

MINUTES

PRICE COUNTY TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION QUARTERLY MEETING

Thursday, June 2, 2016 1:00 p.m.

Price County Courthouse, 126 Cherry St, Rm 101; Phillips, WI 54555

1. Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Bryan Vergin at 1:00 p.m.
2. Members Present: Bryan Vergin, Brian Roush, Don Grande, Jack Keiffer, Bryan Wrycha, Cindy Quelle, Gay Palecek, Bruce Marshall, Gayle Stangle, Randy Wiessinger and Dennis Wartgow, Excused: Jim Braun. Absent: Scott Straetz. Also present: Clark Albers, Bob Pflanz and Secretary Leslie Hauschild.
3. Approve Minutes of the March 3, 2016 Quarterly meeting: Motion Grande/Palecek to approve minutes of the March 3, 2016 quarterly meeting as printed. Motion carried.
4. Public Comment/Correspondence: A citizen had asked about the speed zone of Center Street in Prentice and they were advised to speak with the Village. A sign board or temporary rumble strips could be placed in the area.
5. Crash Spot Report: Chief Deputy Brian Roush provided a spot map of crashes for the Price County Sheriff's Department for January – May 2016.
6. Law Enforcement Reports:
 - a. Price County Sheriff's Department: Sheriff Schmidt stated the speed board is currently on County Road W. The speed board will be placed in busy areas. There was a concern of speeding on County Road D and the issue will be addressed.
 - b. Phillips Police Department: Chief Hauschild stated that the Phillips Police Department purchased a solar traffic sign with a Click It or Ticket grant. The solar sign is currently on State Highway 13. The Phillips Police Department also has a portable speed sign.
 - c. Park Falls Police Department: No one present.
 - d. Wisconsin State Patrol: The Wisconsin State Patrol is participating in Click It or Ticket which ends June 5, 2016.
 - e. US Forest Service: No one present.
7. School Transportation Reports:
 - a. Phillips School District: Cindy Quelle reported the district had a good year and there were not a lot of accidents.
 - b. Prentice School District: No one present.
 - c. Chequamegon School District: Gay Palecek reported there were no accidents this year.
8. Bob Bott Report: Bob Bott was not present. Randy Wiessinger provided documents including Anatomy of Traffic Safety – Price County, Year-To-Date Traffic Deaths and Fatal Crashes, Summary of 2015 Legislative Session, and Wisconsin Traffic Safety Reporter. Bob presented information regarding Community Maps and using the program for crash reports. Discussion of documents.
9. Jack Keiffer Report: Jack Keiffer demonstrated the use of the wisconsin.gov website. Jack pointed out the areas for current projects in Price County and scheduled projects for Price County.
10. Jim Braun Report: Jim Braun was not present. Bob Pflanz will be replacing Jim on the Traffic Safety Commission. Bob had nothing to report.
11. Bruce Marshall Report: Nothing to report.
12. Don Grande Report: Don Grande reported that all updates are posted on the County website. The Highway Department is using a dynamic message board for work zones. A set of rumble strips has been ordered to use in work zones. Don introduced Vance Pollitt as the Patrol Superintendent of the Highway Department.

13. Dennis Wargow Report: Nothing to report.
14. Gayle Stangle Report: Nothing to report.
15. Randy Wiessinger Report: Reported under Bob Bott #8.
16. New Business: None.
17. Old Business: None.
18. Set Next Meeting Date: Thursday, September 1, 2016; 1:00 p.m.; Price County Courthouse, 126 Cherry St, Rm 101; Phillips, WI 54555
19. Adjourn: Motion Keiffer/Grande to adjourn at 1:36 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Leslie Hauschild, Secretary