

Public Safety Committee Meeting

January 24, 1995

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Keith Palmiter
Ron Truax
Ed Sherman
Jim Graffrath

John Tucker
Keith Barber
Patty Regan
David Sirianni
Al Chamberlain

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Fire Advisory Board Reps:
Bob Lester
Dick Sortore
Gib Helmer

Dick Smith
Bill Greene

Media: John Arden-Hopkins, Patriot

Guest: Fay Gibson, DSS
Dennis Rumpfelt & Deb Aumick, Youth Fire Program
Rita Truax, Student Intern

NOT
APPROVED

J. Margison

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 7:07 p.m.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the minutes of the December 28, 1994 Public Safety Committee meeting were approved.

Weights & Measures

Chairman Bennett called on Al Chamberlain for his report.

Copies of the most updated proposal for the Item Pricing legislation were handed out. Al noted the county attorney's office has reviewed and approved the document. There will need to be a public hearing prior to legislative approval.

There will also need to be determined an implementation date for the law to go into effect.

Some discussion was made on enforcement of the law and what violations will be addressed.

Individual item pricing versus bar codes and shelf stickers was discussed. Sale item pricing was also discussed.

Chairman Bennett suggested this be formally decided at the next Public Safety Committee meeting so that new legislators will have time to review it.

STOP/DWI

Chairman Bennett called on Patty Regan, Coordinator, for her report.

A memorandum was submitted requesting a resolution to transfer \$63.00 from A3141.447 to A3141.208 to cover extra cost for a computer.

motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Graffrath, approval was given.
RE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

ty handed out copies of a letter received from the county DPW requesting purchase of a breathalyzer. The county DPW must do random drug testing for truck drivers as required by law.

ty suggested that 50% of the cost can be provided by her budget but the equipment would have to be maintained by the Sheriff's department and be available to other local law enforcement agencies.

equipment has to be handled by "certified" and trained personnel, some of the sheriff's deputies have this training. Patty also noted this is a very technical piece of equipment and like a computer, would not be transportable and should remain in one location. The sheriff has noted his concern for lack of space in his department for such equipment.

ty noted she was presenting this matter for informational purposes only and did not need a decision at this time.

ty noted of recent training held in Alfred January 12-13 for local law enforcement officers on the HGN field sobriety program. Many compliments were received on the program.

Copies of the STOP/DWI 1994 annual report have been given to the committee members.

Fire Service

Chairman Bennett called on Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator, for his report.

Keith made a short presentation on the new Youth Fire Program. This program is to address the problem of juvenile fire setters.

Keith noted of some individuals involved in the program and introduced Chris Rumpfelt from DSS who is also a fire investigator. Also, Deb Aumick is also employed as a Probation Officer. Other members include; Kevin Broe, James Rumpfelt, Pam Crowell and Jennifer TenEyck.

Chris Rumpfelt explained some of the activities of the program thus far. Chris has been set to handle 30 cases in 1995. It was noted that the program will only respond to requests for assistance and does not go into the field looking for cases.

Keith explained that all felt it to be a very viable and beneficial program.

Not only Monroe and Erie counties are the other counties in the area with similar programs.

Costs for administration come from a \$3,100 grant from the Youth Bureau. All of the manpower is being donated by staff.

Sirianni of the Probation Department commented in favor of the program and pledged his support.

Chairman Bennett thanked the members of the group that were present and wished them success.

Keith submitted a transfer of funds request to transfer \$1,005 from A3410.447 to A3410.454.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax the request to transfer was approved.

Keith explained the open invitation to committee members to attend the Fire Advisory Board meetings.

Keith noted of no new information on the current project to obtain two more radio repeaters. Some work is being done to try to clear up the problem with repeaters interfering with each other.

Some discussion was made on the equipment inventory of county equipment being used by the Wellsville Ambulance rescue division.

Much of the equipment is for hazardous materials response. Keith noted that this should remain with the county as part of the Haz Mat Response Program.

It was recommended to review the inventory in the event the equipment may be turned over to the Village of Wellsville.

Some discussion was made on the possible change of the date and time of the Public Safety Committee. The February meeting will be held on the 28th at 4:00 p.m.

Chairman Bennett noted the meetings after February may be held on the second Wednesday of each month and alternate between day and evening times.

Office of Emergency Services

Chairman Bennett called on John Tucker, Director, for his report.

The planned tour of the Steuben County jail and dispatch center was discussed. The next date planned is Wednesday, February 1 at 2:00 p.m.

John noted as Chairman of the County Labor/Management Safety Committee, it is requested that the legislature approve the issuance of photo I.D. cards for county employees.

Chairman Bennett recommended that John attend the Ways and Means Committee meeting on Wednesday to discuss the matter. This was approved on motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman.

John reported on the current Emergency Medical training program. Four courses are in progress with 114 students enrolled.

Probation Department

Chairman Bennett called on David Sirianni, Director, for his report.

Dave requested to go into executive session to discuss a personnel matter.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax the committee moved into executive session.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax the committee moved out of executive session.

A memorandum of explanation was submitted requesting that a Probation Assistant's position be abolished and a Probation Officer Trainee be created. It was requested that Dave be allowed to fill that newly created position.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Sherman, approval by the committee was given. NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

The meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

MEMORANDUM OF EXPLANATION

Intro. No. _____
(Clerk's Use Only)

COMMITTEE: Public Safety

DATE: 1/24/95

A request is made to approve a \$63.00 transfer from '95 A3141.447 Police Patrol Acct. to A3141.208 Police Equipment Acct. for '95 Computer received by Wellsville State Police, Wellsville, NY. \$63.00 overage due to back-up system installed in the computer. Alfred & Wellsville P.D.'s have similar computers & back-up systems at this time. Computer maintenance will be maintained by the State Police in accordance with STOP-DWI Policy.

FISCAL IMPACT: \$1563.00 - STOP-DWI Fines.
\$1500.00 has been approved in the '95 STOP-DWI Budget.

