CITY OF MONTELLO

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Wednesday, March 17th, 2021

6:00 PM

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

**Roll Call:** Bill Faulkner, Sue Kozlowski, Jocelyn Calnin, Barb Jordan, Venise Mugler

**Absent:** Kelly Kenitz

Others Present: Mayor Houdek, Captain Les Crandall, Glen Bubolz Montello Fire Chief, Dennis Whitemarsh, Ron Knutson, Dennis Schrimpf, Sheriff Konrath, Gary Sorenson, Mike Kohnke

**2. Fire Department:**

 Old Business: None

 New Business: Updated by Montello Fire Chief Glen Bubolz

**3. Police Department:**

Old Business:

1. Ordinance Update: Updated by Public Works Director Mike Kohnke. Cass Street wall will be going out for bid starting March 22, 2021. Building Inspector has let the owner of the Main Street Building that it has to be up to fire code and has been working with the owner. City Attorney along with Building Inspector are deciding on the Montello Street Building. Dennis Whitemarsh did comment that he is working with the Building Inspector and City on his building.

 **New Business**:

1. Renewal of Police Department Contract Discussion and Action: Chair Jordan stated that City Representatives had a meeting with Sheriff’s Representatives regarding the update on the contract for the next 4 years. There were no changes to the contract language so we agreed to move forward with the new agreement   Mayor Houdek and chair Jordan addressed the city's satisfaction with both the agreement and the performance of all officers involved.  The city is very pleased with all aspects of the agreement including Captain Crandall's oversight. Motion by Kozlowski to approve the renewal of the contract. 2nd by Mugler. All in favor. Motion passed to approve contract.
2. Monthly Reports were given by Captain Crandall. Motion by Faulkner to approve monthly reports, second by Mugler. Motion Carried.
3. Municipal Court: Chair Jordan stated that municipal court will be starting after a brief break.
4. Citizen Comments: None

**5. Adjournment:**

 Motion by Kozlowski, second by Faulkner to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned 6:12 PM.

Next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, April 21st, 2021 at 6:00 PM.

Minutes submitted by Bobbi Richter.