

Minutes- Public Safety Committee Report

Tuesday, June 13, 2023 5:00 p.m. 303C, Courthouse, Cambridge, IL

Members present: Jim Thompson, Jeanna Moore Bob Wachtel (arrived 5:20 pm), Dale Stiles, and Pat Koga (arrived 5:20 pm) Members absent: Ex-Officio Members present: Kippy Breeden (arrived 5:15 p.m.), Others present: Erin Knackstedt, Marshall Jones, Sheriff, Joe Garrity (arrived 5:20 p.m.), and Dan Crippen (arrived 5:15 p.m.)

Chair Thompson called the meeting to order at approximately 5:00 p.m.

There were no guests.

There was no public comment.

Member Thompson moved to approve the agenda, Member Moore seconded, all were in favor and the motion carried.

Member Stiles moved to approve the May 15, 2023 minutes as presented, Member Moore seconded, all were in favor and the motion carried.

The May 2023 claims reports were reviewed. Member Stiles inquired on the budgeting of the Public Safety Sales Tax and there was a brief discussion regarding capital projects and future projections.

There were no presentations.

There was no Office of Emergency Management report.

Sheriff Verscheure reviewed the Sheriff's Department report packet. This included the jail totals, Sheriff sales, Federal inmate fee increase, squad damage, patrol interviews, hiring in other departments, photo session for calendar, Sheriff scholarship, and Public Safety sales tax.

There was no report from the Public Defender.

There was no report from the States Attorney.

There was no old business.

Under new business,

Administrator Knackstedt gave a brief overview of the civil forfeiture contract attorney for the SA Office. They would like to have more details from SA at the next meeting.

There were no public safety comments.

Member Wachtel moved to adjourn, Member Koga seconded, all were in favor and the motion carried.

Respectfully submitted, Erin Knackstedt, County Administrator