CITY OF MONTELLO

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Wednesday, September 16th, 2020

6:00 PM

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

**Roll Call:** Venise Mugler, Bill Faulkner, Kelly Kenitz, Sue Kozlowski, Jocelyn Calnin

**Absent: Kelly Kenitz**

Others Present: Glen Bubolz Montello Fire Chief, Mayor Houdek, Captain Les Crandall

**2. Fire Department:**

 Old Business: None

 New Business: Updated by Glen Bubolz, Montello Fire Chief

**3. Police Department:**

Old Business:

1. Wave Installed: Wave security system has now been installed at City Hall.  This system will expedite the amount of time for a response to the City.
2. Old High School: Chair Jordan stated that she would like to keep the old high school on the agenda until the retaining wall is resolved. Public Works is getting estimates on the repair.

 **New Business**:

1. Contract Discussions: Captain Crandall informed committee next year is the 3rd year of the contract. Negotiations to start around January and February. Kozlowski would like to see Sheriff’s Department do another presentation to show the cost savings of the city.
2. Budget Discussion and Possible Action: Chair Jordan reviewed a number of budget items   There will be some items deleted but overall, no major changes to budget.
3. CD Money: Chair Jordan would like to put the annual $5,000 in CD to use in future for new squad. Sale of current squad will also go into CD.
4. Security Camera: Captain Crandall brought up adding 2 cameras to City Hall. One on the outside in front of building and one in the back by Fire Department entrance. Chair Jordan would like to see how much will be in budget so will be added to October’s agenda.
5. Monthly Reports were given by Captain Crandall. Captain Crandall stated that we participated in the Drive Sober Get Pulled Over. We are now entered for a $4,000 grant. Motion by Mugler to approve monthly reports, second by Kozlowski. Motion Carried.
6. Municipal Court: Chair Jordan informed committee that they have now moved to Westfield. There will be municipal court meeting on September 24th.
7. Citizen Comments: None
8. Other business: Chair Jordan gave a couple ideas that have been brought up for Halloween. One the school is talking about doing a trunk or treat and Montello Chamber is looking at doing a costume parade. Chair Jordan will be bringing the suggestions up to the Health Department to get their view on the subject.

**5. Adjournment:**

 Motion by Mugler, second by Kozlowski to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned 6:25 PM.

Next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, October 21st, 2020 at 6:00 PM.

Minutes submitted by Bobbi Richter.