

## Juneau County Sheriff's Committee Meeting Minutes

September 9, 2021 at 8:30 am

Present: Jerry Nifes, Lynn Willard, Ray Feldman, Brent Oleson, Gary Pedersen, Colleen Beier, Elizabeth Geesaman

Meeting was called to order by Jerry Nifes

Motion by Willard and seconded by Feldman to approve August 2021 minutes

Motion by Feldman and seconded by Willard to accept the August 2021 financial statement

- Overtime – We are doing well in the following areas: Detective, traffic, jail, drug investigations and the START team. We are over in boat/ATV due to a greater than normal amount of crashes and alcohol related citations and arrests. We are also over in dispatch due to open positions.
- Pepperball Gun – Jail is reporting a higher level of violence amongst the inmates. Under federal law, no guns may be present in the jail. An effective behavior modification tool is a pepperball gun. We had approved jail lock training earlier which had not been used – motion by Feldman and seconded by Willard to use allotted funds for the purchase of a pepperball gun instead.
- COSSAP grant – the jail left the previously allotted amount of money in the jail budget for mental health/AODA should we not receive the next grant for a jail case manager and therapist. The current grant runs through the end of 2022. No action required – informational only.
- Mini Drone – Motion by Willard and seconded by Feldman for the purchase of a mini drone for the tactical team at a cost of \$599 to come from the START team budget.
- Scope – Motion by Feldman and seconded by Willard for the purchase of a Vortex sniper rifle scope at a cost of \$863 to come from the START team budget.
- Ballistic Vests – our current vests are level 3 which are for daily wear but will not stop rifle shots in an active shooter situation. Motion by Feldman and seconded by Willard to approve the purchase of 22 ballistic vests at a cost of \$8,200 to come from the firearms budget.
- Shredder – CJIS requirements deem that all documents disseminated by their system need to be shredded onsite. The current dispatch shredder is unreliable and unserviceable. Motion by Willard and seconded by Feldman to purchase a new shredder through our current RHYME contract with funds to come from the dispatch equipment repair and maintenance budget.
- Budget – motion by Willard and seconded by Feldman to approve the proposed budget and send it to finance and the full county board.

Motion by Willard and seconded by Feldman to adjourn the meeting.

Next meeting to be held October 8th at 8:30 in the Juneau County Sheriff's Office Conference Room

Minutes by Elizabeth Geesaman