## **Public Safety Commission Meeting**

## July 27, 2017, at 6:30 p.m.

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m.

**Members Present:** Chairman Ed Meier, Juanita Best, Jim Christian, Barbara West, Jeff Lofton, John Koester, Alderman Shirley Paro, Cpl. Laumeier, and Officer Rayford

## Old Business:

None

## New Business:

Representatives from neither the Police Dept. or Fire Dept. were present, so we proceeded to new business. Alderman Paro presented us with an example of a safety sign warning drivers to slow down for children; the signs have already been purchased. After some discussion, a motion was passed recommending the signs be placed at the entrances to the various subdivisions. Any extra signs will be available to residents on a first come, first save basis.

Two of the Officers walked in; they had been responding to a call. Cpl. Laumeier introduced Officer Rayford as one of the five (5) newly hired Officers by the City. A sixth Officer is currently a Cadet at the Police Academy. Officer Rayford stated one of his reasons for joining our Department was the family friendly atmosphere in the City. Both Officers expressed hope that Crown Victorias would be back in production when the City needs to replace its Police cars.

The meeting ended at 7:05 p.m.

The next meeting will be on August 24, 2017

John Koester, Acting Secretary