

Public Safety Minutes September 10, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Chairman Kersten Rocksvold. Committee members Greg Russell, Brad Steiner and Don Stirling were present. Also in attendance were Sheriff Dale McCullick, 911 Coordinator Julie Cipra, Coroner Joe Morovits, Emergency Management Jim Hackett, Cindy Riniker, RN, and Administrative Assistant Joyce Fritsche-Roberts. Viterbo student, Bobbi, was with Cindy. Absent from the meeting was Carl Orr.

The meeting was verified as having been properly posted. Next meeting is October 8, 2019.

Motion by Stirling, second by Steiner to approve the minutes of the August meeting. The motion carried with no negative votes cast.

Coroner: Coroner's office has been busy with issuing death certificates. There have been more than normal.

Motion by Russell, second by Steiner to approve the Coroner's bills. The motion carried with no negative votes cast.

911 Coordinator: Julie met with Finance in August and the decision was made to apply for the 60% NG911 grant as soon as it is out and we will pay the 40% out of the General fund in 2020.

Finance approved moving forward with the Rolling Ground tower site now that the easement has been transferred from the WI DNR to Crawford County. This will include the installation of a security fence around the building and guy anchors, grounding to R56 standards and installing a generator and LP tank along with a weed barrier and gravel inside the building fence.

Decision was made to install split heating/cooling units at all four tower sites as well as some building maintenance at the PDC and Seneca sites.

Equipment has been ordered and Julie will be working with vendors the next couple of months to coordinate and complete projects yet this year.

Motion by Steiner, second by Stirling to approve the 911 bills. The motion carried with no negative votes cast.

Emergency Management: Fire and EMS Association are joining together. Policies are being written.

Jim attended a mandatory TRACS training. Attendance is required for certain grant applications.

Functional exercise in Richland Center with BNFS and Canadian Pacific railroads.

Motion by Russell, second by Stirling to approve the 911 bills. The motion carried with no negative votes cast.

Public Health: Wisconsin has seen no vaping deaths.

Currently working with jail administrator on Hepatitis A vaccine for inmates.

Sheriff: New squad cars should be here shortly.

Full time officers patrolled the fair due to the shortage of part time help.

Motion by Russell, second by Steiner to approve the Sheriff's' bills and bank statements. The motion carried with no negative votes cast.

Adjournment: Motion by Steiner, second by Russell to adjourn. The motion carried with no negative votes cast and the meeting adjourned at 10:10 a.m.

Joyce Fritsche-Roberts
Administrative Assistant