

Call to Order: Tom VanDaele (Board Chairman, Presiding) 2:00pm

Roll Call:

- A. Commissioners Present: Tom VanDaele, Ken Werzek, Bob Elliott
- B. Members Absent: None
- C. Others Present: Police Chief Ciro Cetrangolo

The Police Board of Commissioners and Richmond Chief of Police met to discuss the current Police Eligibility List and hiring requirements.

Prior to one recent retirement and one termination, the Richmond Police Department consisted of 4 full-time officers and several part-time officers that are used to supplement staffing. Chief Cetrangolo's objective is to hire 1 full-time officer from the Eligibility List immediately and then 1 full-time officer at a later date.

The next authorized person on the current posted Eligibility List is David Byrnes. Davis Byrnes is currently employed as a Richmond part-time police officer and functions as an "acting sergeant" in a supervisory role.

Officer Byrnes has worked several years for Richmond on a part-time basis, he has extensive experience in other police departments and as a Military Policeman.

The Board of Commissioners recommend hiring David Byrnes as a full-time Richmond Police Officer and because of his law enforcement and business experience, the Commission recommends that he be hired at a pay grade 12 rather than an entry level salary.

The Board of Commissioners also recommend hiring the 4th full-time officer as soon as approved by the Richmond Village President. This should allow Richmond Police Department to plan for future requirements.

Chief Cetrangolo explained the plan to replace police vehicles when they reach an estimated 80,000 miles, for officers safety and to keep maintenance costs at a minimum. His plan would result in all vehicles being replaced in an estimated 5 years.

Adjournment vote was unanimous, June 26, 2014 at 3:05pm

A. Motion: K. Werzek B. Second: B. Elliott