



KNIGHTDALE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

950 Steeple Square Court, Knightdale, North Carolina 27545

February 19, 2014

The Knightdale Public Safety Committee met at 6:25 p.m. at the Knightdale Town Hall.

Present: Councilman James Roberson

Staff Members Present: Jason Godwin, Police Chief; Tim Guffey, Fire Chief; Seth Lawless, Town Manager

Other Attendees: None

Councilman Roberson called the meeting to order at 6:25 PM.

Chief Godwin informed the committee of the ordinance updates that were on the meeting agenda. He also explained that additional updates were forthcoming that would help eliminate antiquated ordinances.

Chief Guffey discussed the open burning ordinance and the growing popularity of fire pits. He indicated that a change to that ordinance would also be occurring in the near future.

Chief Godwin discussed the electric vehicle being investigated for purchase to patrol the greenway and park.

Chief Guffey informed the committee of the blasting occurring near the Neuse River by the City of Raleigh.

Chief Godwin discussed the up-coming departmental plan development. He indicated that a concentration on the safety and security of our neighborhoods would be a top priority. Driver's license checkpoints will occur to ensure drivers are properly licensed. The increased patrols and officers' presence should also reduce larcenies and reduce speeding issues.

Chief Godwin also informed the committee of the success that our most recent patrol vehicles experienced during the inclement weather.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:50PM.



Councilman James Roberson
Committee Chairman