Public Safety Meeting Minutes June 28, 2016

Call to order at 3:30 P.M. By Councilwoman Szukala

Members in attendance: Stacy Szukala, Marty Bamonto Also in attendance: Chief Ortolano, Chief Edwards, Nicole Gugino

Excused: Andy Woloszyn

Minutes from prior meeting were approved. Motion by Bamonto, second by Szukala.

Chief Edwards reported that hydrant flushing/testing has begun and that 50 hydrants have been completed so far. Painting the color coded caps was being done as the go. A policy has been created by the mayor and work on hydrants was a joint effort of Fire Dept. and water department. Should be complete in 5-6 weeks.

Chief Edwards reported that the revenue from third party billing to date is the following.

\$69,000 for the year 357 transports (about the same as last year) there is a slight difference in Medicaid transports

Chief Ortolano talked about the upcoming National Night Out program. He stated that he feels the program in a yearly success, and each year gets better than the last. There will be a movie in Washington Park again, being shown at dusk. He thanked the dept, as well as all the donors and volunteers that make this program possible.

The shared service agreement with the Town Of Dunkirk is going well. Chief hopes that the program will continue to grow as time goes on. He reminded us that the dept. is doing general business and residential checks. They will respond to calls to assist, but the general policing is not done by our dept.

The Dunkirk Airshow is being planned for July 4, 2016

Both Police and Fire departments are working together to make sure all details are covered for safety of the show and guests. Several thousand spectators are expected to attend.

Both Chiefs are in process of submitting their budgets to the mayor. Council is advised to contact the dept. if there are concerns or questions with requests.

Meeting adjourned 3:55. Motion by Bamonto. Second by Szukala