

TOWN OF NORTHWOOD
POLICE COMMISSION
2/23/2021

Chairman Krochmal calls the meeting to order at 5:00 pm at the town hall.

PRESENT: Chairman Colleen Krochmal, Commissioner Nicole Rodler, Commissioner John Schlang, Chief Glen Drolet, Police Commission Administrator Linda Smith.

Chairman Krochmal states that she is stepping down from the commission at the end of today's meeting due to family obligations. She reads her letter of resignation into the record.

Motion is made by Commissioner Rodler, second by Commissioner Schlang to accept Chairman Krochmal's resignation, with regret, and with thanks for her years of service on the commission. Motion approved: 3/0.

Motion is made by Commissioner Schlang, second by Chairman Krochmal to appoint Commissioner Rodler as chairman. Motion approved; 3/0.

Minutes:

Motion is made by Commissioner Schlang, second by Chairman Krochmal to approve the minutes of January 21, 2021 as printed. Vote: 3/0.

Public Input:

None

CHIEF'S REPORT:

Chief Drolet reports the following statistics for the month of January 2021:

Calls for Service	Arrests	Motor Vehicle Accidents	MV Warnings Issued	Motor Vehicle Summons	Business/Property Checks
258	16	6	108	13	261

Budget Chief Drolet reports that due to the change in town meeting date being moved forward there are no budgets to present at this time.

Purchase Orders:

1. Irving: \$20,000 (blanket) cruiser fuel
2. Northwood Garage: \$3262.92 Car 2 Invoice for transfer case and transmission repair.
3. Sirchie: \$506.96 evidence supplies

Chief Drolet reports that the first session of the annual Town Meeting (Deliberative Session) has been rescheduled for May 15 at Northwood School and elections have been moved to June 8.

Cruisers: Chief Drolet reports that the new cruiser is expected to be done later this week. He adds that Car 2 the PTU exploded and is out of service.

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Safety Complex: Chief Drolet reports that the final (edited) version of the video is complete and will be used to show the current conditions of both the police station and fire stations. A warrant article for \$295,000 to be raised for land and design/evaluation services for a safety complex building is on the 2021 warrant.

New Business:

Chief Drolet reports that there is an increase statewide in crystal methamphetamine and adds that Officers Gilon and Downs have made sizeable seizures of the drug already this year.

Motion to adjourn is accepted at 5:26 pm

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda Smith".

Linda Smith, Police Commission Administrator