

Webster Police Advisory Committee

meeting August 12, 2013

Meeting called to order 6:30pm- in attendance: Kate Merchant, Carol Creighton, Bruce Johnson, Jeanette Baker, Linda Clark, Chief Dupois, Lt Phil Mitchell, Richard Inman, Kevin Sullivan

Last meetings minutes accepted.

Old Home Day schedule finalized for PAC "booth"- Kate and Richard will man the booth from after the parade to 1:30pm. Jeanette, Kevin and Linda will "man" the booth from 1:30-4pm.

The Chief will print 50 questionnaires and 150 flyers. We will also have RAD flyer and sign up at the table.

Linda looked into pricing for the printing of policies- 325 pages@ Staples- \$26, so we all need a copy? No- Kate gave Linda her Staples Rewards card to get 10% off on printing.

Richard inquired about call time and the how often our Officers are called out. Lt. Mitchell responded that last pay period he had hours on call- no financial responsibility to the town. He stated that call-outs vary; can be none, or 1-3 times per night.

Selectman Johnson stated that when cars go home with the Officers they are "always on call".

We discussed utilizing the Radar trailer and what that information gathered is used for; used for patrols.

The PD is currently testing a handheld radar- must be stationary to use. The unit costs \$1600; if Chief decides to purchased half will be covered by a grant.

Co-part was discussed again as residents and PS have noticed increased trucks on Deer Meadow and one instance on Centennial Drive. PAC asked if PD can step up patrols in this area to get the truckers attention. Question was asked whether the truckers are responsible for what/how they drive; yes, they need to be able to pass road safely.

Chiefs Wish List:

He is working with a non-profit looking at donating a Mountain Bike.

Upcoming Events:

DARE breakfast Saturday September 28, 2013; trying to get Kohl's employees to work- if they do the Patrolman's Association will get a \$500 donation to use for Webster DARE program. Currently there the funds are low in the account and PD is hoping to add \$600-\$800.