For further information regarding this matter, contact:

Patricia Regan, Coordinator - STOP-DWI Program 716-268-9389
Sgt. David Gresham - Station Commander-S.P. Wellsville 716-593-1000

Name and Department

Telephone Number



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RICHARD A. YOUNG
Superintendent

To: Patricia Regan
STOP DWI COORDINATOR

From: David S. Roeske
Deputy Superintendent I

Re: Evidential Breath Testing Device (EBT)

Date: January 3, 1995

As discussed, I am proposing that STOP DWI will assist with the purchase of a EBT which will record the results of the tests.

The County Public Works Department must implement alcohol testing of employees who hold a Commercial Drivers License (CDL).

The Sheriff has agreed to have his personnel who are certified as breath alcohol technicians perform the tests if the proper equipment is obtained.

My proposal is that the STOP DWI Program purchase in conjunction with the Department of Public Works a EBT.

This machine would then be available to both the Department of Public Works and to the Law Enforcement Agencies of the County. This machine would be housed and operated by the certified employees of the Allegany County Sheriff's Department.

The requirement that employees who hold a CDL be tested is a Federal Law which is being administered by the United States Department of Transportation.

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Public Safety Committee Meeting

February 28, 1995

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Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Keith Palmiter
Ron Truax
Ed Sherman
Jim Graffrath
John Margeson
John Walchli

John Tucker
Keith Barber
Larry Scholes
David Sirianni
Al Chamberlain

Advisory Board Reps:
Dennis Rumpfelt
Dick Sortore
Gib Helmer

Rich Smith
Bill Greene

J. Margeson
**NOT
APPROVED**

John Arden-Hopkins, Patriot

Fay Gibson, DSS
Monica Cole, DSS
Marty Pisano, Giant Food Mart
Rita Truax, Student Intern

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 4:04 p.m.

Minutes of the January 24 Public Safety Committee meeting were approved by motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Palmiter.

Sheriff's Department

Chairman Bennett called on Sheriff Scholes for his report.

A request to attend school or conference form was submitted to allow a sheriff's deputy to attend a firearms instructor certification course on March 20-21 in Monroe County. The cost will be \$248.00 tuition plus initiation.

Motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax, the committee approved the request.

Sheriff explained that \$16,000 was budgeted in 1995 for replacement of the sheriff's vehicles. The present state bid price was approximately \$600 over the amount budgeted. The committee approved, on motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman, to allow the sheriff to trade-in on the older vehicle would be possible to cover the difference.

It was noted of receiving a letter from Judge Sprague with his concern for safety in the family court area. It was suggested that possibly a buzzer be placed in the area with a receiver where the sheriff's deputy mans a metal detector. The matter will be discussed at the Public Works meeting.

A discussion was made on the different jail classification of prisoners and space needs.

Education Department

Chairman Bennett called on Dave Sirianni, Director, for his report.

He reported that at a recent meeting, the state aid for his department would stay the same as 1994 for at least the first three quarters of 1995. There is the possibility of additional revenues through fees.

Project "360" was discussed. There is anticipated revenue to the county from reducing state prisoner population.

An update was given on the electronic home detention project. There will be more information available which will be presented at the March 8 Public Safety Committee meeting. Dave explained some of the equipment that is anticipated to be received.

Weights and Measures

Chairman Bennett called on Al Chamberlain for his report. Copies of the recent draft for county law on item pricing were handed out for discussion.

Al explained the main reason for this legislation is to have enforcement when their is a complaint received of a problem.

Mr. Pisano from the Giant Food Mart was present to discuss the legislation. He was concerned of the ten-fold refund proposed for transactions of product pricing. His other concern was being able to comply with the size requirements of lettering on the shelf edge stickers.

Discussion was made on changing the refund amount and also the length of time for compliance of the regulations.

Chairman Bennett requested that Al adjust the draft document and address it again at the next Public Safety Committee meeting.

For public awareness, it was recommended to explain this is not just a "supermarket" regulation but effects other retailers as well.

Chairman Walchli thanked Mr. Pisano for attending the meeting and giving the committee his input.

Discussed the need for purchase of some weights and measures equipment. In purchase the set of measuring devices there is a need for an additional \$100 in the .2 equipment account.

Motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax, the committee moved a resolution to transfer the funds from .4 to .2 equipment account. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

Service

Chairman Bennett called on Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator, for his report.

A memorandum was submitted for a resolution to amend Resolution #280-94 to reflect the 1995 date.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Graffrath the request was approved. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

Keith updated the committee on the project to install dry hydrants in the county. Letters are being sent out to local jurisdictions to get an indication of the interest and comments.

There will be a training session at the North Java Fire Department on dry hydrant systems and installation.

Keith noted there have not been any state cuts in the 1995 fire service training budget.

It was also noted of lack of attendance at a recently held haz mat training course.

Volunteerism was discussed. Mr. Graffrath noted that possibly Cooperative Extension may be able to assist with public awareness on the need for volunteers. There was concern that not all governments would participate and it would not make it fair to adjoining communities.

Keith noted he would use any ideas or assistance to help keep and obtain more volunteers.

Some of the disincentives were discussed including OSHA regulations, training and equipment requirements.

The Junior Fire Program is being used effectively locally to get younger people interested.

Office of Emergency Services

Chairman Bennett called on John Tucker, Director, for his report.

It was noted that Mercy Flight has agreed to do some CPR training for the county. The DPW employees will be recertified and possibly the sheriff's deputies will be recertified.

An update was given on the county photo I.D. card project. The cards are being ordered and cards will start to be produced shortly.

David Jennings, an instructor for the fire service, has been asked to possibly provide a training program for emergency vehicle operations. He will be attending the next EMS Council meeting and talking to the volunteer ambulance squads.

The meeting adjourned at 5:35.

MEMORANDUM OF EXPLANATION

Intro. No. _____
(Clerk's Use Only)

COMMITTEE: Public Safety

DATE: 2/28/95

The fire service requests an amendment to Resolution 280-94 to reflect 1995. (copy of resolution 280-94 attached)

\$431.00 appropriated to A3410.454 in the 1995 budget.

