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Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, September 4, 2019

4:15 PM

Conference Room 1

Committee on Public Safety

Robert Palmosina, Chair; Tom Baker, Sam DeMarco, Paul Klein, Bob Macey, Denise Ranalli-Russell and DeWitt Walton, Members

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 4:19.

Invited Guests:

William D. McKain, CPA, Allegheny County Manager or designee(s)
Matthew Brown, Chief, Allegheny County Emergency Services

Mr. McKain was present from the Office of the County Manager.

Chief Brown was present from the Department of Emergency Services.

Mr. Barker was present from the Office of County Council.

II. Roll Call

Members Present: 2 - Tom Baker and Robert Palmosina

Members Absent: 4 - Sam DeMarco ,Paul Klein,Bob Macey and Denise Ranalli-Russell

Members Phone: 1 - DeWitt Walton

Members 3 - Anita Prizio,John Palmiere and Sue Means

Non-Members:

III. Approval of Minutes

IV. Agenda Items

Ordinances

[11184-19](#) An Ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, authorizing the County's acceptance of the donation of a 1975 Fruehauf Tanker Trailer.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

At the request of the Chair, the clerk read the title of the bill and Chief Brown summarized its provisions, noting that the proposed donation of the tanker trailer is not roadworthy, but does have fully functional tanks, valves and plumbing. Chief Brown noted that the trailer would permanently be located at the fire academy for training purposes, and that the approximate value of the trailer is \$8,000.

In response to questions from Ms. Means, Chief Brown noted that the capacity of the tank is between 5,000 and 8,000 gallons, and this particular one happens to have been a fuel tanker. Mr. McKain noted that the donation would be tax deductible for Weavertown, as the County is a non-profit governmental entity.

In response to questions from the Chair, Chief Brown noted that Weavertown would be delivering the tanker to the Fire Academy, but that he is not completely certain where the tanker is located at the moment.

A motion was made by Walton, seconded by Palmosina, that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

V. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:24.