

Town of Manlius Police Committee
Meeting Minutes
April 10, 2019

Present:	Mike Crowell	Chief, Town of Manlius Police
	Edmond Theobald	Town of Manlius
	John Champagne	Village of Minoa
	John Abbott	Village of Minoa
	Scott McGrew	Village of Manlius

1. The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m.

2. **Minutes**

A motion was made by Member McGrew and seconded by Member Champagne to approve the minutes of January 23,2019. The motion passed unanimously.

3. **Old Business**

Member Abbott discussed the recent retirements in the department. Member Abbot asked Chief Crowell how the department manages officer turnover and how the command staff positions are filled in the department.

Discussion ensued regarding the current command staff positions that are open and how the department fills the open command staff positions.

4. **New Business**

Member Abbott reviewed the upcoming parades and field days in the Village of Minoa.

Member Champagne discussed a recent suspicious person that was investigated at the CSX railyard in the Village of Minoa. Member Champagne asked for further information on department protocol for investigating suspicious persons.

Chief Crowell discussed the protocol for responding to a suspicious person call for service.

Member McGrew reviewed the upcoming events in the Village of Manlius. Member McGrew stated that the Village of Manlius will be hosting the annual Easter Egg Hunt.

Supervisor Theobald discussed areas in the Town of Manlius where speeding is occurring in the early morning and the evening.

5. Chiefs Report

- Chief Crowell gave an update on the renovations to the police department building. Chief Crowell reported that the Village of Manlius rejected all of the bids for the proposed renovations.
- Chief Crowell stated that there is open SIRO positions in the Fayetteville Manlius School District. Chief Crowell stated the department is working to fill the open SIRO positions and is working with the school district on the matter.
- Chief Crowell distributed the departments goals and objectives.
- Chief Crowell stated that the department is exploring the feasibility of the return of the K-9 program.
- Chief Crowell stated that the department has 3 recruits in the academy and they are doing well.
- Chief Crowell stated that he has made a conditional offer of employment to a transfer candidate.
- Chief Crowell stated that the Onondaga County Traffic Safety Council has awarded 3 officers in the department a traffic safety award.
- Chief Crowell stated that the department will be issuing the 2018 Annual Report soon.

The committee discussed the departments drone program and drone regulations.

6. Correspondence - None

7. Privilege of the Floor – None

8. Next Meeting – May 22nd, 2019

With there being no further business to come before the Committee, a motion to adjourn was made by Member Abbott, seconded by Member Champagne at 5:39 pm. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Allison Weber
Town of Manlius
Police Committee Secretary