FISCAL IMPACT:

For further information regarding this matter, contact:

Keith Barber, Fire Service
Name and Department

268-5290
Telephone Number

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Keith Barber, Fire Service
Name and Department

268-5290
Telephone Number

TITLE: APPROPRIATION OF NON-BUDGETED HAZARDOUS MATERIALS PLANNING
FEDERAL GRANT IN AID TO FIRE SERVICE ACCOUNT

Offered by: Public Safety and Finance Committees

RESOLVED:

1. That the sum of \$431 in non-budgeted Federal grant in aid is appropriated to Account No. A3410.4, with a like sum credited to Revenue Account No. A4306, for Haz Mat planning purposes.

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I, Linda J. Canfield, Clerk of the Board of Legislators of the County of Allegany, State of New York do hereby certify that the foregoing constitutes a correct copy of the original on file in my office and the whole thereof of a resolution passed by said Board on the 12th day of December, 1994.

Linda J. Canfield Dated at Belmont, New York this 12th day of December, 1994
Clerk Board of Legislators Allegany County

Moved by Bonnett Seconded by Tracy NOTE: Ayes 139 Nays 0 Absent 109 Voice _____
Stevens absent: Gallman

Public Safety Committee Meeting

March 8, 1995

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Keith Palmiter
Ron Truax
Ed Sherman
Jim Graffrath
John Margeson

John Tucker
Keith Barber
Al Chamberlain
David Sirianni

Advisory Board Reps:
Bob Lester

Dennis Rumfelt

Guests: Fay Gibson, DSS
Dan Martelle, Wellsville ambulance

NOT
APPROVED

J. Margeson

MAR 13 1995

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

Motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax, the minutes of the February 28, 1995 Public Safety Committee meeting were approved.

Chairman Bennett requested approval for pay vouchers for Chairman Bennett's attendance to the Fire Advisory Board and Mr. Truax's attendance to the Ben County Jail Complex tour.

Motion by Mr. Sherman and seconded by Mr. Graffrath, approval for the vouchers was given.

Chairman Bennett called on Dan Martelle from the Wellsville Ambulance Corps to discuss heavy rescue service for the county.

Chairman noted he had checked with the Corps' insurance carrier to see if there would be cost savings by not having to carry the insurance coverage required by the county. This insurance requirement would be part of the contract if maintained.

Chairman noted if a contract was in place, the ambulance corps would be responsible for coverage of damaged equipment but by using county mutual the requesting department would be responsible.

Chairman discussed was the matter of county owned equipment used by the ambulance corps.

Motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Graffrath, the committee approved the proposal to convey the equipment to the Village of Wellsville for one dollar. It was noted that the inventory list had been reviewed and items such as hazardous materials equipment would remain with the county. NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

Chairman decided to go into executive session at the end of the meeting to discuss the heavy rescue service contract.

Probation Department

Chairman Bennett called on Dave Sirianni, Director, for his report.

Dave noted he had recently received the contract with the vendor for the electronic home detention equipment. Some items will be clarified such as the starting date of the contract.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax, the committee approved the contract with corrections. NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

Dave requested committee approval to fill a vacancy in his department. This is a typist position. Contact has been made with the personnel department for the eligibility list.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the committee approved the request.

Another position in the Probation Department is vacant because of retirement and Dave noted he is not requesting approval at this time to fill that position.

Weights and Measures

Chairman Bennett called on Al Chamberlain, Sealer, for his report.

The latest revision of the proposed pricing law was reviewed and discussed. The changes as discussed at the previous meeting were noted.

Also changed was the implementation time from sixty days to ninety days.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Sherman the committee approved the proposed legislation as presented. Approval was made by the committee to have a date set for the public hearing.

Al commented, on behalf of the Belfast Fire Department, that the department was not in favor of a county contract for heavy rescue service with the Wellsville Ambulance Corps. They would accept the mutual aid coverage as it exists.

Fire Service

Mr. Palmiter asked Keith if the E911 project is still scheduled to start in May. Keith noted he did not believe so as the phone company has not delivered any equipment as yet. Work is still being done on the phone company's data base and determining correct fire numbers for all residents.

Office of Emergency Services

Chairman Bennett called on John Tucker, Director, for his report.

John explained that a number of county departments are interested in computer mapping programs. It is hoped that multiple programs, if obtained, would be capable of sharing information or data.

Other

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman to go into executive session to discuss a contract matter.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Palmiter the committee moved out of executive session.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Sherman the committee moved to not continue a contract with the Wellsville Ambulance Corps for county heavy rescue service.

The meeting adjourned at 8:15.

Public Safety Committee Meeting

April 12, 1995

NOT
APPROVED

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Keith Palmiter
Ron Truax
Ed Sherman
Jim Graffrath
John Margeson

John Tucker
Keith Barber
Al Chamberlain
David Sirianni
Larry Scholes

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Fire Advisory Board Reps:

Bob Lester
Gib Helmer
Bill Greene

Dick Sortore
Dick Smith

Media: Wellsville Daily Reporter

Cuba Patriot

Guests: Fay Gibson, DSS
Dennis Rumfelt, Youth Fire Program
Jim Rumfelt, Youth Fire Program
Deb Aumick, Youth Fire Program

J. Margeson

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 4:03 p.m.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax, the minutes of the March 8, 1995 Public Safety Committee meeting were approved.

Two requests for financial compensation were submitted. Attendance by Mr. Sherman to the recent Fire Advisory Board meeting and attendance by Mr. Graffrath to the Steuben County jail tour.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Bennett, approval was given to both requests.

It was noted that the next Fire Advisory Board meeting will be May 25.

Fire Service

Chairman Bennett called on Dennis Rumfelt, representing the Youth Fire Program for an update report.

Dennis noted that as of April 1, twelve (12) individuals have been taken into the program.

In May there will be a group counseling session.

Copies were handed out of information regarding the program and some budget figures with expenditures.

Most of the funds have been used for advertising and public awareness such as posters, cards and pens. These have been very effective in promoting awareness of the program.

It is felt that this program will be of great benefit to the county.

Mr. Graffrath asked if possibly additional funding could be obtained from the insurance companies. Dennis noted that some materials such as video tapes have been obtained at no charge.

Keith Barber was called on for a report.

