

EMERGENCY SERVICE AND POLICE  
COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES  
July 6, 2023

**In Attendance:**

**Members:** Councilman Ed Conley, Councilman Bob Hyatt

**City Staff:** Michele Brown, Miriam Jones, Lt Piles

**Guests:** Mike Shempert, Mayor Sean Wilson

**Media:** Darrell Maurina

**Absent:** Chairman Clarence Liberty

1. **Call to Order and Citizen Comments:** Councilman Conley called the meeting to order at 3:30 p.m. No Citizen Comments.
2. **Approval of minutes-** Councilman Hyatt made a motion to approve the June 1, 2023, meeting minutes. Councilman Conley seconded the motion. Motion passed.
3. **Animal Shelter Update-** Court case dogs have all been adopted out.
4. **Fire Department Update-** Fire Chief Mike Shempert stated the fire hydrant testing has been completed.
5. **Police Department Update-** Lt Piles stated Officer Hoard and the new K-9 completed training.
6. **DCIP Application-** Miriam Jones stated the DCIP application was submitted June 22 for the Waynesville Fire Station. Application provided to board. Should be notified by end of August if selected.
7. **E911/Dispatch-** Michele Brown stated the city has hired someone who is willing and qualified to head the dispatch. Starting from scratch with policy procedure and getting prepared to move ahead.
8. **Police Vehicle Update-** Lt Piles stated that the two new police cars will be taken to VIP to get outfitted. There are two police cars in the shop. One is getting new tires and the other a new radiator.
9. **Special Events**
  - i. Old Settlers Day- July 27-30, 2023
  - ii. Hogs and Frogs- September 22-24, 2023
  - iii. Pumpkinfest- October 28, 2023

Having no further business, the meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Next meeting date August 3, 2023, at 3:30 p.m.