CITY OF MONTELLO

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Wednesday, March 20, 2019

6:00 PM

**1. Call to Order:** 6:00 PM

**Roll Call:** Barb Jordan, Chair, Jim Houdek, Venise Mugler, Sue Kozlowski, Bill Faulkner, Kelly Kenitz

Excused: Dennis Schrimpf

Others Present: Gary Doudna, Glen Bubolz, Les Crandall, Joe Harris, John Campbell, Scott Zuehls

**2. Fire Department:**

Old Business: None

New Business: Old Fire Truck was sold

**3. Police Department:**

Old Business: Contract with Marquette County was approved at the County Board meeting on Tuesday, March 19, 2019. City of Montello Mayor Gary Doudna along with County Administrator Gary Sorenson signed the contract on Wednesday, March 20, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. Contract goes into effect on April 1, 2019.

**New Business**:

1. Marquette County ATV Club requested routes to be rerouted due to construction on Hwy 23 and flooding at Rendezvous. As of right now ATV route through Rendezvous is closed. New route would be Hwy 22 (Main Street) north to Hwy 23 (Montello Street), east on Hwy 23 to County C, west on Hwy 23 to West Street, north on Hwy 22 (Church Street) to Park Street. There is no ATV traffic allowed on roads closed for construction. Captain Crandall suggested that we ask DOT for clarification on using Hwy 22 as there will be construction until July 1, 2019. Motion by Jordan for conditional approval based on DOT approval for new routes, second by Houdek. Motion carried.
2. American Legion, Memorial parade and service – Joe Harris. Harris explained that the will need Park Street blocked for parade and following parade will be speech and firing of guns. Motion by Kenitz, second by Kozlowski. Motion carried.
3. Road Construction Update. The city is expecting Hwy 23 construction emails soon for start date. Hwy 22 project extended from past year and must be done by July 1, 2019.
4. Surplus items. Captain Crandall will be putting items that have not been claimed and old office equipment on Wisconsin Surplus Auction.
5. Budget. Still waiting for grant dollars, otherwise budget is good.
6. Monthly Reports: Captain Les Crandall gave update on calls for Montello Police Department. Jordan would like a status of the old Montello High School for next Public Safety Meeting on April 17, 2019. Bobbi Richter reported that some Municipal Court money has come in through tax intercept program. Motion by Mugler, second by Faulkner. Motion carried.

G. Citizen Comments: No comments

**5. Adjournment:**

Motion by Faulkner, second by Mugler to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned 6:37 PM.

Next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, April 17, 2019 at 6:00 PM.

Minutes submitted by Bobbi Richter.