

Law and Justice Commission

MTU 8

Minutes

August 13, 2013

Members Present:

Dale Sparks	Jim Woolford	Tim Stanesa
Pat O'Grady	Brent Wick	Mike Reidy
Rick Davis	Eric Klingele	Scott Schaefer
Beth Kimmerling	Rick Bleichner	

Staff Present:

Mark Kotte Denelle Hetrick

- I. Call to Order: Meeting was called to order by Chairman Davis at 1:10 p.m. at Heartland Community College in Normal, IL
- II. Roll call and establishment of quorum: Sign-in sheet passed around and quorum established.
- III. Motion was made by Woolford and seconded by Sparks to approve June 18 meeting minutes – all in favor - motion carried
- IV. Financial Report: Motion to approve June & July expenses made by Woolford and seconded by Kimmerling – voice roll call vote taken with all voting yea – motion carried.
- V. Correspondence
 - A. Director stated the MTU has received information regarding Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board developing training regarding the State's new Concealed Carry Law through the University of Illinois and PTI for basic recruits and for current officers to be presented at the Academy and MTU levels. At the MTU level, a maximum of 4 hours of instruction is anticipated.
- VI. New Business
 - A. Director stated ISU PD Officer Matt Blecha will be attending EVOC Instructor training on September 30-October 4 in St. Charles, IL.
 - B. Director stated he, Davis and Sparks attended a budget meeting in Springfield on August 1. The MTU's budget was approved. Director stated the MTU asked for additional money for digitizing and for the purchase of a vehicle for smaller agencies to utilize for EVOC. ILETSB said to contact them later in the year regarding the additional funds. If additional funds are approved to purchase a vehicle, the Director will come back to the Board for further discussion.
 - C. Director stated Livingston Co. Probation would like to become a member of MTU 8. Motion was made by Woolford and seconded by Sparks to approve Livingston Co. Probation to become a member of MTU 8 – all in favor - motion carried

- D. Director reiterated any Use of Force flyers received at the last meeting should be destroyed. New Use of Force flyers will be sent directly to agencies from ILETSB.
- E. Director stated Keith Gehrand approached him and asked if MTU 8 would consider becoming a member of the McLean Co. Disaster Council. Discussion ensued and the Board decided not to become a member of the Council.

VII. Old Business

- A. Reminder to all Police Chiefs & Deputy Police Chiefs regarding State mandated training – 20 hours annually (Public Act 94-354).
- B. Director stated the MTU received approval from the Secretary of State's Office to move forward with destroying documents. The MTU will send them a list of what we want to destroy and the Secretary of State's office will approve within 60 days. We will then get bids for digitizing the remaining documents and for shredding the documents to be destroyed.

VIII. Curriculum

- A. Report Writing: Sept. 4
- B. Smartphone Forensics: Sept. 4-6
- C. 7 Habits of Highly Effective Law Enforcement Officers: Sept. 5
- D. EVOC: Sept. 16–27
- E. New Detective & Criminal Investigator: Sept. 30–Oct. 4
- F. Police Background Investigations (Champaign, IL): Oct. 7-8
- G. FATS Simulator Training (McLean County Sheriff's Office): Oct. 7-14
- H. Sex Offender Registration (BPD): Oct. 11
- I. FATS Simulator Training (Pontiac P.D.): Oct. 15–21
- J. Foundations for Strategic Awareness: Oct. 17
- K. Leadership for Challenging Times: Oct. 22–24
- L. CRIME 123: Nov. 7
- M. Tactical Vision: Nov. 13
- N. Psychological Narrative Analysis: Nov. 14

IX. No executive session was held

X. Public Input - None

XI. Motion to adjourn made by Kimmerling and seconded by Bleichner – all in favor – motion carried

Next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 8 at 1:00 p.m. at Heartland Community College, Room CCB 2012.