Holiday.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

October Training Report

Deputy Chief Gonzalez reviewed the Training Courses Held Report and the Training Courses by Date Report.

PERSONNEL MATTERS

Tuition Reimbursement – Deputy Chief Ashley Gonzalez

- ** COMMISSIONER YOST MOVED TO APPROVE TUITION REIMBURSEMENT TO DEPUTY CHIEF ASHLEY GONZALEZ IN THE AMOUNT OF \$301.00.
- ** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

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Course Approval – Sgt. David Orr

- ** COMMISSIONER YOST MOVED TO APPROVE THE APPLICATION FOR COURSE APPROVAL BY SGT. DAVID ORR IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE MANAGEMENT COURSE OF STUDY.**
- ** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

ADJOURNMENT

- ** COMMISSIONER YOST MOVED TO ADJOURN.**
- ** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

Next Meeting: December 18, 2017

The meeting was adjourned at 4:57 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Blaney
Telesco Secretarial Services