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MEETING OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE January 30, 2017

JERRY DINGES CALLED THE MEETING OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE TO ORDER AT 6:30 P.M.

ALL IN ATTENDENCE STOOD AND PLEDGE THE ALLEGIANCE TO THE UNITED STATES FLAG.

**MEMBERS PRESENT: JERRY DINGES JOAN MCINTOSH STEVE GOMRIC
ROY MOSLEY, JR. KEVIN DAWSON**

MEMBERS EXCUSED: DIXIE SEIBERT

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE:

**JOHN WEST
HERBERT SIMMONS
MARK KERN
TERRY BEACH
JOHN HUGHES
BRYAN BINGEL
STEPHEN REEB
RANDY PIERCE**

**FRANK BERGMAN
JUNE CHARTRAND
ROBERT ALLEN JR
ZIA NIZAMI
TOM KNAPP
BILL SCHWARTZ
CRAIG MILLER
CAROL CLARK**

**FRED BOCH
ANNIE MARKEZICH
EDWARD MILLER
FRANK HEILIGENSTEIN**

IT WAS MOVED BY ROY MOSLEY, JR. AND SECONDED BY JOAN MCINTOSH TO APPROVE THE MINUTES. MOTION CARRIED.

FRANK BERGMAN READ ALL THE CORRESPONDENCE FOR THE MONTH. IT WAS MOVED BY ROY MOSLEY, JR. AND SECONDED BY KEVIN DAWSON TO ACCEPT AND PLACE ON FILE ALL CORRESPONDENCE AND REPORTS. MOTION CARRIED.

HERBERT SIMMONS REPORTED THAT THE EMA REPORT OF ACTIVITIES IS PRESENTED AND IT ALSO PROVIDES YOU WITH A CLOSEOUT OF LAST YEAR'S TOTALS ON THE 911 CALLS.

ROY MOSLEY, JR. ASKED HERBERT SIMMONS IF HE COULD EXPOUND ON THE SIGNAL HILL FIRE.

HERBERT SIMMONS STATED THE SIGNAL HILL FIRE GAVE US A LETTER LAST WEEK THAT THEY WERE GOING TO CHANGE THEIR DISPATCHING SERVICE TO BELLEVILLE ON MAY 1ST. WE MADE IT CLEAR THAT THEY NEED TO NOTIFY THE RESIDENTS IN THE SIGNAL HILL AREA OF THE CHANGE BECAUSE IT IS IN AN UNINCORPORATED AREA WHICH 911 FOLLOWS THE LAW ENFORCEMENT SIDE OF 911. ANYONE THAT LIVES IN THE SIGNAL HILL AREA THAT DIALS 911 TO REPORT A FIRE WILL STILL COME THROUGH OUR COUNTY DISPATCH CENTER. THAT INFO IS TRANSFERRED TO BELLEVILLE AND THEY PAGE THEM OUT. WE ALSO

CONSULTED WITH STATE ADVISORY COMMITTEE, THEY SOMEWHAT AGREED WITH US THAT IS MIGHT BE ANOTHER DELAY IN CALL HANDLING. BUT RIGHT NOW THEY HAVE DELIVERED A NOTICE TO US THAT THEY WANT TO CHANGE THEIR DISPATCHING SERVICE ON MAY 1ST TO BELLEVILLE.

MARK KERN ASKED WHAT THE REVENUE FROM SIGNAL HILL WAS.

HERBERT SIMMONS STATED THE REVENUE LAST YEAR WAS \$860.00 FOR THE YEAR. HE ALSO STATED THE COUNTY HAS SPENT SEVERAL THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS JUST SINCE I'VE BEEN HERE TRYING TO APPEASE THEM. THEY COMPLAINED IF THEY PUT 10 PAGERS ON THE TABLE ONLY 9 OF THEM GOES OFF. WE FLEW IN AN EXPERT ON THE PAGING SYSTEM FROM PHILADELPHIA WHO SPENT AN ENTIRE WEEK HERE TESTING THE AREA. WE ALSO HAD THE MOTOROLA PEOPLE THERE AND THEY NEVER MISSED A FIRE CALL OR ANY TYPE OF PAGING CALL.

ROY MOSLEY, JR. ASKED SO WE WILL COMPLY WITH THEIR REQUEST.

HERBERT SIMMONS STATED THE CONTRACT CALL FOR A 90 DAY NOTICE WHICH THEY GAVE US AND I TOLD THEM IF THEY WANTED TO GO SOONER HE WOULD ALLOW IT.

ROY MOSLEY, JR. THANKED HERBERT SIMMONS FOR THE 911 CALL CENTER REPORT. IT WAS MOVED BY ROY MOSLEY, JR. AND SECONDED BY JOAN MCINTOSH TO ACCEPT AND PLACE THE EMA REPORT ON FILE. MOTION CARRIED.

ROY MOSLEY, JR. ASKED ABOUT THE GENERATOR FOR EAST ST. LOUIS.

HERBERT SIMMONS STATED WE ASSISTED THEM WITH THAT LAST MONTH AND THE GENERATOR IS UP AND RUNNING. HOPEFULLY ANY OTHER FUTURE POWER OUTAGES THE BACKUP GENERATOR WILL TAKE CARE OF IT.

TOM KNAPP STATED THE JAIL POPULATION THIS AFTERNOON AT 2:30 WAS 387 UNDER THE RATE OF CAPACITY WHICH IS 418.

FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, WE ADMITTED 541 DETAINEES AND OF THOSE 142 FEMALES 399 MALES 200 MISDEMEANORS 191 FELONS AND A HODGEPODGE OF OTHER THINGS. IN DECEMBER ON THE PATROL SIDE OF THINGS 207 TRAFFIC STOPS ISSUED 133 CITATIONS 8 FELONY ARREST 24 MISDEMEANORS 22 WARRANT ARREST.

COURTHOUSE CHECKS 254 PARK PATROLS 576 OVERALL POINT OF CONTACT WITH THE GENERAL PUBLIC WAS 6836. IT WAS MOVED BY KEVIN DAWSON AND SECONDED BY ROY MOSLEY, JR. TO ACCEPT HIS REPORT AND PLACE IT ON FILE. MOTION CARRIED.

FRANK BERGMAN REPORTED THE APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS ON THE ACCIDENT REPORT IS ON FILE. AND THAT THIS TIME OF THE YEAR WE ALWAYS HIT A DEER OR TWO TRAVELING ON THE RURAL ROADS. IT WAS MOVED BY ROY MOSLEY, JR. AND SECONDED BY JOAN MCINTOSH TO ACCEPT ALL REPORTS. MOTION CARRIED.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, IT WAS MOVED BY ROY MOSLEY, JR. AND SECONDED BY JOAN MCINTOSH TO ADJOURN. MOTION CARRIED.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

FRANK C. BERGMAN