

**Police and Building Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**Thursday, January 27, 2022**  
**6:00 PM – 7:23 PM**

Present: David Brown, Rosetta M. York, Chief Mike Swick, Marlene Harris, Clint Crossen, Matt Tarr, Melissa Brooks and Gayle Glumac

- The Chief and Clint discussed building code updates to the Codebook. They would like to move from 2003 to the 2015 “International Building Code.” The Electric Department would also like to up date to the 2015 Codes (IPMC). Mike, Clint and Illinois Codification will review the 2015 codes and bring to council. Matt and Mike discussed a fine for generators improperly hooked up to city electrical system causing feedback. Also, discussed was no running water in occupied dwellings. 2015 Code would cover this issue.
- Clint asked for and received committee approval to add a couple building permit applications. The current long-form permit application would be simplified and/or altered for commercial, portable buildings, etc....
- Mike discussed updating vehicle computers. His proposal is city buying 3 and NPD buying 2. Mike would utilize some of his drug fund, etc. Car cameras, regular security cameras and DVR upgrades were discussed. Uptown cameras are 15 years old.
- The committee unanimously agreed to recommend to the full council that the monies be made available to demo one house or building the next fiscal years.
- Mike states that part-time officers Carter and Ruholl are slated to graduate March 19<sup>th</sup>.
- Mike recommends to the committee that part-time officer pay be increased from \$17.35 per hour to \$22.00 per hour.
- Mike also discussed upgrading to fiber optic internet.

**Meeting adjourned at 7:23 PM**

**David Brown, Chairman**