

REGULAR meeting of the Board of Public Safety was held on Thursday, January 12, 2012, 4:00 p.m. at the City Building, 82 Main Street, Hornell, NY.

PRESENT: Mayor Shawn D. Hogan; Commissioners George Huffsmith and Dave Sengstock; Police Chief Ted Murray; Fire Chief Dan Smith and City Clerk Barbara M. Perrott

AND FROM THE MEDIA: Andrew Poole, Evening Tribune and Bill Dugan, WLEA.

ALSO PRESENT: Captain Mike Sexsmith, HPD

ABSENT: Jeff Johnson

By Sengstock/Huffsmith

RESOVLED, that the minutes of the last meeting held 12/8/11 be approved as read.

Carried - Ayes all (X)

By Huffsmith/Sengstock

RESOVLED, that the Reports of Fire, Ambulance, Codes and Police be approved and ordered filed.

Carried - Ayes all (X)

By Sengstock/Huffsmith

RESOLVED, that claims in the amount of \$ 363,831.77 be approved and paid as audited.

Carried - Ayes all (X)

MISCELLANEOUS:

Mayor Hogan asked Chief Murray to look into the possibility of changing Adsit Place from a one-way street to two-way traffic.

Commissioner Sengstock asked how the stop signs at Church and Genesee Streets are working out. Murray reported that the change has worked well with no reported incidents.

Following this meeting, interviews to fill two patrolmen vacancies will be held. There are four candidates. Mayor Hogan stated that until there is resolution to the funding of the School Resource Officer, he will only fill one of the positions.

Chief Smith reported that the department has had more ambulance calls than any previous year. They have averaged 290 calls per month.

Chief Murray stated that the number of arrests by his department is up this year.

By Huffsmith/Hogan

RESOLVED, that this meeting adjourn at 4:12 pm to enter into executive session

Carried - Ayes all (X)

The Board of Public Safety re-entered into regular session after conducting interviews for a new police officer. It was agreed to hire, Darryl Purucker. Purucker is fully trained and has completed the Police Academy. The Board agreed that this is a savings to the City and Purucker will be able to begin work effective January 31, 2012.

By Sengstock/Huffsmith

RESOLVED, that Darryl A. Purucker be hired as a Patrolman beginning

Carried – Ayes all (X)

Shawn D. Hogan
Mayor

Barbara M. Perrott
City Clerk