

Township of South Hanover  
Public Safety Advisory Board  
161 Patriot Way  
Hershey, PA 17033  
Thursday, January 19, 2023

**Public Safety Advisory Board:**

Kevin Stoehr, Chairman  
Tom Brumbaugh, Vice Chairman  
David Fischer - **absent**  
Rick Gilbert  
Jim Dengler - **absent**  
AJ McCalley - **absent**  
Ralph Salamone

**Township Personnel:**

Lynn Wuestner, Township Manager  
Karleigh Delgado, Administrative Assistant

**Public Present:** Lt. Brian Wolfe, Cpl. Michael Moskel, Steven Ross

**Call to Order:** Kevin Stoehr called the Thursday, January 19, 2023, Township of South Hanover Public Safety Advisory Board Meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

Kevin Stoehr turned the meeting over to Ms. Delgado to conduct selection of the PSAB Chairperson for 2023.

**Motion to Appoint Chairperson of the PSAB for 2023:** Ms. Delgado opened nomination for chairperson.  
**Motion:** Tom Brumbaugh made a motion to appoint Mr. Kevin Stoehr as Chairman of the PSAB. Seconded by Ralph Salamone. **Motion passed with a 4-0 vote.**

Ms. Delgado turned the meeting back over to Chairman Stoehr to conduct selection of the PSAB Vice Chairperson for 2023.

**Motion to Appoint Vice Chairperson of the PSAB for 2023:** Chairman Stoehr opened nomination for vice chairperson.  
**Motion:** Chairman Stoehr made a motion to appoint Mr. Tom Brumbaugh as Vice Chairman of the PSAB. Seconded by Rick Gilbert. **Motion passed with 4-0 vote.**

**PA State Police Report:**

Lt. Wolfe gave a quick introduction to familiarize everyone with what his role is within the department. He asked if anyone had any issues to reach out. He stated that it has been a busy couple of months. Cpl. Moskel presented stats from November 1, 2022, to the present. He stated that there were 11 thefts, 7 assaults, 1 criminal mischief, 4 DUIs and 65 total incidents. Lt. Wolfe stated that there is a database available to the community on the PSP website to create more transparency and allow the public to view what's going on in the Township.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Ralph Salamone made a motion to approve the July 21, 2022, meeting minutes with corrections. Seconded by Rick Gilbert. **Motion passed with a 4-0 vote.**

**Chairman's Report:**

**Domestic Animal Protection:** Chairman Stoehr stated that the Township currently has an agreement with the Humane Society. Ms. Delgado stated that the Board of Supervisors entered into the contract in 2022 on an annual basis to assist emergency personnel with distressed animals in the event of an emergency. The Board decided that only cats and dogs would be eligible and there would need to be authorization by Township personnel. Vice Chairman Brumbaugh asked if there is a limit. There is not a limit but is restricted to only dogs and cats in emergency situations. Rick Gilbert asked if there are any statistics on the matter. Ms. Delgado stated she would ask the Township Manager to provide that information. Chairman Stoehr asked that more discussion on that matter should be pushed to the next meeting after reviewing the statistics.

56 Farm Crest Phase II: Chairman Stoehr stated that Phase II has begun. Ms. Delgado stated there is a slight hold  
57 due to some stormwater issues. The Township Engineer and Zoning Officer have been working with the  
58 developer to resolve the issues.

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60 Robin Lane Left Turns: Chairman Stoehr stated that the left turns from Robin Lane onto Route 39 is still an  
61 issue despite adding extra signage. Vice Chairman Brumbaugh stated that unfortunately people are going to do  
62 what they want. Chairman Stoehr stated that the Township has taken the proper measures to avoid illegal left  
63 turns.

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65 Fire Company's Report: Vice Chairman Brumbaugh stated that it has been a standard year for emergency  
66 calls. He stated that has been a slight downward trend over the last 10 years. He stated that is due to the new  
67 dispatch process implemented by the County which decreases the amount of out of Township calls. The County  
68 Commissioners voted to give property tax relief of up to \$250.00 for volunteer fire fighters. The Hummelstown  
69 Borough has been receiving false alarms and is considering implementing an ordinance to bill or issue fines. The  
70 Township has enough volume to consider a similar regulation. Vice Chairman Brumbaugh also stated that  
71 membership has been steady.

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73 EMA Report:

74 EOC Operations: Ms. Delgado stated that the antennas have been delivered for the radio communications  
75 system. The new antennas will be installed at the administration building.

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77 Other Business: Chairman Stoehr stated he would like to continue monthly meetings.

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79 Adjournment: Vice Chairman Brumbaugh made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Ralph Salamone. The  
80 meeting adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

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84 Karleigh Delgado

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