

**CONWAY POLICE COMMISSION
MINUTES OF MEETING
March 9, 2010**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Conway Police Commission was brought to order at 0830 hours on Tuesday, March 9, 2010. In attendance were Chief Edward K. Wagner, Lieutenant Joseph A. Faia, Lieutenant Christopher C. Perley, Chairman Theresa L. Kennett, Commissioner Robert F. Porter, Commissioner David D. Doherty and Recording Secretary Jill K. Dicey.

Payroll and disbursements were handed out and signed.

On a motion by Commissioner Porter, and seconded by Commissioner Doherty, it was unanimously voted to approve the minutes of February 23, 2010.

Chairman Kennett advised she will be out of town from April 9 through April 21, 2010.

A review of the deliberative portion of Town meeting was discussed.

Chief Wagner advised that Dispatcher John Fazio would be sworn-in as a special officer on April 5, 2010. The intent is to get him into the August police academy. Sergeant MacKenzie is set to retire in September and Mr. Fazio will fill that opening. Officer Michael Boucher has been working with Sergeant MacKenzie setting up the new cruisers and will be able to take over that task. He can be assisted by S/O Jon Saxby if needed.

Lieutenant Perley advised that Officer Daigle has completed the 8-week Field Training and is now working on his own. All of the reports from his Sergeant and the Field Training Officers are positive and he will begin the 14-week full-time academy in April.

Chairman Kennett inquired about Officer Scott. Lieutenant Perley advised she is doing an excellent job and has embraced the heavy workload. Both Officer Scott and Officer Hollenkamp are currently attending a "Women in Law Enforcement" training.

At 0850, a motion was made by Commissioner Porter, and seconded by Commissioner Doherty to move into non-public session per RSA 91-A: 3, II (a). The Commission was polled and voted as follows: Porter, yes, Doherty, yes, Kennett, yes. With a unanimous vote, the meeting was moved into non-public session.

At 0858, the regular meeting reconvened.

Lieutenant Perley advised that the arrest numbers are approaching 200, which is an increase over last year at this time.

Lieutenant Faia reviewed the drug buying/arrest activity of the Detectives and the process for making drug buys using confidential informants.

Commissioner Doherty inquired about the level of drug activity at the high school. Lt. Faia advised it is starting to flare up again. Officer Mattei does an excellent at the school and keeps up good communication with the detectives. Chief Wagner advised this may be Officer Mattei's last year in the school. He further advised that there are several officers that could take over as SRO. Commissioner Doherty suggested that more officers may show interest if it was known as a short-term assignment.

Commissioner Doherty asked if bullying is a problem in our schools. Lt. Faia advised that it is but the bigger problem now is the sending of sexually inappropriate photos from cell phone to cell phone.

At 0921, on a motion by Commissioner Porter, and seconded by Commissioner Doherty, it was unanimously voted to adjourn the regularly scheduled commission meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Jill K. Dicey,
Recording Secretary