

TOWN OF UXBRIDGE

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

UXBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 01569

Chairman: Marc Montminy, Chief of Police Benn S. Sherman, Director DPW Frank Tiano, School Superintendent Tom Dion, Fire Chief Steve Sette, Town Mgr.

MEETING MINUTES

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MEETING DATE:

August 18, 2020

MEETING LOCATION:

Conference call meeting

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Marc Montminy

Chief of Police

Steve Sette

Uxbridge Town Manager

Benn Sherman

Uxbridge DPW Director

Tom Dion

Uxbridge Fire Chief

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Jeanne Daley

Uxbridge Police Department

I. CALL TO ORDER

It being 9:02 am, the meeting being properly posted, duly called and a quorum being present, the meeting was called to order by Chairman, Marc Montminy.

II. OLD BUSINESS

A. Approval of Minutes:

a.) July 28, 2020

*** Motion by Steve Sette to approve the meeting minutes of July 28, 2020 seconded by Benn Sherman. Roll call taken; all approved motion carried 4-0-0.

B. Key access to Town Property - Update.

Chief Montminy reached out to the vendor, they were bought out by another company during COVID and the Town needs to start the credit process over again.

Chief contacted the Water Department for a contact for their locksmith. Chief contacted the Flying Locksmith, and they said the Town has 2 options. 1. Write a letter to the manufacturer authorizing the Flying Locksmiths to access the key blank. 2. Rekeying the padlocks already there and making new keys for everyone.

C. Potential Radio frequency access – update.

The Police Department has received the printed official license from the FCC. The Chief told the committee that he has the appropriate pole to put up at Station 3 for the antenna. The Utility Company with help from DPW will move it the new location. They need to call dig safe to get that moving.



D. Cross St. - Update

Chief Dion discussed with the committee Oak St., no parking on Oak. 1st sign should be "No parking to corner" it is tight coming onto Oak from Mendon St. He also considered opening the gate at Morrison St., he knows the fire apparatus can take a left there but could they take a right. Chief asked if there was only 1 no parking sign? Beyond Oak St. it is all no parking after that. Steve Sette asked if they should do a test opening the Morrison St. gate and see what happens. Leave this on agenda as old business for feedback at next meeting.

**Motion made by Chief Montminy seconded by Steve Sette to temporarily open the gate at Morrison St. to see if traffic flow is impacted or not. All approved motion carried 4-0-0.

III. <u>NEW BUSINESS</u>

A. Fudge Lady, 11 S. Main St. - outdoor seating, park bench.

Chief Montminy went down to measure the sidewalk in front to make sure there were no ADA issues, however, there was already a bench there. Unless someone files a complaint, the Committee will not address this at this time.

B. Cotton Mill - Tea Party stop sign.

** Motion by Chief Montminy seconded by Tom Dion that the Public Safety Committee recommend to the Board of Selectmen they authorize a stop sign be placed on Tea Party Drive and Cotton Mill Way where they intersect with Crownshield Ave. Roll call taken; the vote was 3-0-1 with Benn Sherman not voting because he had to step away from the meeting.

C. Mary Cates - Solar Speed sign on Linwood St.

Mary Cate is meeting with Chief Montminy today to discuss a solar speed limit sign on Linwood St. This will be on the next meeting agenda. Chief will suggest to Mary Cates that she put her thoughts in writing and submit them to the Public Safety Committee to be placed on the agenda for next month's meeting.

IV. Adjournment

Meeting to adjourn 9:35 a.m.

Motion – Chief Montminy Seconded – Tom Dion Roll call taken all approved. Motion carried 4-0-0



Minutes respectfully submitted by **Jeanne Daley**. Minutes approved by Public Safety Committee

| Date Approved: 9-15-30 | |
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| Marc Montminy, Chair | Benn Sherman |
| Tom Dion | Frank Tiano |
| Signed for all after | Steve Sette |
| vote. | |