

## CITIZEN'S POLICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (CPOC) Tuesday, May 19, 2015 7:30pm Room 102, Village Hall

## **Minutes**

Present: CPOC: Chair Bruno, Albert Berry, Andy Neukranz-Butler, James Downing, Josh Luttig, Kevin

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**Police Department:** Chief Rick Tanksley, Deputy Chief Limon **Village Staff Liaison**: Kimberly Shamley, Human Resources Director

Chair Bruno called the meeting to order at 7:30pm

Public Comment - None

Chair Bruno requested a motion to approve the minutes from the January 20, 2015 meeting as drafted. The motion was proposed by Andy Neukranz-Butler and seconded by Jim Downing. The minutes were approved unanimously.

Chair Bruno asked the newest member of CPOC, Josh Luttig, to introduce himself and give his background.

Josh Luttig stated that he is an IT Director working at DePaul University – his wife and newborn twins are new to Oak Park. He is very enthusiastic about serving on CPOC.

Current member Jim Downing stated that he would be stepping down from CPOC – he is moving into the City of Chicago. Chair Bruno acknowledged the resignation and thanked him for his service

Chair Bruno acknowledged Chief Tanksley and asked for a continued update from the last meeting. Chief Tanksley reiterated that overall crime was down 22% in Oak Park. Also, the Chief reiterated that the police and community must work together to combat crime. Chair Bruno commended Beat Office Anthony Coleman for keeping his assigned area informed via email – providing tips and encouraging community participation.

The Chief addressed staffing levels and the continued effort in ensuring that the OPPD is staffed appropriately. Currently there is a promotional police sergeant process in progress and those promotions will leave vacancies that will need to be filled.

The police department will continue to think of creative ways to get the community involved at all levels – the neighborhoods, schools, and etc.

The Meeting adjourned to Executive Session at 8:05pm.

Upon returning from Executive Session, the CPOC meeting was adjourned at 8:16pm.