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MEETING OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE October 30, 2023

The meeting was Called to order by the Public Safety Committee Chairman Jerry Dinges at 6:30 p.m., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Members Present: Chairman Jerry Dinges, Steve Gomric, Mike O'Donnell, CJ Baricevic, Susan Gruberman, and G.W Scott, and Roy Mosley Jr

Members Excused:

Others Present: Chairman Mark Kern, John Coers, Phil Henning, , Randy Pierce, James Gomric, Bobby Allen, Scott Greenwald, Bob Trentman, Robert Wilhelm, Andy Bittle, Harry Hollingsworth, Thomas Knapp

There were no comments from the public regarding the Public Safety Meeting's Agenda.

Chairman Jerry Dinges asked for approval of the September 25, 2023, Public Safety Committee Meeting's Minutes.

It was moved by Steve Gomric and seconded by CJ Baricevic

There being no questions. Motion Carried, was approved to place on file.

New Business:

None

ST. CLAIR COUNTY JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER

Per the St. Clair County Juvenile Detention Report, Ann Barnum presented the Superintendent Lawrence Brazil's Population Report, that it did not exceed the D.O.C rate capacity of 38 for the reporting period of September 14, 2023, through October 11, 2023. The population report for Boys 466, Girls 50, grand total of 516. If you have any questions about this matter, please contact Lawrence Brazil Superintendent.

It was moved by Mike O'Donnell seconded by Seve Gomric.

There being no question. Motion Carried, was approved to place on file.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (EMA)

Per the St. Clair County EMA Report, Herb Simmons presented the following.

- 1. All monthly radio tests were conducted, and no problems were noted.
- 2. Monthly tests of the outdoor warning sirens were completed. Millstadt and Mascoutah reported activation issues with their sirens. Millstadt tested and confirmed operation internally. Mascoutah has sought a vendor to investigate their system.
- 3. Attend the monthly Hospital/EMS COVID 19 Conference Calls
- 4. Attend the bi-weekly Conference call with IEMA Director regarding COVID-19
- 5. Attended the Monthly Starcom 21 Committee Meeting
- 6. Attended the STARRS Board Meeting.
- 7. Attended the Statewide Interoperable Executive Committee Meeting.
- 8. Attended the Statewide 9-1-1 Next Generation 9-1-1 planning meeting.
- 9. Attended meeting of the Statewide 9-1-1 Advisory Board.
- 10. Attended the monthly meeting of the St. Clair Special Emergency Services.
- 11. Motorola and the Siren Vendor have installed necessary components at the St. Clair County Jail radio tower to allow simultaneous activation of the new and old siren system until such a time all old sirens are replaced. They are spending this week resyncing the antennas of the newly installed sirens and a full test of all sirens will be conducted prior to continuing with installations.
- 12. EMA staff met with IEMA and FEMA this week to finalize the rankings of the properties and FEMA is currently reviewing those rankings against the new preliminary flood plain maps. Once their review is complete the authorization to hire and appraisal firm will be issued.
- 13. IEMA and FEMA informed St. Clair County that a Notice of Funding Opportunity will be made available on 10/20/23 with approximately \$5,000,000 is mitigation funding will be available for St. Clair County communities. The application deadline to the state will be mid-December with project award from FEMA no later than April 10, 2024.
- 14. Attend bi-weekly meetings with the Long Term Recovery Division of our County COAD (Community Organization Active in Disaster).
- 15. Mobile command post was deployed to assist Belleville with the Oktoberfest event in downtown.

It was moved by CJ Baricevic and seconded by Sue Gruberman

There being no questions. Motioned carried, was approved to place on file.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT

Colonel Thomas Knapp reported the following for the month of September 1, 2023, ending Septembre 30, 2023, which included the following data: Average Daily Population was 442, inmates admitted 492 of those 114 were females, 378 males, 162 misdemeanors, 208 felons, 4 Federal, 81 fugitives, Sentence Weekend Bookings 19, Sentence County Bookings 2, D.O.C 10 and Other 6. There were 117 traffic citations, 100 traffic warnings, 57 felony/misdemeanors, warrant arrests, 358 park patrol, 1141 business checks and 86 courthouse checks, for a total of 909 points of contact with the general public.

It was moved by G.W. Scott. and seconded by Roy Mosley Jr.

There being no questions. Motioned carried, was approved to place on file.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY CLAIMS

Per the St. Clair County Claims Report Ann Barnum reported for October. There were Five (5) personal Injury claims, (multiple) Auto property liability, (3) property claims and (0) general Liability for the month of October 2023. The following information was reported. - Vehicle Property Claims multiple vehicle repairs- Catalatic Converters stolen, and vehicle damage from falling debris from a truck

It was moved by Roy Mosley and seconded by G.W.Scott.

There being no questions. Motion carried, was approved to place on file.

Chairman Jerry Dinges asked if there were any comments.

It was moved by Roy Mosley. and seconded by Mike O'Donnell to adjourn.

There being no questions. Motion carried, was approved to place on file.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ann Barnum

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Enclosures