Chittenden County Public Safety Board of Directors
6/25/18 8:00-9:30AM
Colchester Town Hall, 781 Blakely Road

Meeting Minutes


1. Call to Order/Introductions. A. Frank opened the meeting at 8:00am.


3. Public Comment. No public comment.

4. Approval of Minutes from 4/18/18 and 5/16/18 moved S. Locke, J. Baker 2nd. All in favor.

5. Technical Assistance RFP. S. Locke reviewed the status of the RFP. It was published on June 19th. Responses are due August 14th. 8 firms have requested copies of the RFP. 4 of them are in this type of work. Question for today is, who should be on the review committee? There was discussion about the types of experience that would be valuable and which members would have what type of representative. The committee will include Steve Locke (Burlington), Darren Adams (Milton), Aaron Frank (Colchester), Trevor Whipple (South Burlington), Chief Hebert (Winooski). There was a discussion initiated by S. Locke about including a dispatcher in this committee. This idea was supported by the group and there will be some consultation with the attorney to understand any labor issues and create a confidentiality agreement if necessary to make it happen. Other municipal representatives may be consulting with their dispatchers. July 10th will be a site visit. There was discussion about have a meeting of the CCPSA advertised for this visit. S. Locke will send out an invite. Intent is to have a recommendation for the CCPSA’s September meeting.

6. Funding & Expense Report/Approval of Requests for Payments. K. Dorn moved, D. Adams seconded to pay any unpaid bills submitted to CCRPC and also pay VLCT for insurance. All in favor.

7. Financial Services Agreement. R. McGuire reviewed the status after attorney comments. It has been approved by the Williston Selectboard. There was some discussion, then a motion to approve the agreement by Dorn, seconded by Adams. McGuire abstained. All others in favor.

8. Budget consideration / Funding Request. There was some discussion about the draft budget for FY19 of $71,000. The discussion included asking municipalities once for the FY19 allocation after the consultant costs are known. A. Frank shared a memo describing the RFP that he had shared with the Colchester Selectboard. No action was taken.

9. Board Communications and Other Matters. Emma Vaughn reviewed four draft logos that she prepared based on feedback at the last meeting. Steve liked 1b and 3a. Darren liked 1b and 4b. Kevin preferred 1a or 4 or 3b. Jesse liked the 1’s or 3b. Rick liked 1. Pam Simays liked 1 or 4. Maybe try the maltese cross for fire in 1 and 4. Emma will update 1 and 4 with the comments incorporated.
10. Next Meetings:
   • July 10 meeting will be warned. Time and location to be determined.
   • There will be no meeting on Monday, July 23th 8:00-9:30AM Colchester Town Offices, Third Floor Outer Bay Room.
   • Monday, August 27th, 8:00-9:30AM Colchester Town Offices, Third Floor Outer Bay Room
   • Reschedule September, 24th meeting to Monday, September 17th 8:00-9:30AM Colchester Town Offices, Third Floor Outer Bay Room

11. Adjournment. Adams moved and Locke seconded to adjourn at 8:41am.