



Illinois Police Accreditation Coalition

MEETING MINUTES

JUNE 15, 2022

Northlake Police Department and Zoom Remote

IPAC BOARD

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Stephanie Erb
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Willowbrook PD

Treasurer
Katie Pentecost
Glendale Heights PD

Secretary
Stacy Blaskovich
Downers Grove PD

Board in Attendance

Present: President Stephanie Erb (McHenry PD), Vice President 2 Robert Zielinski (Niles PD), Vice President 3 Chrissie Sobanski (Wood Dale PD), Vice President 4 Ben Kadolph (Willowbrook PD), Treasurer Katie Pentecost (Glendale Heights PD) and Secretary Stacy Blaskovich (Downers Grove PD)

Absent: Vice President 1 Christina Adcock (DuPage County Forest Preserve PD)

Agencies in Attendance

Algonquin Police Department	NIU Police Department
Bartlett Police Department	Northlake Police Department
Buffalo Grove Police Department	Northwestern Police Department
Chicago Police Department	Oswego Police Department
Deerfield Police Department	Rockford Police Department
Downers Grove Police Department	Roscoe Police Department
DuPage County Sheriff's Office	Schaumburg Police Department
Elk Grove Village Police Department	University of Chicago Police Department
Glendale Heights Police Department	UW Whitewater Police Department
Grayslake Police Department	Western Springs Police Department
Hinsdale Police Department	Wheeling Police Department
Joliet Police Department	Willowbrook Police Department
Kankakee Police Department	Wood Dale Police Department
Lake Bluff Police Department	ILEAP
Lake Zurich Police Department	CALEA
Lombard Police Department	
McHenry County Sheriff's Office	
McHenry Police Department	
Niles Police Department	
Normal Police Department	

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by President Stephanie Erb (McHenry PD) at 10:14AM.

Approval of Minutes

Minutes of the May 18, 2022 meeting were reviewed. Motion to approve the minutes was made by Katie Pentecost (Glendale Heights PD) Motion seconded by Chrissie Sobanski (Wood Dale PD) . Motion Passed.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Katie Pentecost (Glendale Heights PD) report stating we have a starting balance of \$17,973.37 and an ending balance of \$18,606.53. We took in \$1,308.16 in membership dues. Our expenditures were \$675.00 for scholarship reimbursement to Village of Elk Grove. Motion to approve the treasurer's report was made by Stacy Blaskovich (Downers Grove PD) Motion was seconded by Ben Kadolph (Willowbrook PD). Motion passed.

Secretary's Report

Secretary Stacy Blaskovich (Downers Grove PD) advised no report.

Upcoming Mock Assessments

- VP 1 Christine Adcock (DuPage Co Forest Preserve PD): absent, but advised no mocks prior to meeting
- VP 2 Robert Zielinski (Niles PD): None Reported
- VP 3 Ben Kadolph (Willowbrook PD): None reported
- VP 4 Chrissie Sobanski (Wooddale PD): None reported

Old Business

- Legislative Update—July 1st Updates—ILETSB
 - Mental Health Screening for Officers
 - New certification and de-certification provisions
 - New requirements for probationary officers; CIT, Role Playing, Use of Force, & High Risk Traffic Stops
 - 30 hours of training every 3 years;
 - *constitutional and proper use of law enforcement authority
 - *procedural justice
 - *civil rights and human rights
 - *reporting child abuse and neglect
 - *cultural competency, including implicit bias and racial/ethnic

Our understanding is that Police Law has already gotten this portion (non scenario based) approved, or is getting this portion approved

 - 12 hours hands on scenario based; role playing
 - *including 6 hours of use of force to include de-escalation techniques.
 - *specific training concerning law for stop search and use of force, 4th amendment
 - *specific training on officer safety techniques, including cover, concealment and time.
 - *at least 6 hours training on high risk traffic stops
 - ILETSB is creating a CIT curriculum, 40 hour CIT Certification training
- Bylaws updates, 3 changes; all changes passed unanimously
 - voting results for IPAC is a two person job, need to be from separate agencies; motion Joe Menolascino (Lombard PD), 2nd Frank Coleman (Joliet PD)
 - VP positions would have staggered terms as specified by VP 1,2,3 and 4; motion Larry Pincsak (Bartlett PD), 2nd Joe Menolasciano (Lombard PD)
 - voting results released; motion Frank Coleman (Joliet PD), 2nd Larry Pincsak (Bartlett PD)

New Business

- Recent Mocks—None
- Recent Virtual On-sites—None
- Recent CSM Reviews
 - Wood Dale PD, had Phil Potter, reviewed 120 standards, sent back 16 standards. Also reminded if you N/A something be sure to put why it is N/A. He reviewed Ch. 81 Communications, but due to Wood Dale PD being an ACDC agency, he should not have looked at those due to ACDC being Accredited. Dan Shaw is assisting Chrissie by looking into why he reviewed Ch. 81.
- Holiday Luncheon—Discussion on location and dining options, possibly changing to a more mingle atmosphere. Will send out an IPAC vote regarding location preference.
- Looking for second volunteer for elections to work with Sherianne. At this time no one in person or on zoom volunteered.
- New Membership East Dundee Police Department—motion by Chrissie Sobanski (Wood Dale PD) and second Bob Zielinski (Niles PD); Welcome East Dundee Police Department.
- Jeff Hamer (ILEAP) discussed requesting a partnership letter for a grant. The IPAC discussed what he was requesting, the IPAC came to an agreement to give a generic letter supporting accreditation, not specifying ILEAP or CALEA. Motion for generic letter made by Stephanie Erb (McHenry PD), second by Bob Zielinski (Niles PD). Motion passed for a generic letter to be sent on ILEAP's behalf.
- President's Executive Order Signed May 25, 2022. Has 23 sections, a few of the sections deal with; investigation of in custody deaths, recruitment/hiring/promotion/retention practices and guidance, Officer wellness, clear guidance on use of force, section on accreditation, use of body worn cameras, police response to mental health crisis alternative to arrest or incarceration, and . Also establishing accreditation standards-developing and publishing standards; CALEA responded and advised on their website in the News Section, if you are a CALEA agency you are in compliance with this item.
- Chicago conference update; Chicago shared that the Thursday host event will be at Navy Pier, other events planned at Howl at the Moon and House of Blues. Assured agencies that man power has been increased in the area for added security.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn was made by Joe Menolascino (Lombard PD). Motion was seconded by Larry Pincsak (Bartlett PD). All members voted to pass. Motion Passed. Meeting was adjourned at 11:41 AM.

Next Meetings

- ☞ July 2022 (No Meeting CALEA Conference Month in Chicago)
 - ☞ August 17, 2022 Glendale Heights PD (Special Agent Zoe Bateman, US Secret Service on what USSS can do to help local/county agencies)
 - ☞ September 21, 2022 Elk Grove Village PD (Training TBD)
 - ☞ October 19, 2022 Buffalo Grove PD (Training TBD)
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After Meeting Training

- Ben Lear—Frontline