

BROWN DEER TRAFFIC AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
MAY 5, 2016 MEETING MINUTES
HELD AT THE BROWN DEER VILLAGE HALL
4800 WEST GREEN BROOK DRIVE
BROWN DEER, WISCONSIN

The meeting was called to order by Trustee Boschert at 5:30 PM.

I. ROLL CALL

Present: Trustee Boschert, Roger Gordon, Mike Kass, Neil Wood, Bob Wazniak

Also Present: Michael Hall, Village Manger; Michael Kass, Chief of Police; Nancy Hoppe, Executive Secretary to Chief of Police

Excused: Trustee Awe, Alicia Lemke

II. PERSONS DESIRING TO BE HEARD

There were no persons desiring to be heard.

III. CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES: March 10, 2016

It was moved by Mr. Wazniak, and seconded by Mr. Kass to approve the March 10, 2016 meeting minutes. The motion carried unanimously.

IV. REPORT OF STAFF/COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chief Kass reported that the department was functioning on a lower staff level than normal due to three officers being off on Family Leave. He further stated that a recruitment process is underway and that physical and written testing is scheduled in June. Chief Kass reported that two officers are retiring later in the year; October and December. He stated that the High Visibility Traffic Enforcement (HVTE) program has shown that enforcement has highly increased and that traffic crashes are down; which is the goal of this type of enforcement.

Mr. Hall stated that the Appreciation Dinner is scheduled for May 20th and he reminded the members to respond. He further asked that the reappointment letters be returned to the Village Hall by the end of May.

V. OLD BUSINESS

A. Turning Restrictions from the Northeast Entrance/Exit to Brown Deer Elementary School.

Chief Kass presented the proposed signage and asked that the Ordinance be changed to reflect the information requested by the school at the March meeting of the Traffic and Public Safety Committee.

It was moved by Mr. Kass, and seconded by Mr. Gordon to recommend to the Village Board the amending of Chapter 62 – Traffic & Vehicles, Article I – In General, Section 62-4 – Through streets; stop or yield streets; turns prohibited in certain locations, paragraph (f) (3) Left turn prohibited onto W. Dean Road from the parking lot of the Brown Deer Elementary School between the hours of 7:30am and 4:30pm, daily. The motion carried unanimously.

B. Traffic Report – North 60th Street

Chief Kass reported on the recent traffic study conducted on North 60th Street; he reported that this study was currently conducted to establish a baseline of traffic flow for this street.

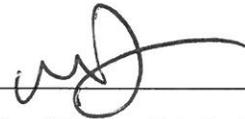
Discussion took place about the actual numbers of vehicles traveling on the roadway and the actual speeds that took place. Trustee Boschert reported that he had been inquired if a stop sign could be installed at North 60th Street and West Tower Avenue. Mr. Wazniak stated that would increase sign clutter in the area and people would tend to ignore the signs.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

None.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Mr. Gordon, and seconded by Mr. Wazniak to adjourn at 5:52 PM. The motion carried unanimously.



Michael Kass, Chief of Police