

**City of Manchester
Safety Committee Meeting Minutes
February 18, 2020
5:30 pm**

Call the Meeting to Order:

Present for the meeting were Chairman Elam, Alderman Howard, Alderman Bellamy, Codes Director Sain, Police Chief Yother, Assistant Police Chief Adam Floied, and Fire Chief Chambers. Chairman Elam called the meeting to order.

Approval of the Minutes:

Alderman Howard made a motion to approve the November 19, 2019; December 17, 2019; and January 21, 2020, minutes and second by Alderman Bellamy. The motion passed 3-0.

Codes Department : Director Sain discussed the work comp training with all department supervisors on November 26, 2019, and had good attendance. Everyone with the exception of police have been trained to use the new SDS system. In the interdepartmental safety meeting we discussed two vehicle incidents involving the same vehicle. The emergency lighting in city hall has been replaced.

Police Department: Police Chief Yother discussed a partnership with the CCSD Task Force and has assigned MPD Deford to the task force. CCSD & MPD are sharing the cost of the task force. Chief Yother discussed promoting Deford with the committee. Alderman Elam made a motion to promote Deford and second by Alderman Bellamy. The motion passed 3-0. Chief Yother discussed having a reserve officer Justin Bryan and a discussion ensued. Chief Yother discussed a new process of evaluating the officers. Chief Yother discussed the Governors grant money that would be available for safety and a discussion ensued. Chief Yother discussed the drug fund money and buying cars has depleted the fund. Alderman Elam asked for the MPD and MFD to check on the population to make sure both departments are staffed properly.

Fire Department: Fire Chief Chambers discussed surplusizing the fire engine and a discussion ensued. Alderman Howard made a motion to approve surplusizing the engine and second by Alderman Elam. The motion passed 3-0. Chief Chambers discussed purchasing an exhaust system to Fire Station 2 and a discussion ensued. Alderman Elam made a motion to purchase the exhaust system and second by Alderman Bellamy. The motion passed 3-0. Chief Chambers discussed about the FEMA Grant and a discussion ensued. Alderman Bellamy made a motion to apply for the grant and second by Alderman Elam. The motion passed 3-0. Chief Chambers discussed January's report. Fire Chief discussed what his department needs out of the Governors Grant money.

No old business

No new business

Being no other business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 6:15 pm

SIGNATURE :

Safety Chairman