

# **Temple-Greenville Police Joint Board**

## **Minutes of the Public Meeting**

January 6, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm by Chair Maggie Bickford of Greenville. In attendance were Doug Reardon of Greenville, Bill Ezell and George Willard of Temple, and Chief McTague.

### **Minutes**

Bill Ezell made a motion to accept the minutes for the December 5, 2019 meeting. Doug Reardon seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

### **Old Business**

It was asked if the heating system bill had been paid. Bill asked if the money should have been encumbered and it was decided that since it had been approved, it should have been and someone will check with Tara Sousa on the status.

There was discussion on the weekly metrics provided by Deb Morrison showing how many calls were taken by her and Vicki Moylan as well as the nature of those calls. The Chief brought the month of December's Calls for Service and ran through each one as to what they were for. The selectmen were shocked regarding the volume and variety of the calls and find the information very useful. This information will continue to be provided on a monthly basis.

Maggie was interested in how many slots are available for the Police Department. Chief replied there are four full-time and four part-time positions. One person had applied for a job but was found to be unsuitable.

### **New Business**

#### **Chief's Report**

The Chief was happy to report they made it through the holiday season with no issues and that the budget is finally determined.

He informed the selectmen he's submitted a request to send Sergeant Mike Needham to the FBI Command College in Chatham, MA. It's an excellent course and a good opportunity for Mike to learn some more management skills. The cost is \$795 plus the hotel – cost unknown at this time. Doug made a motion to approve the Chief's request to send Mike to school. Seconded by Maggie and it passed unanimously.

Doug made a motion to adjourn, George seconded and the meeting adjourned at 5:30 pm.

The next meeting will be on Monday, February 3, 2020 at 5:00 pm in Temple.