

VILLAGE OF EVENDALE, OHIO 10500 Reading Road Fire, Police, Zoning and CAC Committee minutes February 7, 2023 6:10 PM

Attendance: Carolyn Smiley-Robertson, Bill Puthoff, Steve Berke, Chief Mike Hauck, Chief Tim Holloway, Dave Elmer, Mark Elma, Cynthia Caracci, Susan Gordy, and Mayor Finan.

1. Fire

- a. In the last 5 years the fire department has received over \$192,000 in federal grants. The department is training 2 new grant writers and is applying for another federal grant this month. The grant application is for a new compressor to efficiently fill our air tanks.
- b. Two management positions will potentially be available early next year. The promotional process for those positions will begin in June/July.
- c. Five candidates for Firefighter/Paramedic will be interviewed by the Hiring Committee on February 27.

2. Police

- a. Chief Holloway briefed council regarding 3 recent police incidents in VOE. Chief stated that his staff has handled all the situations well.
- b. FLOCK License plate readers are being installed soon. It is an integrative licensing system. It will communicate with FLOCK cameras in other communities. There are 14 new cameras and a mobile unit.

3. Cultural Arts Center

- a. Education Program position will be posted soon.
- b. Ms. Gordy went through her January programming which was success. Many programs were sold out.
- c. Programing can be found on website
- d. Call to Artist for Fine Arts Show went out to potential artists
- e. Bell Tower is booked for summer camp.
- f. Pottery studio has been updated
- g. New retaining wall and drive way has been installed
- h. The Mayor has reached out to our new Congressman regarding elevator funding

4. Building, Planning and Zoning

- a. Planning commission for Feb 21 to discuss plans with potential Aero-hub sites
- b. The Acres is coming to planning commission with a concept plan regarding new structure and potential plan for Evendale property with a winter walk.
- c. Board of Zoning Appeals will meet regarding garage for an RV
- d. Taco Truck is back.
- e. Fourteen permits issued in January were mainly residential.
- f. Spartan Drive owner has been notified of violations.

5. Other business

- a. Moving forward on moving the City of Cincinnati Gun Range to Safety Service complex in Colerain Township.
- b. The street repair project will be addressed after snow season.
- c. Mayor Finan toured new Duke Energy relief station. The landscaping is not complete.

Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Puthoff and seconded by Mr. Berke at 7:10.