

**BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS  
REGULAR MEETING  
June 15, 2021 6:00 p.m.  
Council Chambers**

**PRESENT:**

Commissioner Fuller  
Commissioner Ghio  
Commissioner Lemieux  
Commissioner Lewis  
Commissioner Rosado  
Commissioner Sapp Smith

**ABSENT:**

Mayor Zoppo-Sassu, Chairperson

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Commissioner Rosado called the meeting to order at 6:10 P.M.

**2. AWARDS**

No Awards.

**3. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Ms. Michelle Jefferson, Crisis Intervention Clinician, introduced herself to the Board. The Bristol Police Department has partnered with Community Mental Health Affiliates to have a Crisis Intervention Clinician based out of the department beginning June 7, 2021. This partnership will raise our level of service by enhancing our ability to serve members of the community who are in crisis.

**4. CONSIDERATION OF THE MINUTES**

Commissioner Fuller moved to APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM THE MAY 18, 2021 REGULAR POLICE BOARD MEETING, Second by Commissioner Lewis.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

Commissioner Fuller moved to APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM THE MAY 20, 2021 SPECIAL POLICE BOARD MEETING, Second by Commissioner Lewis.

**5. REPORTS OF ACCOUNTS YEAR TO DATE**

Commissioner Lemieux moved to APPROVE THE REPORT OF ACCOUNTS YEAR TO DATE AND PLACE ON FILE, Second by Commissioner Smith.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

**6. APPROVAL OF VARIOUS MONTHLY REPORTS**

Commissioner Ghio moved to APPROVE MONTHLY REPORTS A-N AND PLACE ON FILE, Second by Commissioner Fuller.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

## **7. CORRESPONDENCE**

Chief Gould read several letters received from the community thanking our officers. These letters have been placed in the officers file.

## **8. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Awards Committee

Commissioner Fuller moved to TABLE THE JUNE MINUTES UNTIL NEXT MONTH, Second by Commissioner Ghio.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

## **9. TRAFFIC REPORTS**

No traffic reports.

## **10. OLD BUSINESS**

10.1 Chief Gould

Chief Gould asked the Board for a motion to endorse the BJA FY21 Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Abuse Program.

Commissioner Fuller moved to ENDORSE THE BJA FY21 COMPREHENSIVE OPIOID, STIMULANT, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAM, Second by Commissioner Ghio.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

10.2 Police Commissioners

No old business.

## **11. NEW BUSINESS**

11.1 Chief Gould

a. Board of Finance Request

Commissioner Fuller moved to ACCEPT AND FORWARD THE REQUEST TO THE BOARD OF FINANCE, Second by Commissioner Smith.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

b. Alarm Appeal Request

Commissioner Ghio moved to APPROVE THE ALARM APPEAL REQUEST TO WAIVE LATE FEES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$360 FOR MR. ALAN LEVESQUE, Second by Commissioner Lewis.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

c. BJA FY21 Body-Worn Camera Grant

Commissioner Lemieux moved to APPROVE APPLYING FOR THE BJA FY21 BODY-WORN CAMERA GRANT AND FORWARD TO CITY COUNCIL, Second by Commissioner Smith.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

11.2 Police Commissioners

Commissioner Lemieux reviewed the State of CT Commercial Vehicle Report. (Copy attached.)

**12. ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Lewis moved to ADJOURN, Second by Commissioner Lemieux.

VOTE: UNANIMOUSLY PASSED

The regular meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners called for the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2021 was  
HEREBY ADJOURNED AT 6:40 p.m.

ATTEST: *Lisa Ziogas*