

MINUTES

WATERTOWN POLICE COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

(Postponed from March 9, 2011)

**TOWN HALL ANNEX CONFERENCE ROOM
424 MAIN STREET, WATERTOWN
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 2011, 7:00 P.M.**

PRESENT: James Blais, Chairman
Patricia Kropp
Gary Lafferty
Jack Walton, V. Secretary/Secretary

ABSENT: Mark Tedesco

OTHERS PRESENT: John Gavallas, Police Chief
Robert Desena, Deputy Chief

PUBLIC ATTENDANCE: Jim Shepard

MEETING WAS NOT TAPED

1. Convene Regular Meeting - 7:00 P.M.

Chairman, Jim Blais called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Executed the roll call.

3. Public Participation

Jim Shepard - requesting a traffic control device on DeForest St.. at the Green for pedestrian crossing, referred to State DOT.

4. Minutes

a. Regular meeting – February 16, 2011

5. Correspondence

a. POST Academy Audit Report

6. Action Items

Motion: (Patricia Kropp sec. Gary Lafferty) **Add action item 6c to agenda**

Aye: 4
Nay: 0
Abstain: 0

Motion: (Patricia Kropp sec. Gary Lafferty) **Alter signal - Woodruff & Main St.**

Aye: 4
Nay: 0
Abstain: 0

a. Crosswalk Issue on the Green

Motion: (Patricia Kropp sec. Gary Lafferty) Authorize Police Chief to contact State DOT for crossing recommendations.

Aye: 4
Nay: 0
Abstain: 0

b. Policy Regarding Accidents Involving Police Vehicles

Motion: (Gary Lafferty sec. Jack Walton) Approve vehicle accident policy as written by Police Chief John Cavallas

Aye: 4
Nay: 0
Abstain: 0

c. Traffic Signal – Woodruff Avenue & Main Street

Motion: (Patricia Kropp sec. Gary Lafferty) Authorize Police Chief to contact State DOT for possible change of traffic signal.

Aye: 4
Nay: 0
Abstain: 0

7. Chairman's Report

8. Chief's Report

a. Month 2011 – Police Dept. Activity

9. Adjournment

MOTION: (Jack Walton sec. Gary Lafferty) to Adjourn the Regular Meeting at 7:33 p.m.

Aye: 4
Nay: 0
Abstain: 0