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A regular meeting of the Stamford Police Commission was held on Monday, February 6, 2023 at 5:00pm at Stamford Police Headquarters.

Present at the meeting were Commissioners Fedele, Bass, Jackson and Aveiro. Commissioner Findeisen was absent

Commissioner Fedele called meeting to order at 5:05pm

#### **Review of Minutes**

Minutes from the January meeting were accepted and approved

#### **Employee Performance Recognition**

Nothing at this time

#### Commissioner Awards

The Commission awarded Police Aide Erica Negron for her exemplary investigative skills. Erica is the first civilian police employee to receive this award. Officer Ben Miller was also awarded for his outstanding police work on Case #22-1213-0019

# Comments from Public

Nothing at this time

#### Personnel Update

Police Commission heard grievance from Officer F. Raman concerning overtime issue. Commission went into Executive Session at 5:26pm by way of motion from Commissioner Fedele and second by Commissioner Bass. Commission came out of Executive session at 5:40pm by way of motion from Commissioner Fedele. The Commission denied Officer Raman's Grievance Appeal.

### Administrative & Operations Report

Assistant Chief Redd informed the Commissioner about two outstanding Patrol cases. One on January 5, 2023 where there was a call for a Domestic Assault. Officer Kuhn and Miller found 110 credit cards, 5 cellphones, 5 safes, 2 ID's that were fraudulent, 9m firearm with a magazine

of 13 rounds, \$200,000 and after getting a search warrant opened the safes and found another \$773,000 in cash. Great work by Officers and Squad C.

On January 28, 2023 Midnight received a call that a man shot himself in the hand while cleaning his gun. Officers got an arrest warrant for him and took into possession 77 guns and rules that were in his possession. He purchased them legally and has a permit which was taken. Another great arrest by Patrol.

Assistant Chief Conklin spoke about a robbery on January 11, 2023 of a 68 year old Ferguson Library employee who was walking home when a young man on a bicycle aggressively grabbed her bag and pushed her to the ground. Victim sustained facial fractures, cuts and bruises.

## Community Engagement

Assistant Chief Redd commented on how very active in the Community out Community Outlook team has been. They recently have been to schools, spoke to Brownies and Cub Scout Troops.

## **Old/New Business**

Lt. Gasparino informed the Commission that we have four spots in the State Academy in April 2023. I/A currently had 160 candidates, after background checks, etc. we have 30. This week and next the Poly and Psych tests will be given. Mid March the Commission should have ~20 candidates to interview.

Commissioner Fedele inquired as to how many retirements we have coming up. Chief Shaw said at least a dozen.

Commissioner Bass commended Chief Shaw on his quick response to the Memphis incident and the statement he made.

Commissioner Fedele made a motion to adjourn at 5:56pm second by Commissioner Bass

Next Commission Meeting is March 6, 2023

Submitted,

Michael Fedele

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Chairperson