

## City of Rock Falls Police/Fire Committee Meeting Minutes

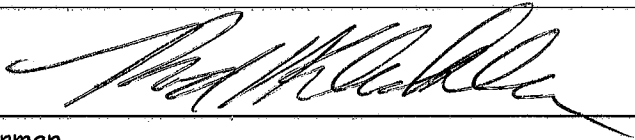
Date: 7/23/2020 Time Meeting Started: 4:30 p.m.

Time Meeting Ended: 4:50 p.m.

Members		Also Attended	
Chairman Folsom	A	Administrator Blackert	P
Alderman Kleckler	P	Mayor Wescott	P
Alderman Wangelin	P	Chief Nelson	P
		Casey Babel	P
X-Attended A-Absent			

Ordinance/Topic	Discussion	Plan of Action
Call to Order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Acting Chairman Kleckler called meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.</li> </ul>	
Audience Request	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NONE</li> </ul>	
Approve Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alderman Wangelin moved to approve the minutes of the January 23, 2020 meeting as presented, second by Alderman Kleckler, motion carried.</li> </ul>	Minutes approved
New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Chief Tammy Nelson presented a proposal for the purchase of a 2020 Ford Transit Van from Kunes for Tactical Team use by Rock Falls and Sterling joint tactical unit. Sterling has agreed to pay half of the cost which is \$14,000. Rock Falls will pay for their half using Task Force funds and the vehicle will be owned and insured by the City of Rock Falls. Motion was made by Alderman Wangelin to approve the purchase and send to Finance Committee, second by Alderman Kleckler, motion carried.</li> <li>B. Mayor Wescott gave a report on the status of hiring a new Fire Chief who will be the employee of the City of Sterling. The cost of the search by the Fire Association will be split between the Cities and the candidates will be interviewed by Skip Lee, Scott Shumard, Mayor Wescott and Administrator Blackert.</li> <li>C. Mayor Wescott gave a report on the status of hiring a new Police Chief. 5 applicants have applied, and interviews will take place the first week in August. Final two candidates will go to Personnel Committee.</li> </ul>	A. Send to Finance for Approval
Fire Chief Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No one was available from the Fire Department, however Deputy Chief Bouwens had sent photos showing the current status of the pumper that is being built.</li> </ul>	
Police Chief Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chief Nelson reported that both of the deployed officers are back and hopefully one will be able to serve as SRO if schools resume this fall due to COVID-19.</li> </ul>	
Committee Member Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NONE</li> </ul>	

Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Alderman Kleckler moved to adjourn, second by Alderman Wangelin, motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 4:50 p.m.</li></ul>	
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Rod Kleckler, Acting Chairman