Some information was presented on the recent Herdman fire in West Almond. A report was read that had been submitted by Angelica Fire Chief Paul Gallmann on the incident. Both Chief Gallmann and Keith commended the volunteers for their response to the fire. With only two minor injuries, it indicated the good training and capabilities of the volunteers.

Discussion was made to designate a day on an annual basis to honor our volunteers. On motion by Chairman Bennett and seconded by Mr. Palmiter, the committee requested that the Chairman of the Board make a proclamation during the county fire convention on this matter.

Some discussion was made on E-911 system. It was noted Steuben County is having problems deciding the location and number of the PSAPs. This may delay the progress of E-911 in Steuben County.

Probation Department

Chairman Bennett called on David Sirianni, Director, for his report.

An update was given on the electronic home detention program.

The current contract has been reviewed by both the county attorney and the county treasurer. It should be presented to the full board for approval on April 24.

Erie County and Niagara County are currently using the system and are pleased.

Weights and Measures

Chairman Bennett called on Al Chamberlain for his report.

Discussion was made on the item pricing legislation.

Various aspects such as size of shelf edge labels and use of scanners were discussed.

Mr. Graffrath felt more attention should be made to the smaller retail stores in the county. They may have a harder time in complying.

It was felt that gasoline and raffle ticket sales should not be used in determining volume sales for the regulation.

Even without the legislation instituted, it was felt the public has become more aware of this matter.

Office of Emergency Services

Chairman Bennett called on John Tucker, Director, for his report.

An update was given on the photo I.D. project for the county.

Most of the cards have been issued and it was felt the project has gone well.

John was thanked for his help on the project.

It was agreed that future new employees should be issued cards by the personnel department. John stated he would help photograph and laminate any new employees' cards.

Another matter discussed was access to the complex after regular working hours. The Sheriff was asked to re-implement the use of a sign-in book.

The meeting adjourned at 5:05.

NO
APPROVED

MAY 10 1995

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

May 10, 1995

J. Margeson

Present: Kenneth Nielsen, Alton Sylor, Edmund Burdick,
William Dibble, John Walchli, Douglas Dillon,
Jack Rosell, John Margeson.

Minutes of the April 6, 1995 meeting were approved by motion from E. Burdick, seconded by W. Dibble and carried.

The Board of Elections staff and Paul Rundell, Associate Administrative Analyst with State Board of Elections explained to the committee the process and price of converting to a signature imaging system. It was the decision of the Committee that John Margeson work with the Elections Commissioners on this and report back at the June meeting.

Linda Canfield received names proposed from the committee to serve on the Board of Ethics. She will report at the June meeting with names of those willing to serve on the board.

Workers' Compensation

D. Dillon reviewed with the committee the March year-to-date actual vs. budget. Doug believes they will run close to the budget the rest of the year.

Doug discussed with the committee the methods of assessment of Towns and Villages currently at 80% assessment, 20% experience. Motion was made by E. Burdick, seconded by A. Sylor to change the local law to show 70% assessment and 30% experience for 1996 and 60% assessment and 40% experience for 1997. Motion carried. PREPARE

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It was also approved by the committee to update any wording in the local law as necessary. Doug will review this with the County Attorney.

Doug reviewed with the committee six hearings held in Belmont April 26th and April 27th.

Discussion was held regarding safety dinners for firemen and ambulance crews. Doug will look into this.

Jack reported that the early retirement incentive offered by the State was not acceptable for the County.

John shared with the committee that he has been in contact with AFSCME Union regarding employee evaluations. The Union has problems with the concept. John has asked the Union that the concerns be put in writing to him. The Union has also suggested that the union salary plan needs to be looked at by an independent firm.

Meeting adjourned.

Public Safety Committee Meeting

May 10, 1995

NOT APPROVED

ent: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Jim Graffrath
Ed Sherman
Keith Palmiter
Ron Truax
Bill Dibble

Patty Regan
Keith Barber
John Tucker
Al Chamberlain

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Advisory Board Reps:
Dick Smith

Dick Sortore

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a: Cuba Patriot

ts: Kate Hollis

J. Margeson

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax, the minutes of the
May 12, 1995 Public Safety Committee meeting were approved.

Probation Department

Chairman Bennett noted he had received a request from Dave Sirianni,
Coordinator, for approval of \$10.00 for dues for one of the probation
officers to the Area One Probation Officers Association.

motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the committee
approved the request.

DWI

Chairman Bennett called on Patty Regan, Coordinator, for her report.

She discussed some 1994 program activities. The fine monies received
covered the budget expenses of the department. The 1995 budget
figures are to be in good shape and should be adequate for the program.

A copy of the STOP/DWI related arrest report was handed out listing the
New York local law enforcement and state police figures.

A sample of the magnetic signs used for the DWI "Special Patrols" was
presented. These signs are placed on police vehicles while involved in the
stop and search patrol program.

She explained that New York State has set a goal to try to reduce DWI
and fatalities by public awareness and other programs.

She mentioned some of the local SADD activities as well as plans for the
chemical-free prom parties.

A request was made for Patty to try to obtain statistics on the repeat
offenders in the arrest figures.

Office of Emergency Services

Chairman Bennett called on John Tucker, Director, for his report.

A memorandum of explanation was submitted requesting approval to renew the agreement with the N.Y. State Health Department for the county to continue to sponsor EMS training programs. This agreement would be for the 1995-1997 period.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax, approval for the resolution was given. NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

Weights and Measures

Chairman Bennett noted there will be a special meeting scheduled to address the item pricing legislation proposal.

Fire Service

Chairman Bennett called on Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator, for his report.

Keith reported on the recent grass and forest fire in the Bolivar-Alma area. Statistics were given of the many local departments that responded to the mutual aid incident. Other agencies such as the DEC and county DPW also assisted as well as heavy equipment obtained from a local contractor.

Keith thanked all that were involved for their assistance, especially the county DPW for equipment and fuel.

The dry hydrant project was discussed. Questionnaires have been sent to local departments to determine interest. Keith had attended a seminar on these systems in North Java.

It was noted that engineering expertise will be required to correctly site the units. Soil and Water Conservation District staff will be assisting.

There is a 911 dispatchers training course scheduled in Cattaraugus County. Keith noted that currently, he does not have sufficient training funds to send all the dispatchers.

