

EMERGENCY SERVICES

August 4, 2022

MEMBERS PRESENT

Acting Chairman Driskell
Alderman Olive
Alderman Skultety

ALSO PRESENT

Mayor Barry
Alderman Budd
Alderman Wilson
Chief Adermann
Deputy Chief Childers
Lieutenant Toberman
Superintendent Mann
Treasurer Miles

Rose Blackburn
Marty Sanders
Derek McConnell
Jaclyn McConnell
Tim Brown
Damon Moore
Corey Waller
Tim McArdle
HR Bentley

MEMBERS ABSENT

Chairman Bryant

Acting Chairman Driskell called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

PURCHASE OF BALLISTIC VESTS

Fire Chief Adermann discussed the need to purchase Ballistic Vests.

Motion by Alderman Skultety and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to approve the Fire Department to purchase seven (7) Ballistic Vests from RMA Armament, Inc. at a cost not to exceed \$2,495.68, with 50% of the payment to be reimbursed to the City by the Hero Fund Grant. The motion carried (3-0).

HYPER-REACH MASS NOTIFICATION

Hyper-Reach is a mass notification service that is used to get information out to the community via call, text or email. The City can use this program to send out emergency notifications as well as road construction, boil orders, events etc. When set up by the individual, they will choose what type of notifications they would like to receive. The cost for a one-year contract is \$5,450.00.

Motion by Alderman Skultety and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to approve the Fire Department to purchase Hyper-Reach for a one-year contract the cost at a cost not to exceed \$5,450.00, to be paid for from the ESDA Budget. The motion carried (3-0).

EMERGENCY OPERATION CENTER UPGRADE

Fire Chief Adermann explained the Emergency Operations Center for both City and Christian County is headquartered at the Taylorville Fire Department. The current computer system that is utilized is from 2007. This system is now obsolete. Chief Adermann presented a quote from Computer Techniques in the amount of \$12,094.59 for a Dell 86" touch monitor and a 4K camera and speakerphone. The cost will be split with Christian County Emergency Management.

Motion by Alderman Skultety and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to approve Taylorville Fire Department to purchase a Dell 86" touch monitor and a 4K camera and speakerphone from Computer Techniques at a cost not to exceed \$12,094.59, with the City of Taylorville to pay \$6,047.29 from the ESDA Budget and the remaining \$6,047.30 to be paid by Christian County Emergency Management. The motion carried (3-0).

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

- Calls for July 2021- 149, July 2022- 201
- Training- 98.4 hours
- Public Education and Events
 - Tailgate and Tallboys

POLICE CHIEF'S REPORT

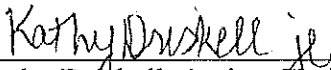
- Officer Thomas and Sergeant Herpstreith officially retired.
- Hannah Coleman graduates from the Academy on August 11, 2022
- Officer Priddy graduated K9 School
- New Hire – Corey Reynolds sworn in August 1, 2022
- YMCA Case closed
- Total calls for July - 883
- Total arrests - 45
- Total drug arrests - 7
- Community Policing
 - 14 Explorers currently enrolled
 - National Night Out was held August 2, 2022 raising over \$2,000.00 for Special Olympics

ANY OTHER MATTERS

Lieutenant Toberman addressed the Committee with a Patrol Rifle Purchase Proposal. He explained Officers are currently offered a M16 rifle for their patrol vehicles, however the BCM is easier to handle. The Police Department is looking to purchase 16 BCM Rifles with a 14.5 inch barrel at a cost of \$1,336.95 per rifle plus \$250.00 per mounting bracket for a total of \$25,391.20. Mayor Barry advised this would be put on the August 15, 2022 City Council agenda.

Motion by Alderman Skultety and seconded by Alderman Olive to adjourn. The motion carried (3-0).

Meeting adjournment at 6:41 P.M.



Kathy Driskell, Acting Chairman
Emergency Services Committee