

Dexter Township Public Safety Advisory Committee
Monday, May 3, 2010 7:00PM
Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Road, Dexter, MI 48130

Members present: Derek Wiseley, Steve Burch, David Waymann, Dave VanderYacht, Janis Miller, Adam Zemke, Pat Kelly (ex-officio)

Absent: DominicTreglia, Brent Courson, Jason Maciejewski (ex-officio)

Public: none

Review of Minutes

Changes to April 23 minutes – will present at next meeting for approval

Agenda

Motion by Waymann, seconded by Burch to accept agenda. All ayes, motion carried.

Public Comment

Dr. Harvey is scheduled to speak in the area, Pat K. will email date, time, and location

Question on survey of residents – what the township population needs

There was a Master Plan survey done in 2007. Pat will get the advisory committee a copy of the results for the next meeting.

Report of the Chair

None

Report of the Township Board Representatives

Letter to CAFA requesting extension of contract to December 31, 2010 has been drafted.

Old Business

None

New Business

Discussion of *Buying and Selling Fire Protection* by Dr. Harvey

- o Dexter Fire Department looking to go to a similar Dr. Harvey formula allocation
- o Currently DAFD charges per run
- o Sylvan & Lyndon not talking a regional fire department

Summary of Dr. Harvey's recommendations

- o Cost allocation's that rely on a single factor are not the best
- o 30-30-40 (population-usage-3 year usage average)

Review of one page map that shows coverage of each fire department (Chelsea – Dexter – Putman)

Suggested recommendation for consideration of new fire contract

- Target of response should not be greater than x
- Fire coverage should fit the requisite needs of Dexter Township residents
DAFD is unionized
- Optimal coverage cost would be average response time + benchmark fees
Pat will supply Central Dispatch info

Wrap-Up

Need time in next meeting to discuss other two documents Pat gave us at first meeting
Advisory committee needs to look at union documents from other counties (Pat said she could procure these)

Next meeting Derek will report on DAFD labor agreement and how they supplement full-time with part-time fire fighters

Do we need photo identification for Advisory Committee members when talking to township residents?

Public Comment

None

Adjournment

Motion by VanderYacht, seconded by Miller to adjourn meeting. All ayes, motion carried.

Adjourned at 9:40PM

Next meeting May 17, 2010 7:00PM Dexter Township Hall

Respectfully submitted,

Janis Miller PSAC Secretary