

VILLAGE OF EVENDALE, OHIO 10500 Reading Road Fire, Police, Zoning and CAC Committee minutes January 4, 2022 5:45 PM

Attendance: Carolyn Smiley-Robertson, Bill Puthoff, Chief Korte, Chief Hauck, Dave Elmer and Mayor Finan. Steve Berke and Barb Rohs called into the meeting.

Fire

- a. Personnel Changes
 - Changes in chapter 258 for firefighters regarding comp time. A proposed change to Comp Time requirements for the Fire Department in Section 258.059 of the Evendale Code of Ordinances was reviewed. It allows Fire Department personnel to earn more Comp Time in the first half of the year. (The change solves the problem of people not being willing to work overtime after midyear due to a maximum accumulation limit of 48 hours that currently exists.)
 - Promotional oridnances-2
- b. Hiring Process
 - 17 applicants going through the physical ability test.
 - Interviews and hiring the next 2 months and hiring ordinance scheduled for the March 15 council meeting
 - Hiring committee tentatively scheduled for March 14 at 5:15
- c. Lucas chest compression device will be purchase
- d. Fireworks law for Ohio goes into effect in June 2022. Dayton is the first city to ban fireworks. This will be discussed in more detail.
- e. Protocol has been distributed to all employees regarding Covid exposure

2. Police

- a. Department update
 - Business as usual
 - Body cameras will be updated but going to a cloud-based solution. This is in the 2022 budget.
 - Internal policy regarding uniform and tattoos will have some changes
 - Drone has been ordered and will have 6 licensed pilots for flying over critical incidents and accidents
- 3. Cultural Arts Center
 - a. Department update: January events may be changed due to Covid
- 4. Building, Planning and Zoning
 - a. Interviews continue for Mr. Rodney's position. Hiring committee will meet January 6 to interview potential candidate.

Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Puthoff, seconded by Mr. Berke and approved. Meeting was adjourned at 6:30 pm.