



**Safety Committee Minutes
Wednesday, June 24, 2015**

Call to Order:

Chair Leslie Miller called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call:

Present: Chair Leslie Miller, Brad Demiter and Kathy Rhoads.

Approval of Minutes:

Kathy Rhoads made a motion to approve the Safety Meeting Minutes of May 27, 2015, and the motion was seconded by Brad Demiter. Aye votes all. The minutes were approved as written.

Privilege of the Floor:

Carol Carter thanked Chief Burson and the Police Department for their assistance with the Seville Garage Sale. Mrs. Carter is hoping to help the Department in the future with the equipment to make signs.

Chief's Report:

Chief Burson has reported that all of the Seville Department Police Officers have served the community professionally and have all returned home safely. There have not been any serious equipment issues. Despite some scheduling challenges the department is able to continue to provide coverage. There have been over 200 visits to the application page on the website for the new position of full time police officer. The deadline is 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 30th.

Chief Burson reported that from the law enforcement prospective the 2015 garage sale probably has been the best organized out of the 31 years he has worked. Chief Burson thanked Jon Sobczak and the Parks & Streets Department for their hard work and efforts, and feels they are the unsung heroes. Everything was picked up and returned to normal by 5:00 p.m. on Saturday. There were four minor vehicle crashes during the yard sale and they declined reports. Twenty-five parking tickets were issued. The Girl Scouts did a good job with parking at Cy Hewit. Over 600 cars were parked, which meant fewer cars on the street. Memorial parking lot worked well too. As of 5 p.m. today, there were 2,974 visits to the yard sale web page.

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New Business:

Chair Leslie Miller thanked Chief Burson for his 29 years of service as of June 10th, 1986.

Pending Legislation

2015-25 - an ordinance to set forth the number of full time police officers employed.

Council passed on June 8th.

Old Business:

The discussion for updating the officer's employee package will be discussed at a later time.

Privilege of the Floor:

There was a brief discussion on the success of the Garage Sale weekend. Carol Carter will send pictures to Kathy Rhoads for the website.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Kathy Rhoads and was seconded by Brad Demiter. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Leslie Miller

Safety Committee Chair