Minutes Public Safety Committee March 2, 2020 6:00 p.m. 4th committee meeting

Members present were Chairwoman Carol King, Committee members Dale Black and Mayor Merritt. Administrative Judge Angela Martin, Police Chief Bryan Turner and Brandon Madden, City Administrator, were also present. Fire Chief Bill Stewart was not present.

- 1. Call to Order- Chairwoman King
- 2. Public Comment- None
- 3. Reading and Approval of Minutes
 - a. Public Safety Committee Meeting: February 10, 2020 Councilman Black made a motion to accept the minutes with Mayor Merritt seconding. The vote was unanimous (3-0).
- 4. Reports or Communications from City Officers
 - a. Department Reports

Police Chief Bryan Turner Budget Review Chief Turner said the department is about 7% under budget

Administrative Judge Angela Martin Budget Review The department is 12% under budget

Fire Chief Bill Stewart
Budget Review
The Fire Department budget is about 5% under

- 5. Unfinished Business-
- 6. New Business
 - a. Mutual Aid Agreements

The City of Goose Creek and Horry County have requested our assistance with some ongoing cases. Both agencies are asking for a mutual aid agreement. Chief Turner said most of our mutual agreements are with closer agencies. These agencies are requesting assistance from us. If we need anything from either agency, we can request the same from them. Councilman Black asked if we had one with Horry County for a bike festival. Chief said that was North Myrtle Beach, and this is not a request for that festival.

Councilman Black made a motion to send this to council with Mayor Merritt seconding. The vote was unanimous (3-0).

- 7. Public Comment- None
- 8. Committee Concerns- None
- 9. Adjourn- Chairwoman King adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted Cindy Miller Municipal Clerk