Safety Committee Activity:

Safety Committee Meeting Minutes February 6, 2018

In attendance were Safety Committee members Dennis Galicki, Cindy Nairn, Police Chief Michael Rizzo and Police Lieutenant Michael Fabian.

The meeting was called to order at 0800 hours. Chief Rizzo shared that the police department's new cruisers are scheduled for delivery on February 16, 2018. Chief Rizzo said that he is currently modifying the outgoing cruiser, so that it can be transferred to the Building Department.

Chief Rizzo gave an update on the traffic light at Bell Road & SR 306. Chief reported that the pre-emption module is back in service, however the left turn arrow is not operating properly and that a repair will be necessary. Chief Rizzo reported that Lampion Company will be providing the service and maintenance of the traffic light going forward. Chief Rizzo also said that he is including quotes for the design of a traffic light rebuild in his 5-year plan.

Mayor Bill Koons joined the meeting at 0815 hours.

Discussion was held regarding the candidate interviews for the full-time police officer position. Chief Rizzo summarized the qualifications of both candidates. Nairn and Galicki both asked questions regarding pay ranges of area police departments. Chief Rizzo advised that SRPD is within range of the surrounding community police departments.

This meeting adjourned at 0825 hours.

Interviews were conducted immediately following the Safety Committee meeting. At the February 12th Council Meeting, the Safety Committee will give their recommendation to the Mayor requesting he appoint the candidate selected for the open Patrolman's position. The swearing-in phase will be conducted at the following council meeting on February 26th, provided all levels of pre-employment procedures have been completed.

Chief M. Rizzo