

DURHAM PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

Minutes of the meeting, July 12, 2006

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM. In attendance were Frank DeFelise, Bill Smith, Jim Rossi, John Szewczyk, Mal Pierce and Dan Murphy. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted.

The committee reviewed the 2006-2007 fiscal PSC budget. The amount budgeted is \$2700.

The 2003-2005 crime statistics were received from the State Police. The committee reviewed the data and will incorporate it into the report published on line.

The committee discussed and formulated a recommendation to the Durham Board of Selectmen areas to be considered relative to Police Service and Coverage.

- Recommend a part time administrative aide.
- Regional District 13 expedite security camera installation to reduce vandalism.
- Explore the use of the School Resource (CSP) Officer during non-school hours.
- Explore the use of alternate Resident shift hours.
- Discuss with Middlefield the patrolling of CRHS area by the Middlefield PD.
- An additional Resident Trooper is not warranted at this time.

Motion by D. Murphy second by J. Rossi to accept and forward recommendation as discussed and written. Passed: Five Yea – One Abstain (B.Smith).

Parking problems on Ozick Dr. not fully resolved. No Parking signage on east side is insufficient.

Proper Fire Lane marking around CRHS is not done after recent construction.

Committee questioned the use of the Smart (Speed) Machine. The committee felt there should be more usage within Durham.

There being no additional business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Daniel Murphy