Keith noted the county had 100% compliance in 1994 for submitting the Basic Field Incident Reports (BFIR) required for all incidents by the State.

Recently Keith met with a representative of the Center for Governmental Research whom is doing consulting work on rural numbering and address systems.

There may be a need to obtain some expertise with the Allegany County system. The committee directed Keith to obtain more information and costs on this assistance.

It was asked that SAIA Communications be allowed to attend the next Public Safety Committee meeting to present some proposals for communications upgrade and enhancement. The committee approved the request.

The current telephone lease line charges for the Wellsville Madison Hill tower was discussed.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the committee approved to have the lease line dropped.

Other

There was discussion on the audit as to the Assigned Counsel billing for individuals given assigned counsel. It was explained that the judges have the authority to set these expenditures.

Chairman Bennett noted of previous discussion of the possibility of an outside-operated juvenile detention facility in the county. If developed, it may save the county expenses in transport by the sheriff's department.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Palmiter, the committee approved a request by Keith Barber to move into executive session to discuss a personnel matter.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax, the committee moved out of executive session.

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Public Safety Committee Meeting

June 14, 1995

NOT
APPROVED

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Jim Graffrath
Ed Sherman
Keith Palmiter
Ron Truax
John Margeson
John Walchli, Jr.

David Sirianni
Keith Barber
John Tucker
Patty Regan
Al Chamberlain
Larry Scholes
Bill Timberlake

Advisory Board Reps:

Dick Smith
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Dick Sortore
Gib Helmer

J. Margeson

Guests: Cuba Patriot

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Guests: Mike Saia, SAIA Communications
Wellsville High School Students

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m.

Motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the minutes of the June 10, 1995 Public Safety Committee meeting were approved.

Service

Chairman Bennett called on Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator, for his report.

Mr. Barber introduced Mike Saia from SAIA Communications who was asked to present some information and recommendations on the county's communications system. A Motorola console was displayed and it was recommended that it be replaced by a smaller console currently being used by the fire department. It would be smaller with more capabilities.

Mr. Barber noted in Fred Wood's report, most of the current communications equipment is becoming outdated and is in need of replacement.

Mr. Barber indicated that when the E-911 system goes on-line, two of the Motorola consoles could be used for fire, EMS and the sheriff's dispatching consoles.

Mr. Barber also noted that Mike Saia has been working on a project to propose to change the tone assignments for sirens and pagers in the county.

Mr. Barber noted that the current tones being used are not conducive to the county system and will not allow for use of some newer equipment.

In other discussion the committee authorized Keith to develop proposals and estimates to upgrade the system. Additionally, it was requested to see if a lease program would cost.

Mr. Barber indicated he will develop figures to be included in his budget report for 1996.

Other discussion included Fred Wood's recommendations for not only replacing older equipment but the enhancement of the entire system.

Keith introduced Deb Aumick who is working with the county's Juvenile Fire Program. Deb gave a report on current and past activities. For the first quarter of the 1995 year, twelve youths have been taken into the program. May 8 was the start of the group counseling sessions. Individual referrals will continue to be received year round but the group counseling session will not be held during the summer months.

It was explained that Al Emerson, a retired BCI fire investigator and instructor will be assisting the program as a consultant.

An awareness and public relations program will be conducted during the annual fire prevention week starting this year to make the community more aware of this vital project. The committee thanked Ms. Aumick for her assistance and involvement on this vital project.

Keith requested that Board Chairman Walchli sign a proclamation to honor the volunteer fireman and recognize their vital service to the county. The proclamation will be presented at the July 10 Board meeting, just prior to the County Firemens Convention.

Keith noted of previously discussed information on the E-911 project. Estimates have been received from the Center for Governmental Research to assist with the updating of the county numbering system. Keith also had information from a consultant who has assisted surrounding counties with their systems. He will be getting an estimate for costs from him.

Some discussion was made to the idea of building an addition at the rear entrance area of the sheriff's department to locate the E-911 dispatch center.

This would allow the sheriff's dispatcher to remain in that area and eliminate the need for an additional sheriff's staff if it were to be located at the current fire dispatch location.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Graffrath, the committee referred the matter to the Public Works Committee for investigation.

STOP/DWI

Chairman Bennett called on Patty Regan, Coordinator, for her report.

Patty noted of the recently held simulated auto accident at the Wellsville High School. This was a drill for ambulance, fire and rescue simulating a two car drunk driving related accident. Patty thanked all the agencies that were involved and noted it was very effective.

A report on the May 27 "Blanket Patrol" was given. A handout noted of the various DWI related arrests. Patty thanked the sheriff's department for their involvement along with the local police departments.

Patty noted she is working with the various county SADD chapters on future activities and projects.

Probation Department

Chairman Bennett called on Dave Sirianni, Director, for his report.

A memorandum was submitted requesting a resolution for county board approval of the "Alternatives to Incarceration Plan" renewal.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax the committee approved the request. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

Another memorandum was submitted requesting a resolution for approval to create a revenue line in the probation budget to accept daily fees for the use of the Electronic Home Detention system.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Palmiter, the committee approved the request. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

Dave noted that a training session will be held next week for his staff to operate the electronic home detention equipment. As soon as training is completed, the program will start.

Dave asked the committee for consideration to designate the county D.S.S. as the agency for detention of PINS and juvenile delinquent individuals.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Sherman the matter was referred to the Human Services Committee.

Dave asked for approval to replace one of his staff members who has retired. The request is to promote a typist to the account clerk typist position and fill the vacated typist position.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman the request was approved.

Dave noted that the recently submitted grant application for funds for the Juvenile Intensive Supervision Program was turned down by the State. The application will be resubmitted.

Dave reported on the "Project 360" program which is to defer potential state prison inmates.

Approximately \$28,000 may be anticipated in revenue if three prisoners are diverted from going to state prisons during the year.

Weights and Measures

Chairman Bennett called on Al Chamberlain, Director for his report.

Copies were handed out of a pricing accuracy legislation proposal from the State Association.

Mr. Walchli noted a committee will be formed of retail store reps and government reps to study item pricing legislation further.

