POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSION, FIRE STATION #1, 2250 W. GRAND CHUTE BLVD., GRAND CHUTE, WI
MINUTES – REGULAR & CLOSED SESSION MEETING – APRIL 13, 2022

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dave Tiedt, Michael Rindt, Tom Dreier, Stephen Zich, and Dave Berlick

EXCUSED: NONE

Also present: Police Chief Peterson and Fire Chief Bantes

CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL
President Tiedt called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA/ORDER OF THE DAY

Motion made and seconded (Berlick/Rindt) to approve the agenda as printed. Motion Carried.

PUBLIC INPUT – There was no public input

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES
Motion made and seconded (Zich/Berlick) to approve the Regular Meeting minutes of January 20, 2022 and special meeting minutes of February 16, 2022, February 22, 2022, and March 16, 2022.
Motion Carried.

REPORTS
Police Department
The Commission reviewed the monthly Police Reports for December 2021, January and February 2022.

Chief Peterson presented the Police Beat report September-December 2021 and reported on the following:

- Contact numbers went down during covid and are steadily going back up on a regular basis.
- Officers are out again getting involved with the community in the various programs and activities that they were involved in the past.
- Officer Randy Reifsteck has retired.
- Officer Mike Renkas took a job at the Hobart Department as a Captain.
- Officer Travis Waas took a job with Washington County.
- Bryce Moeller removed from eligibility list because of a background check.
- Jason Frederickson will be getting a conditional offer.
- Talitha Anne Jones is still in the process.
- Cody Nelson will be given a conditional offer in the future.

If the contract is ratified, Grand Chute Police Department will be ahead of all other departments in the valley with pay except for City of Appleton.

Fire Department
The Commission reviewed monthly reports from September, October, and November 2021 Reports.

Fire Chief Bantes reported on the following:

- Cardiac arrest calls have increased.
- Paramedic pumpers have made an immediate impact on patient care.
- Lost two firefighters, one went to Oshkosh and one went to Neenah/Menasha.
- Erick Butt has been given a conditional offer and Brittany Roeder is still in the process.

NEW BUSINESS
Review Wisconsin State Statue concerning appointments of Police and Fire Commissioners

ADJOURNMENT
The Commission set the next PFC Regular Meeting date for July 20, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.

Motion made and seconded (Zich/Berlick) to adjourn Regular Meeting. Motion Carried.

Meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Dreier, Secretary
Grand Chute Police and Fire Commission