



Minutes - Final

Public Safety Committee

Wednesday, June 15, 2016

6:30 PM

Roll Call: Chairperson Hendricks, MacLean and Affa

Mr. Daryl Hendricks stated that they have three Bills on the Agenda tonight, Bill 30, Bill 31, and Bill 32.

[15-892](#)

Bill 30 Public Safety

Amending the 2016 General Fund Budget to provide for a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$300 as a result of a donation from Krupa Financial LLC to be used toward the purchase of K-9 equipment for the Police Department.

Sponsors: Administration

Attachments: [Bill 30 Ordinance for police donation- Krupa](#)

[Memo Bill 30](#)

Chief Keith Morris stated that this is a general donation to the K-9 fund. I have not determined what type of equipment we are going to purchase with it.

Mr. Daryl Hendricks stated that it will be helpful to the fund. Some of the items are needed. He asked any questions from my colleagues.

A motion was made by Candida Affa, seconded by Roger J. MacLean, that this Ordinance be forwarded to City Council.

Yes: 3 - Daryl Hendricks, Roger MacLean and Candida Affa

[15-893](#)

Bill 31 Public Safety

Amending the 2016 General Fund Budget to provide for a supplemental appropriation of \$1,575 as a result of a donation for the L.I.F.E. (Living with Integrity for Future Excellence Program) an Allentown Youth Initiative.

Sponsors: Administration

Attachments: [Bill 31 Ordinance for police donation- L.I.F.E.](#)

[Bill 31 Memo](#)

Chief Keith Morris stated that the LIFE Program is something that he established shortly after he was promoted to Chief. It is a mentor style program. They learn about good decision making, responsibility in being a

leader not only in school, but at home. We had three donations towards the LIFE Program. Last week, we just graduated our first LIFE Program. Next year, we are going to implement it in two middle schools.

Mr. Daryl Hendricks asked how many students participated in the program.

Chief Keith Morris stated 23 graduates and it was held at South Mountain for the Pilot Program and next year, it will be at South Mountain and Trexler Middle School.

Mr. Daryl Hendricks asked any questions from my colleagues.

Mr. Roger MacLean asked Chief Morris to email him a syllabus of the program.

Chief Keith Morris stated sure, absolutely.

Mr. Daryl Hendricks asked any questions from the public. He stated that this is a very worthwhile endeavor.

A motion was made by Candida Affa, seconded by Roger J. MacLean, that this Ordinance be forwarded to City Council.

Yes: 3 - Daryl Hendricks, Roger MacLean and Candida Affa

[15-894](#)

Bill 32 Public Safety

Amending the 2016 General Fund Budget to provide for a supplemental appropriation of \$10,000 as a result a donation from Helen Steedle to be used towards the purchase of Tasers for the Police Department

Sponsors: Administration

Attachments: [Bill 32 Ordinance for Police Donation 3](#)
[Memo Bill 32](#)

Chief Keith Morris stated that Ms. Steedle is one of our biggest supporters. She is forever donating to APD and stated we are very thankful to have her as a community partner. We are upgrading our entire taser fleet this year and we are going to put that money towards that.

Mr. Daryl Hendricks stated that this will fund approximately 10 of them. He asked any questions from his colleagues or the public.

A motion was made by Roger J. MacLean, seconded by Candida Affa, that this Ordinance be forwarded to City Council.

Yes: 3 - Daryl Hendricks, Roger MacLean and Candida Affa

Adjournment: 6:35 PM