Mr. Graffrath noted the State should be doing item pricing compliance along with the scanner accuracy checks.

Al noted that there will be an increase in the state revenue for the county to perform gasoline and diesel fuel testing, the total will be \$1,350.

A request was made for the county to approve the testing contract and the increase of funds by resolution.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax the committee approved the request. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

Sheriff's Department

Chairman Bennett called on Sheriff Scholes for his report.

Larry noted that a staff member, Donna Johnson, is retiring and a request was submitted to authorize the sheriff to fill that position.

On motion by Mr. Sherman and seconded by Mr. Graffrath, the committee approved the request.

Larry requested that the committee go into executive session to discuss a personnel matter.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Palmiter the committee went into executive session.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the committee moved out of executive session.

A resolution was requested to authorize the creation of two lieutenants positions in the sheriff's department.

On motion by Mr. Sherman and seconded by Mr. Graffrath, the committee approved the request. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax, the committee approved authorization to fill the positions, if created.

Other

Chairman Bennett requested approval for a pay voucher for Mr. Truax for attending a meeting on May 10, 1995.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the committee approved the request.

The meeting adjourned at 6:30.

Public Safety Committee Meeting

July 11, 1995

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Keith Palmiter
Ed Sherman
Ron Truax
Jim Graffrath
Keith Barber

Fire Advisory Board Reps:
Bob Lester
Dick Smith
Gib Helmer

Guest: George Filgrove

Host: Faye Gibson

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J. Margeson

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Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 7:05.

Motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Graffrath the minutes of the July 14, 1995 Public Safety Committee were approved.

Per diem payment request was submitted for Mr. Sherman for attending the July 25 Fire Advisory Board meeting. The payment was approved on motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Palmiter.

Fire Service

Chairman Bennett called on Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator, for his report.

Keith reminded everyone of the County Firemen's Convention starting July 12.

Concerning communications, Keith noted a request has been made for four additional frequencies plus three control frequencies for the fire radio system.

Repeaters have been ordered for Whitesville and Canaseraga.

It was noted the fire service budget has increased 4.4% for the 1996 fiscal year.

Motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman the meeting adjourned at 8:22.

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Public Safety Committee Meeting

August 9, 1995

AUG 14 1995

nt: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Keith Palmiter
Ed Sherman
Ron Truax
Jim Graffrath
John Walchli, Jr.
Keith Barber
John Tucker
David Sirianni
Patty Regan
Larry Scholes

Advisory Board Reps:
Bob Lester
Dick Smith
Gib Helmer
Bill Greene

: Daily Reporter
Patriot

s: Faye Gibson
Mrs. Bennett

man Bennett called the meeting to order at 7:04.



tion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Sherman the minutes of the
11, 1995 Public Safety Committee were approved.

man Bennett scheduled a special Public Safety Committee meeting on
t 15, 1995 to review the departments' 1996 budget requests. Specific
will be scheduled that day for each department.

DWI

man Bennett called on Patty Regan, Coordinator, for her report.

s were handed out showing DWI related arrests for 1995. Also handed
as a progression listing of STOP/DWI office activities.

noted of meetings held with local judges to discuss the STOP/DWI
am.

activities of her office were discussed including shared services
the probation department.

will be a Western New York STOP/DWI Administrators' meeting on August
sted by Allegany County.

Sheriff's Department

man Bennett called on Sheriff Scholes for his report.

ogram was submitted requesting a resolution to renew the Court
ty Contract with the State.

ion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the request was
ed. NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

noted currently the full time position for the magnetometer is being
by part time deputies.

Probation Department

Chairman Bennett called on David Sirianni, Director, for his report.

Dave updated the committee on the electronic monitoring program. Currently, of the ten units acquired, seven are in use. Tomorrow, an additional unit will go into service.

177 days of jail time has been freed up as well as recouping most of the costs to date for the equipment in the fees charged. Extra units will be available if needed.

Dave reported on the "Project 360" State prison diversion program. The plan submitted by the county has been accepted. Revenue funds are anticipated as a result of compliance.

The Juvenile Intensive Supervision Program was noted. The previous plan to implement this program was denied but Dave noted Allegany County may be approved.

Dave requested a resolution to allow the Probation Department to charge fees to do drug testing.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman the committee approved the request. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

Fire Service

Chairman Bennett called on Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator, for his report.

Keith updated the committee on the communications project. One repeater has been installed on Alma Hill as well as one in the Canaseraga area. These units should greatly improve communications coverage in those areas.

Additional radio licenses for more frequencies have been applied for.

Office of Emergency Services

Chairman Bennett called on John Tucker, Director, for his report.

A memorandum was submitted to request renewal of the FBI radio tower space lease agreement for 1995-96.

After discussion the committee approved the renewal with an increase of fees from \$600 to \$660 for the year, on motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

John explained the request made by the Labor-Management Safety Committee to have the Public Safety Committee consider raising the parking ticket fine for the county complex parking area. It is felt that an increase in the fine would be a better deterrent. One suggestion was to double the fine for second offenses.

John was asked to see if records would reflect if there are a lot of second offenses.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman the meeting adjourned at 5:25 p.m.

MEMORANDUM OF EXPLANATION

Intro. No. _____
(Clerk's Use Only)

COMMITTEE: PUBLIC SAFETY

DATE: 08-09-95

Request Board Resolution authorizing the Sheriff to sign the amendment to the Agreement with the Office of Court Administration for Court Security.

This agreement provides for state reimbursement for 100% of County monies expended to provide deputies for security in our courts.

FISCAL IMPACT:

\$78,300 will be expended by the County. \$78,300 will be reimbursed by the State.

For further information regarding this matter, contact:

Sheriff L. W. Schales
Name and Department

268-9200
Telephone Number

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PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

August 15, 1995

PRESENT: R. Bennett, K. Palmiter, R. Truax, E. Sherman,
J. Graffrath

J. Margeson

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Patricia Regan presented her 1996 STOP-DWI budget request. The Budget Officer version of the budget was approved on motion of R. Truax, seconded by Edgar Sherman.

James Euken presented his 1996 budget request, the Budget Officer version of which was approved on motion of J. Graffrath, seconded by R. Truax.

