



City of Rock Falls Committee Meeting Minutes Police/Fire Committee

Date: Jan 24, 2013

Time Meeting Started: 5:13 pm

Time Meeting Ended: 5:50 pm

Members		Also Attended	
Chief Kuelper	A	Mayor Blanton	P
Chief J.W. Larson	P	Administrator Blanton	P
Alderman Schuneman	P	Commander Tammy Nelson	P
Alderman Vandersnick	P		
Alderman Snow	P		
Also Attended			

Topic	Discussion	Plan of Action
1. Call to order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting called to order at 5:13 pm 	
2. Review 2013 Dept Plans & Staffing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fire: Discussion of 20 year equipment purchase plan. Equipment purchase plan will be determine in part by administrative consolidation of RF/Stlg Depts. • Police: Discussion of status of squad cars, both marked and unmarked. Existing vehicles are high mileage and in need of replacement. Discussion of purchase plan using video gaming money in upcoming years to replace vehicles. 	No action
3. Potential Openings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fire: Possible retirements in 2013. Would like to hire more paid-on-call staff in 2013. • Police: Discussion of new hires in 2013, 1 officer was hired and is currently attending training. 2 more hires are upcoming and will be going to training in April. Discussion of officers potentially leaving the dept through retirement or other circumstances. • 	No action
4. Committee Member Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alderman Schuneman had questions regarding standards and protocols used for dispatching of multiple fire and ambulance units for minor traffic accidents. Chief Larson explained protocol and national standards used for dispatching. 	No action
5. Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting adjourned at 5:50 – no date set for next meeting. 	
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Committee Chairman