

LEWISVILLE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

February 7, 2023

Town Hall Conference Room #201

- I. **Call to Order** - Chair Cobert called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM. In attendance were Harlan Cobert, Chris Cobert, Robert Fitzpatrick, Aaron Hutmacher, Annemarie Stanford, Lewisville Fire Captain Jesse Levy, Vienna Fire Chief Tim Lasley, Sergeant Stringer and Town Manager James Ayers. Warren McMahan was absent.
- II. **Guest** – Veronica Thomas
- III. **Agenda Approval** – Chris Cobert moved to approve the agenda. Motion was seconded by Robert Fitzpatrick and motion was approved unanimously.
- IV. **Minutes Approval** – None
- V. **Public Safety Reports**
 - A. Forsyth County Sheriff's Office – Sergeant Stringer shared that Town officers responded to 62.7% of calls and noted the new shifts are working well.
 - B. Lewisville Fire Department – Volunteer levels at the department have dropped and this causes staffing concerns.
 - C. Vienna Fire Department – Chief Lasley reported the department has 41 volunteers and 7 full-time staff. In January, over 200 man-hours responded to calls with \$5 million worth of involvement. There is still no expected delivery date for the new truck.
- VI. **Old Business**
 - A. Emergency Operations Plan Update – Anne Marie Stanford moved to submit the proposed Emergency Operations Plan to staff. Motion was seconded by Aaron Hutmacher and motion passed unanimously.
- VII. **New Business**
 - A. CERT Training – CERT training has been scheduled for May 5-7, 2023 at the Mary Alice Warren Community Center.
 - B. Emergency Preparedness Day – The committee tentatively scheduled the 2023 Emergency Preparedness Day for October 14, 1:30-4:30 PM at Shallowford Square. This would be prior to the Bourbon Revival Band event. The event will be discussed more at the March meeting.
- VIII. **Clerk Report**
 - A. The requests made last month related to an EOC antenna and polo shirts will be considered as part of the upcoming budget process.
- IX. **For the Good of the Order**
 - A. Next regular scheduled meeting is March 7, 2023.

X. **Adjournment** – The meeting adjourned at 6:05 PM.

ATTEST:

Harlan Cobert, Chair

Dora K. Moore, Town Clerk