David Sirianni presented his 1996 budget request, the Budget Officer version of which was approved on motion of R. Truax, seconded by K. Palmiter.

Larry Scholes and Bill Timberlake presented the 1996 budget requests for the Sheriff's Department, Jail and Drug Task Force, the Budget Officer versions of which were approved on motion of R. Truax, seconded by E. Sherman.

Alan Chamberlain presented the 1996 budget request for the Office of the Sealer of Weights and Measures the Budget Officer version of which was approved on motion of R. Truax, seconded by J. Graffrath.

Keith Barber presented the 1996 budget requests for Fire Service and E-911 the Budget Officer versions of which were approved on motion of E. Sherman, seconded by K. Palmiter.

John Tucker presented the 1996 budget request for the Office of Emergency Services the Budget Officer's version of which was approved on motion of R. Truax, seconded by J. Graffrath.

John Margeson advised the committee that W. Joseph Embser, Administration of the Assigned Counsel Program could not be at the meeting but that the Budget Officer had reduced the appropriation used to pay the attorneys from \$120,000. to \$110,000. The committee approved the cut and advised Chairman Bennett to initial the budget form when returned by Embser to the Board of Legislators.

Meeting adjourned at 3:25 p.m.

Public Safety Committee Meeting

September 13, 1995

NOT
APPROVED

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Keith Palmiter
Ed Sherman
Ron Truax
Jim Graffrath
Sue Myers
John Margeson

Keith Barber
John Tucker
David Sirianni
Patty Regan
Larry Scholes

Fire Advisory Board Reps:
Bob Lester
Dick Smith

Dick Sortore
Bill Greene

SEP 19 1995

Guests: Major Perez, Sgt. Janis - NY State Police
Scott Sherwood - Center for Governmental Research
Art McLaughlin - SUNY, Alfred
John Pfahler
Faye Gibson



Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 7:05.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax, the minutes of the August 15, 1995 Public Safety Committee were approved.

Chairman Bennett submitted a per diem payment request for Mr. Graffrath for attendance to a recent Fire Advisory Board meeting.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax the committee approved the request.

Major Perez, Troop A Commander and Sgt. Janis, Zone Sgt. of the NY State Police were welcomed.

Some discussion was made about law enforcement in the county and using the recent incident in Andover, Major Perez indicated good inter-agency cooperation. The sheriff's department and local police departments were thanked for their continued support in activities throughout the county.

Major Perez gave specific support to the E911 system to be used in the county which should increase the capability of law enforcement as well as fire and ambulance service. It was indicated the need for improved communications between agencies.

Sheriff Scholes thanked the State Police for its help in assisting with law enforcement.

Chairman Bennett also thanked Major Perez and noted the State Police are the only law enforcement available in some areas of the county.

Mr. Graffrath requested that the State Police review their policy for assessing the road conditions during severe winter weather.

A discussion was made of the concern for the status of the snow removal tracts and the townships involvement of monitoring county roads.

Enforcement is very cautious about using the policy of closing roads under these conditions. Sheriff Scholes also noted of this.

It was agreed that a good public education program should be done to make the public aware and to be concerned with this matter.

Sherman thanked the State Police for recent assistance and quick response to an incident in the Town of Genesee.

Chairman Bennett thanked the State Police for attending the meeting and it was suggested that additional meetings should be conducted which would assist with agency coordination.

Fire Service

Chairman Bennett called on Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator, for his report.

Keith introduced Scott Sherwood from the Center for Governmental Research and Art McLaughlin of Alfred, SUNY. Previous discussion was made concerning the use of a consulting service to assist with the update and computerization of the county's rural numbering system and its relationship to the E911 system.

Sherwood presented information on how he could assist the county with updating, corrections and computerization using the Geographic Information System (GIS). It was agreed that because of the technical nature of this project, assistance will be needed.

A proposal package was submitted for the county to consider.

It was noted that students in Art McLaughlin's engineering-survey department are looking for a community project where they could assist and a rural numbering program would be an excellent project.

In support of E911, Sue Myers introduced John Pfahler from the Richburg fire department. Mr. Pfahler noted of a fire at his residence and the problem of the fire department in locating him. It was felt with the computerized mapping the actual location would be easier to find.

Keith Barber noted that the location and the road given, were not on the county map. He commended the dispatcher with what information was available.

Keith noted of a proposal that was submitted by Harold Miller of Erie County for less money but did not indicate the use of computerized mapping).

The committee felt the additional benefit of having the computerized mapping and instructed Keith to proceed with Mr. Sherwood's services, on motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Sherman.

Margeson noted he will contact other counties to see what their existing contracts look like.

TOP/DWI

Chairman Bennett called on Patty Regan, Coordinator, for her report.

A copy of a letter was handed out thanking Patty for allowing Christopher Cernik to attend the regional STOP/DWI Coordinators meeting held in Angelica.

Mr. Cernik met with local judges and discussed some of the state legislation effecting local communities.

Patty noted on September 19 there will be a regional SADD conference for local schools. Workshops will be conducted with activities for students and SADD chapter advisors.

Patty noted of promotional information being used for the "Blanket Patrol" project.

Sheriff's Department

Chairman Bennett called on Sheriff Scholes for his report.

Harry requested approval to transfer \$750.00 from 3110.421 (education/school) to 3110.425 (clothing).

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the committee approved the transfer.

A resolution was requested to transfer \$17,000 from 3170.447 (other correction agencies) to 3150.447 (jail medical). On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Sherman, approval was given. NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

Prepare Resolution

Another resolution was requested to create a full-time deputy position for court security. This position is fully reimbursed by the state.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Palmiter the committee approved the request. NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

Probation Department

Chairman Bennett called on David Sirianni, Director, for his report.

A request was submitted for a resolution to have the county continue the Intensive Supervision Program.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the committee approved the request. NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution

Mr. Sirianni gave a status report on the Electronic Home Detention program. Fifteen units have been put into use and continues to lessen the jail population. It is working very good thus far. Some discussion was made on moving units from other locations.

Office of Emergency Services

Chairman Bennett called on John Tucker, Director, for his report.

