

**NORTHERN BERKS REGIONAL POLICE
COMMISSION MEETING
FEBRUARY 12, 2024**

ATTENDING: Dave Franke – Maidencreek Commissioner, Ronald Strause – Leesport Commissioner, Chuck Grebloski – Ontelaunee Commissioner, Josh Meck – Maidencreek Alternate, Martin Goetz – Leesport Alternate, Chris Gerber – Solicitor, Chief Jim Keiser, Alysia Fredericks – Administrative Assistant

GUESTS: Eric Bauman, Donna Culp, Jim Moquin, Gary Hadden

Commissioner Franke called the February 12, 2024 Commission Meeting to order at 6:02 PM, followed by the pledge of allegiance and a moment of silence.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Commissioner Strause made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Grebloski to approve the agenda. All commissioners voted, “Aye”. Motion carried.

FOR THE RECORD: Nothing

REORGANIZATION MEETING MINUTES: Commissioner Strause made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Grebloski to approve the January 8, 2024 Reorganization Meeting minutes. All commissioners voted, “Aye”. Motion carried.

COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES: Commissioner Strause made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Grebloski to approve the January 8, 2024 Commission Meeting minutes. All commissioners voted, “Aye”. Motion carried.

TREASURER’S REPORT: The January 2024 Treasurer’s report was given by Alysia Fredericks –
 Money Market = \$477,167.61 Tompkins VIST = \$69,996.24
 Checking = \$48,845.09 NNO = \$11,019.51
Payroll = \$2,771.43
 Total Budgeted Balance = \$528,784.13

Commissioner Strause made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Grebloski to approve the January 2024 Treasurer’s Report as presented. All commissioners voted, “Aye”. Motion carried.

DEPARTMENT REPORT: Chief Keiser read the report for January 2024.

TOWNSHIP	CALLS	CITATIONS	WARNINGS	CONTACTS	ARRESTS	HOURS OF SERVICE
Maidencreek	338	64	55	105	6	33 Per Day
Ontelaunee	243	69	51	107	4	26 Per Day
Leesport	87	19	18	41	1	8 Per Day
Administrative	47					
TOTAL	715	152	124	253	11	

FUEL: 1,203 gallons MILEAGE: 9,990 miles
 CRASHES: 58 - Maidencreek: 25 (4 reportable, 19 non-reportable, 2 hit and runs)
 Ontelaunee: 29 (7 reportable, 17 non-reportable, 5 hit and runs)
 Leesport: 4 (3 reportable, 0 non-reportable, 1 hit and runs)

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We will be sending the 2 sergeants to a supervisor course through Northwestern University. The 2 corporals will be attending an FTO course in June in Allentown.

All of the new vehicles are here. The black Explorer needs everything (upfitting and decals). The white Explorer and the truck need decals and to have the cameras and radios installed. Commissioner Franke asked if any of the Explorers that the department will be selling would be a worthwhile investment for Maiden creek Township. Chief Keiser said that they aren't in bad shape, but they are high in mileage and at the end of their life cycles as police vehicles.

BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR: Alysia Fredericks mentioned that National Night Out will be held on Tuesday, August 6, 2024.

OLD BUSINESS:

Josh Meck asked if the computers in the cars had been upgraded. Chief Keiser explained that those were upgraded through a county project. Money had been paid for this upgrade project over the past few years. The extra money returned to the department went towards upgraded station computers/monitors and new printer installs in the patrol vehicles.

NEW BUSINESS: Nothing

FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER: Nothing

ADJOURN: Commissioner Grebloski made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Strause to adjourn the meeting. All commissioners voted, "Aye". Motion carried and meeting was adjourned at 6:20 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Alysia Fredericks
NBRPD Administrative Assistant

CC: NBRPD Commission & Alternates
Diane Hollenbach, Maiden creek Township Manager
Kim Berger, Ontelaunee Township Secretary
Sandra Weiser, Leesport Borough Secretary
Chris Gerber, Solicitor