

**VILLAGE OF FONTANA ON GENEVA LAKE  
WALWORTH COUNTY, WISCONSIN**

(Official Minutes)

SPECIAL VIRTUAL MEETING of the VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
**Monday, April 25, 2022**

Village President Pat Kenny called the special virtual meeting of the Village Board to order at 1:00 am.

**Trustees Present:** President Kenny, Trustee Prudden, Trustee Pappas, Trustee Petersen

**Trustees Absent:** Trustee Livingston, Trustee McGreevy, Trustee O'Neill

**Also Present:** Chief Cates, Theresa Loomer, Drew Lussow

**General Business – President Kenny**

**Approve Wage Increase Recommendation for Community Service Officer (CSO)**

Chief Cates spoke about opening the position for a Community Service Officer for the Village of Fontana. He mentioned that the officer who held the position last year left for a new position in Lake Geneva and mentioned that their pay rate was \$18.00 per hour while ours was only \$15.00. He also mentioned that the position has been posted for a month now and he has received no applications. Chief Cates believes raising the wage to a competitive \$18.00 per hour will keep them on par with other towns and villages in the area and hopefully attract applicants whom they can choose for the position. The Village Board agreed, and Trustee Prudden added that he believed they could start at \$18.00 an hour and if Chief Cates felt the need to negotiate a little higher to secure a candidate he liked they would allow for up to \$19.00 per hour.

Trustee Prudden/Trustee Petersen 2<sup>nd</sup> made a MOTION to approve the recommendation for a wage increase for the Community Service Officer (CSO) to \$18.00 per hour with the opportunity for \$19.00 per hour at Chief Cates discretion, and the MOTION carried without negative vote.

**Adjournment**

Trustee Prudden/Trustee Pappas 2<sup>nd</sup> made a MOTION to adjourn the meeting at 1:04 pm, and the MOTION carried without negative vote.

Minutes prepared by: Drew Lussow Village Clerk

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APPROVED: 05/02/2022