John Tucker reported on his recent attendance at the NY State Disaster Preparedness Conference in Albany. There were some excellent workshops

such as a representative from the NY City Police Department involved in the Search and Rescue Team at the Oklahoma Bombing incident. Also, police in New York City who responded to the Twin Towers bombing.

Other

It was noted that there will be no Fire Advisory Board meeting this month.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15.

MEMORANDUM OF EXPLANATION

Intro. No. _____
(Clerk's Use Only)

COMMITTEE: Public Safety

DATE: 9/13/95

A Resolution is requested to create a full-time Deputy Sheriff to provide security at the Courthouse in Belmont for County, Family and Supreme Court.

This position would be fully reimbursed as per contract with the State Office of Court Administration.

Should at any time this position no longer be reimbursed by the State of New York, this position would automatically be abolished.

FISCAL IMPACT:

For further information regarding this matter, contact:

William A. Schalk
Name and Department

268-9200
Telephone Number

MEMORANDUM OF EXPLANATION

Intro. No. _____
(Clerk's Use Only)

COMMITTEE: Public Safety

DATE: September 13, 1995

A Resolution is requested to transfer \$17,000.00 from 3170.447 other Correction Agencies to 3150.447 Jail Medical .

At 67% of Audits the Jail Medical stands at 92% expended and Other Correctional Agencies stand at 52% expended.

FISCAL IMPACT:

For further information regarding this matter, contact:

Shirley L. Schuler
Name and Department

268-9200
Telephone Number

Public Safety Committee Meeting

October 11, 1995

OCT 12 1995

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Keith Palmiter
Ed Sherman
Ron Truax
Jim Graffrath
John Margeson
John Walchli
Bill Dibble

Keith Barber
John Tucker
David Sirianni
Al Chamberlain
Larry Scholes

NOT APPROVED

Fire Advisory Board Reps:
Dick Smith

Dick Sortore

J. Margeson

Media: Cuba Patriot - John Arden Hopkins

Guest: Scott Sherwood - Center for Governmental Research

Chairman Bennett called the meeting to order at 4:05.

On motion by Mr. Sherman and seconded by Mr. Truax, the minutes of the September 13, 1995 Public Safety Committee were approved.

A request was submitted to approve mileage and expenses for Chairman Bennett attending the County Firemen's Convention in Andover.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Graffrath the committee approved the request.

Probation Department

Chairman Bennett called on Dave Sirianni, Director, for his report.

A resolution was requested to apply \$600 to revenue account A021580.04 and the same amount to the department's A3140.408 general supplies account. These funds are from drug test fees.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Sherman, the committee approved the request. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

Sheriff's Department

Chairman Bennett called on Sheriff Scholes for his report.

A request was submitted to approve the purchase of a new sheriff's vehicle.

Additional funding will be obtained from the mental health office (\$2,000) and some drug forfeiture money (\$1,500) will also be used.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax, the committee approved the request.

A request was made for a resolution to allow the county to renew the contracts to participate in the Southern Tier Regional Drug Task Force. There are two agreements, one for the overall program and one allowing Cattaraugus County to administer the pool of funds.

On motion by Mr. Palmiter and seconded by Mr. Truax the committee approved the request. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

John Margeson noted the need for a resolution to transfer \$100,000 from the 1990.4 contingency account to the sheriff's 3150.103 jail account.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Sherman the committee referred the matter to the Ways and Means Committee.

Weights and Measures

Chairman Bennett called on Al Chamberlain, Director, for his report.

Al discussed the item pricing legislation and asked if anything will be done on this matter. After discussion it was noted nothing formal is being done at this time.

Fire Service

Chairman Bennett called on Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator, for his report.

Copies of a proposed contract were passed out to obtain the services of Scott Sherwood of the Center for Governmental Research Inc. to assist with completion of the rural numbering system. This system for addressing county residents is required for the E911 telephone system.

On motion by Mr. Truax and seconded by Mr. Palmiter the committee approved the contract and directed the county attorney to prepare a resolution to that effect. **NOTE: County Attorney Prepare Resolution**

The committee also approved the transfer of \$90,500 within the fire service A3150 E-911 accounts for the contract.

Keith requested approval to send two dispatchers to the Fire Academy for dispatcher training.

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax, the committee approved the request.

Keith reported on the Joyce Hill radio tower. The old surplus generator used for emergency power has failed. A temporary replacement has been installed using the generator that was assigned to the county complex for portable backup.

Prices are being obtained for a new generator and will be installed in the near future.

Keith noted the bid packages have been sent out for prices on the new dispatch radio console. The deadline has been set for the next board meeting. Keith asked that a brief public safety committee meeting be held during that time to open and review bids.

Keith informed the committee that some additional radio frequencies have been obtained for use by the fire service. FCC approval should come shortly.

Office of Emergency Services

Chairman Bennett called on John Tucker, Director, for his report.

It was noted the EMS radio repeaters are being replaced. The one at the Alfred SUNY site was replaced because of failure. The next replacement will be at the Corbin Hill tower site in Belmont. The third site is in Cuba. This equipment is all over twenty-five years old, currently in use.

The meeting adjourned at 5:05.

Public Safety Committee Meeting (Special)

October 23, 1995

OCT 25 1995

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Jim Graffrath
Keith Palmiter
Ed Sherman
Ron Truax

Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator

NOT
APPROVED

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 pm by Chairman Rodney Bennett.

Bid Opening:

Bids were ordered to be opened, per legal advertising. One bid was received and that from SAIA Communications, Chaffee, New York in the amount of \$15,433. This bid was accepted on motion by Mr. Sherman and seconded by Mr. Graffrath. All members voting aye.

Budgetary Transfer

On motion by Mr. Graffrath and seconded by Mr. Truax, authorization was given to transfer \$90,500 from account number 3510.416 (telephone) to 3510.447 (public safety contracts). All members voting aye.

Public Safety Committee Meeting (Special)

October 23, 1995

OCT 25 1995

Present: Rod Bennett, Chairman
Jim Graffrath
Keith Palmiter
Ed Sherman
Ron Truax

Keith Barber, Fire Coordinator

NOT
APPROVED

J. Margeson

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