



# CITY OF PALOS HEIGHTS

7607 W. COLLEGE DRIVE, PALOS HEIGHTS, IL 60463



## PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING August 24th, 2021- 6:30 P.M.

### AGENDA

MAYOR:	Robert S. Straz	<b>COMMITTEE MEMBERS:</b>
CITY CLERK:	Thomas Kantas	Alderman Robert Basso, Chairman Alderman Jack Clifford Alderman Jerry McGovern Alderman Brent Lewandowski
CITY TREASURER:	James Daemicke	
CITY ATTORNEY:	Tom Brown	<b>Chief of Police: George Yott</b>

#### CALL TO ORDER

1. **ROLLCALL**
2. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES** - July 27th, 2021
3. **POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT-684** calls for service for July, 2021.
4. **TRAFFIC CRASH REPORT**

Hit&Run	7
Property Damage	22
<u>Personal Injury</u>	<u>10</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>39</b>
5. **MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS**
  - a. Police Department Budget Report - see attached
  - b. SafeSpeed Report - 138 violations issued
  - c. MSI Report - 38 citations issued
  - d. Training Report - 140 Hours
6. **DUI SUMMARY** - 4 Arrests
7. **OLD BUSINESS:**
8. **NEW BUSINESS:**

9. **CORRESPONDENCE/EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION**

- We received a thank you note from Olympian Kendall Coyne for supporting the Schofield Family Foundation. They had a fundraiser at Top Golf and several PHPD policemen participated, she was extremely grateful and appreciative.
- Officer Joe Carlson received an email thanking him for his guidance and continued support from a family that is dealing with alcoholism and trying to get a family member into rehab. Joe's efforts made a huge impact and hopefully a successful outcome.
- The Village of Palos Park and Chief of Police, from Palos Park, wrote a letter to extend their thanks to the PHPD for assisting them with a gas main leak. The incident required the closing of Rt. 7, Rt. 83, 119<sup>th</sup> street and 80<sup>th</sup> Ave, which involved re-routing of thousands of vehicles. Without their help they would not have been able to manage this incident safely.
- On behalf of AAIM(Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorists) they wanted to acknowledge 3 officers from the PHPD- Officer William Moritz, Officer Forrest Marcinowski, and Officer Michael Moritz for their exceptional DUI enforcement, by awarding a Certificate of Appreciation in recognition of these life-saving efforts.
- Carol Heffernan, a resident from Palos Heights, expressed her gratitude to Officer Tony Delaney, she had a flat tire near 135<sup>th</sup> and Ridgeland, and Office Delaney offered assistance and she was very much impressed with his patience and kindness.

10. **QUESTIONS/COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE\*** *Procedure for addressing the Committee: be recognized by the Chairman, rise, and give your name and address. Discussion is limited to 10 minutes, unless an extension is granted by a majority vote of the Committee. All meetings are tape recorded*

11. **ALDERMEN'S COMMENTS**

12. **ADJOURNMENT**