

Trafalgar Board of Metropolitan Police Commissioners
Regular Meeting
June 8, 2016

Board President Jim Stump called the meeting to order at 7:09 p.m. and roll call was taken at 7:09 p.m. Board members present were Board President Jim Stump, Commissioner Mark Chester, Commissioner James Bowman, and Commissioner Curtis Price. Board attorney Daniel Paul and Chief Charles Roberts (non-voting) were also present.

After roll call, Board President Stump recognized Chief Roberts and invited him to the lectern to deliver his report to the Board.

Chief Roberts' report included the following topics:

- **New Dodge Durango Vehicle for Officer Britt**

Chief Roberts reported that the new vehicle (Dodge Durango) for Officer Britt was ordered and should be received by the Department shortly.

- **Chief Roberts' Old Vehicle Transferred**

Chief Roberts advised that his old vehicle (a 2008 Dodge Durango) would be transferred to the Street Department. The vehicle is in need of transmission work and the Street Department will complete such repairs and take possession of the vehicle.

- **Winner of Ride to School with a Police Officer**

Chief Roberts reported that Isaac Smith, a 7 year old first grader, won the "Ride to School with a Police Officer" contest and they took the young man to McDonalds before taking him to school. Chief Roberts reported that the young man, whose mother is a 2nd grade teacher, was extremely excited and had a great time

- **End of School matters**

Chief Roberts reported that there were very few issues with the end of school. The Chief reported that the Department would be meeting with the school within the next thirty (30) days to discuss school security matters for the next school year.

- **Narcan Use**

Chief Roberts reported that his Narcan kit was used on an individual who suffered from a heroin overdose on Horseshoe Road. The Fire Department was on scene and administered it. Prior to administration, the individual was virtually non-responsive and in a dire health situation. After it was administered, the individual's condition greatly improved in a short period and he was taken to the hospital. Chief Roberts' Narcan was replaced by the hospital.

- **Traffic Issues**

President Stump questioned the Chief about recent traffic issues, namely, what he believed was an excessive amount of speeders around the old school zone. The Chief reported that the Department would try to increase speed patrols around the area.


- **Miscellaneous Items**

There were no other items on the Chief's Report, but the Board inquired about security issues with the old elementary school now that it is out of use. The Chief reported that as long as the electricity stayed on, they would have access to the building through their key-fobs and that they would routinely patrol the school and grounds to make sure vandalism does not become a problem. Further, the Chief reported that the Department's goal during the night shift is to get through the Town (approximately 12 miles of roads) at least once an hour.

The Chief reported that, overall, things are going quite smoothly with the Department.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was unanimously adjourned on motion of Commissioner Chester, seconded by Commissioner Bowman. The meeting was adjourned at 7:33 p.m.

These Minutes of the meeting which occurred on June 8, 2016 were signed and adopted this 3rd day of August, 2016 in the Town of Trafalgar, County of Johnson, and State of Indiana.

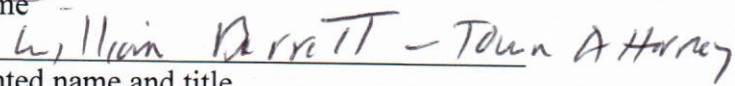


Jim Stump, President

Attest:



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