

SAFETY COMMITTEE

March 6, 2017

The March 6, 2017 Safety Committee meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. in Council Chambers by Bill Thornton, Chairman. Safety Committee members present were Bill Thornton and Kenneth Wessler. Rick Roberts was absent.

Others present included: Scott Washburn, Mayor; Mark Ellis, Law Director; Dan Ross, Police Captain; Lynn Yeater, Fire Chief; Don Spiegel; and Sarah Bennett, Clerk.

The following bills were presented:

	<u>POLICE</u>	<u>FIRE</u>	<u>MUNI. CT.</u>	<u>GENERAL</u>
A-1 Printing		43.20	75.08	19.99
AEP Ohio	3722.27			
American Fire & Safety	40.25			
Bender Communications	2281.00			
Brenda Billock	21.00			
Brown Supply Co.			160.15	
Cellebrite	4699.00			
First Aid Now	27.73	27.73		
Galls	725.08			
Galls		24.49		
J & J Sales Ltd	38.00	38.00		
Jere Delany			150.00	
Jordan Breece	387.45			
Kerrs Automotive Repairs	75.00			
Kline Pest Control Co	24.75	24.75		
Lincoln Way Animal Hosptl	243.33			
Melissa Breidenbach	310.00			
OH Peace Officer Training	30.00			
Pilot Travel Centers	375.86			
Reineke Motors	96.54			
RAM Group LLC	666.00			
Seth Gillig	50.00			
The Lawft	283.96			
Treasurer, State of Ohio	660.00			
County of Wyandot			12.00	
US Bank Finance	368.77			
Visa – 1 st Citizens Natl Bank	92.21			
Wilson Tire Company		4293.86		496.00
Yeater's Laundry	<u>225.00</u>			
Total	<u>15443.20</u>	<u>4452.03</u>	<u>397.23</u>	<u>515.99</u>

TOTAL BILLS: \$20,808.45

A motion was made by Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Wessler, for the approval and payment of bills totaling \$20,808.45. Upon Voice Vote, all members voted Yes. The Chairman declared the motion carried.

The minutes of the February 6, 2017 Safety Committee meeting, having been mailed to each Safety Committee member, were approved as received.

Safety Committee members discussed the Firefighters' Labor Agreement that has been negotiated, effective through October 31, 2019.

A motion was made by Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Wessler, to recommend to City Council to approve the Firefighters' Labor Agreement effective through October 31, 2019. Upon Voice Vote, all members voted Yes. The Chairman declared the motion carried.

Chief Yeater reported on the following:

- Representatives from the Fire Department recently completed NIMS training.
- A grant through the Bureau of Workers' Compensation was applied for and received for equipment to roll supply hose. The total cost of the equipment is \$8,195.00 and the City's approximate share of this cost of \$2,048.00.
- Other grants have been submitted for various items within the Fire Department.
- Maintenance items within the Fire Department were noted.
- Steve Tracy was sworn in as a new volunteer fireman last Friday and he completed his training on Saturday.
- The elimination of the residency requirement for members of the Volunteer Fire Department was suggested. It was noted that currently all members of the Upper Sandusky Volunteer Fire Department must reside in the area consisting of the Upper Sandusky Fire Department Fire District. Mr. Ellis indicated that response times were considered when this provision was set.

Captain Ross reported the following:

- The police officer civil service examination was held on Saturday, March 4, 2017 with eleven of the twelve applicants having taken the examination.
- The Police Department is considering sending officers to future job fairs for recruitment purposes.
- Officer Andrew Silcox and Hunter were part of two recent drug busts.

There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting adjourned.

Sarah J. Bennett, Clerk

Bill Thornton, Chairman