

Gananoque Police Service Board
July 15, 2010
Regular Minutes

Attendance

Chris McDonald
Graham Armstrong
Jim Garrah
Neil McCarney
Kai Liu

Regrets

Meeting called to order
Agenda – Sick Leave Credits.

Minutes of June 25, 2010 accepted.
Moved by Jim Garrah
2nd by Neil McCarney

Chief Reports

32% increase in ambulance calls for the month of June. Routine Order from 2005 that police respond to all 9-1-1 ambulance calls is to be revoked which will not require police to attend 9-1-1 ambulance calls only if requested by ambulance. 9-1-1 information can be inserted and distributed with water bills. There appears to be inconsistencies with data on log sheets. Check with Mike Reid regarding discrepancies. Officers names to be removed from statistical reports. Kingston Police to provide a copy of their 9-1-1 protocol. Neil McCarney stated he has not seen officers on foot or bike patrol.

Chief Liu provided an in-depth analysis of foot patrol from the last 6 months.

Noise By-Law has been revised removing times and residential/commercial restrictions areas. Noise is considered any noise that disturbs residents. By-Law to be presented at next Council Meeting to receive third reading. Once approved the fine will be \$115.00 plus victim surcharges. By-Law presented to PSB as information. Sgt. White sat on Noise By-Law Committee as advisory only. Nalon is attending Council meeting complaining that the Police/Police Services Board are not doing their job in relation to Noise By-Law.

Another complaint received from Jerry Carmichael in relation to parking and unloading of vehicles in centre lane in front of Gananoque Chev Olds.

Graffiti issue – 3 youths were arrested and charged in relation to the graffiti occurrences. Jim Garrah would like to see the Restorative Justice used in this issue. This method helps the accused develop empathy toward their victims. A By-Law is being created regarding the removal of graffiti.

Documentation distributed on Civil Remedies Grant. Information provided that GPS did not received their grant money but have another opportunity to re apply in next grant process.

Documentation was received from Linklater PS complimenting Cst. Mark Graham as well as copies of certificates from Carbine Instructors Course. Copy of certificate received by Carole Steacy for Window Application certificate was distributed.

FOI will be deferred to next PSB meeting.

By-Law Enforcement to be added on agenda for next meeting in August 2010.

Next Meeting Dates August 19, 2010 and September 16, 2010.