

JUDICIAL & PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES

May 2, 2022

Remote Meeting using WebEx/phone and in-person at Services Center- County Board Room-
480 Underwood Ave– Montello, Wisconsin

1. Chairperson Al Rosenthal called the Public Safety Committee meeting to order at 2:30 p.m.

Members present: Al Rosenthal-Chairperson, Al Gibeaut, Ken Borzick, Kathy Jo Locke (virtual), and Mary Walters.

Others present: Administrator Ron Barger, Corp Counsel Natalie Bussan (virtual), Sheriff Joe Konrath, EMS Director Rob Lulling, EM Director Lt. Aaron Williams, DA Office Manager Emily Krueger, Medical Examiner Tom Wastart, Judi Nigbor (virtual), Clerk of Court Shari Rudolph (virtual), EMS Assistant Director Jordan Powell (virtual), Chief Deputy Clerk Courtney Trimble (virtual), and Steve Klump (virtual)

2. Motion to approve the agenda as presented by Ken Borzick and seconded by Al Gibeaut. Motion carried.
3. Motion to approve the April 4, 2023 minutes by Mary Walters and seconded by Ken Borzick. Motion carried.
4. Reports of official meetings held in the prior month-None
5. Upcoming Events/Issues/Citizen Comments-None
6. Committee Reviewed Vouchers as Presented
7. Clerk of Circuit Court Shari Rudolph reported there are no new updates. DA's Office Manager Emily Krueger reported Cliff Burdon has been appointed as the new District Attorney starting May 30, 2023. Emergency Management Director Lt. Aaron Williams reported there would be some tabletop exercises held within the Sheriff's Office for planning purposes. LEPC meeting will be held May 5th at Oxford Fire Station. ME Tom Wastart reported 60 deaths for Marquette County and 72 deaths for Green Lake County.
8. EMS Director Rob Lulling submitted his EMS capital equipment review. Med 1 discussed. Rob reported that he will need 1 vehicle within the next 3 years and would prefer it be ordered within 2 years so that it's ready by the third year. Moved by Al Gibeaut and seconded by Mary Walters to rate request by EMS for vehicle fleet improvement at 2 on a scale of 1-5 and to set for a 2025 expense. Motion carried.
April stats uploaded to SharePoint, with call volume back up. Survey put out by Medicare has been submitted after 44 hours of data collection. 4 candidates to be interviewed next week for Paramedic. New ambulance to be picked up in Iowa next week. Met with new medical direction team- will be switched over July 1st.
9. Sheriff Joe Konrath reported state statute allows for a crime prevention surcharge for convicted criminal cases. Half of proceeds would go to Marquette County Crimestoppers. Sheriff reported a Crime Prevention Funding Board would need to be formed and confirmed through a resolution. Moved by Mary Walters and seconded by Al Gibeaut to approve a crime prevention surcharge per conviction and to establish a Crime Prevention Funding Board committee, meeting state statute requirements, for 50% of proceeds to go to Crimestoppers, and forward the resolution to County Board. Motion carried.
Sheriff Konrath presented 2024-2028 capital projects list. Moved by Mary Walters and seconded by Ken Borzick to rate 2024 items 1-3 at a rating of 5, items 4-8 rating of 4, with Sheriff Konrath applying for a grant that would possibly cover items 1-3, resulting in moving 4-8 into the 2024 budget. Motion carried.

2024-2028 Radio/Tower System Upgrade discussed. The last update was done in 2014. Moved by Ken Borzick and seconded by Al Gibeaut to include the Radio Tower Upgrade in the 2024 ranking rated at 5 and to move forward to consider for borrowing. Motion carried.

Sheriff Konrath reported Detective Sgt. Jordan McCoy resigned. New detectives to be Cameron Klump and Brock Holmes. Patrol spots to be filled.

10. Ron Barger reported the Marquette County and Green Lake County Intergovernmental Agreement has been finalized. Tom Wastart is the new full-time Green Lake County Medical Examiner. Our ME vehicle will be stationed at Marquette County. In June the JPS Committee will discuss new ME fees.
11. Gary Krueger will continue to serve as Humane Officer in 2024. Contract to follow in the future.
12. The agenda having been completed Committee Chairperson Al Rosenthal declared the meeting adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Kiley Lloyd, County Clerk