

# **MINUTES**

## **SUNSET HILLS POLICE ADVISORY BOARD**

January 26, 2022

6:00 PM

### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Ald. Christine Lieber, Ald. Randy Epperson, Ald. Thompson Price, Steve Kruse, Jesse Finney, Harry Schillinger

### **STAFF PRESENT**

Chief Stephen Dodge, Officer Greg Schnittker

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A motion was made to approve the minutes of the October 19, 2021 meeting by Ald. Price and the motion was seconded by Ald. Lieber. The motion passed unanimously.

Chief Dodge informed the board of new lights and sirens for all six of the marked patrol cars. The expenditure would come from the capitol fund with a cost of approximately \$9000.00. Ald. Epperson brought forward the motion which was seconded by Ald. Price and the motion passed unanimously.

Chief Dodge advised the board of the proposed door handle city ordinance. The proposed ordinance would make it illegal for someone to check door handles to see if they can find one unlocked. Ald. Epperson brought forth a motion for the board to approve and forward a recommendation to the Board of Alderman. The motion was seconded by Ald. Price. The vote passed unanimously.

Officer Schnittker advised the board that due to Covid, there were no recent Community Outreach/Engagement presentations or events.

Chief Dodge advised the board that the department was presenting the Communication's Consolidation Grant at the upcoming Board of Alderman meeting. The grant was part of the Crestwood/ Sunset Hills Dispatch merger and the grant would be for approximately \$79,000.00.

Chief Dodge advised the board that the department did not apply for the state grant for the in-car fingerprint readers. This process would have needed the Board of Alderman approval and would have had to pass through the Finance Committee.

Ald. Epperson made a motion to adjourn the meeting which was seconded by Ald. Price. The motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 6:23 PM.