

Public Safety Committee Minutes
Village of Somerset
April 8, 2024

Members Present: Chris Moreno, Chris Dubak in person, Josh Hecht by zoom and Chief Joel Trepczyk in person.

1. Meeting called to order at 5:30 pm.

2. Approval of the March 11, 2024, meeting minutes.
Motion Moreno, 2nd Dubak- carried.

3. Public Comment on Agenda Items: None

4. Unfinished Business: None

5. New Business:
Motion Dubak, 2nd Moreno to move agenda item 5b. up on the agenda – carried.

b. Discussion/Possible Recommendation: Flock Camera

- Kristen MacLeod gives a presentation on the Flock Safety Camera. Flock essentially gives information on vehicles not people. It does not include facial recognition. There are privacy safeguards in place. Information is shared between other Flock users.
- Chief Trepczyk gives pricing on the Flock. There will be a recurring Cost of \$6,500.00. This includes one mobile flock camera and one fixed flock camera. The cost for the first year would be \$7,150.00.

Motion Hecht, 2nd Moreno to approve the Flock and recommend to the full board- carried.

a. Discussion/ Possible Recommendation: Pea Soup Days Parade Route
-Chief Trepczyk explains the possible new parade route with staging area and traffic detour.

Motion Moreno, 2nd Hecht to approve and recommend to the full board the new parade route that would run from Oak St. to Sunrise St.- carried.

6. Municipal Court

a. 2024 Budget Report- reviewed

7. Police Department

a. 2024 Budget Report- reviewed

b. Police Chief Report

1. March Incident Reports- reviewed
2. Department Activities.

- Chief Trepczyk is reaching out to other agencies for additional help with concerts. Parking permits need to be distributed. The first concert is in July.
- Officers have started their summer schedule.
- Officers completed Hazmat Training and Officer attended Advance Roadside of Impaired Driving.
- Chief Trepczyk is working on a Lieutenant position and part time Investigator position.
- The new squad has not gone to production yet. An outfitter has been selected. The vehicle will be used in a couple shows.

8. Police and Court Bills – reviewed.

9. Future Agenda Items. – None

10. Committee Member Josh Hecht was thanked for his service on the board.

Motion to adjourn Dubak, 2nd Moreno.

Adjourn at 6:30pm

Submitted by Gina Thurnbeck