

**Law and Justice Commission**

**MTU 8**

Minutes

June 12, 2018

Members Present:

Mark Doran	David Belvery	Chris Lane	Mike Kline
Nichol Bleichner	Jason Williamson	Dale Sparks	Chad Gragert
Mike Kemp	Rick Bleichner	Tim McCoy	Eric Klingele

Staff Present:

Robert Siron                      Denelle Hetrick

Members of the Public Present:

Bryan Clark                      Randy Wilson

- I. Call to Order: Meeting was called to order by Chairman Doran at 1:00 p.m. at Heartland Community College in Normal, IL
- II. Roll call and establishment of quorum: Sign-in sheet passed around and quorum was established.
- III. Motion was made by Belvery and seconded by R. Bleichner to approve the 4/10/18 meeting minutes – all in favor - motion carried.
- IV. Financial Report: Motion to approve April & May 2018 expenses made by N. Bleichner and seconded by Belvery – voice roll call vote taken with all voting yea – motion carried.
- V. New Business
  - A. Election of Executive Advisory Board Members for FY2019 - Motion was made by R. Bleichner and seconded by Kline to vote in the slate of officers for FY2019 - voice roll call vote taken with all voting yea - motion carried. The Executive Advisory Board Members for FY2019 will be:

Chairman - Sheriff Mark Doran  
Vice-Chairman – Deputy Chief Nichol Bleichner  
Treasurer - Sheriff Jon Sandage  
Secretary - Chief Mike Kemp
  - B. Siron stated El Paso P.D. has requested to join MTU 8. They would be members of both MTU 7 & MTU 8. Motion was made by Kemp and seconded by N. Bleichner to allow El Paso P.D. to become members of MTU 8 – all in favor – motion carried.
  - C. FY2018 dues notices have been mailed.
- VI. Curriculum
  - A. Siron stated a new mandate, Psychology of Domestic Violence, will go into effect soon. This mandate will be discussed at the State Training Board meeting next week.

- B. Kline asked when a HazMat Refresher course would be available on the Executive Institute's Online Learning Network. Siron stated Susie Nichols with the Executive Institute stated it will be available by the end of the year. An online course for Sexual Assault Trauma Informed Response will also be available by the end of the year.
  - C. The problems departments are having with LMS and BAO re-certifications was discussed. Siron said ISP stated they are working on the problems with the system but there is no set timeline for when the problems will be resolved.
  - D. Siron asked if there was a preference between Verbal Judo and Tactical De-Escalation courses. Some stated Verbal Judo has been around for years but does not seem to be the same as it was in years past since another company took over the program. Siron stated the MTU will focus on scheduling Tactical De-Escalation courses.
- VII. Executive Session - No executive session was requested
- VIII. Public Input – None
- IX. Motion made by Kemp and seconded by Kline to adjourn - all in favor - motion carried

**Next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 14, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. at Heartland Community College, room NRC 1201.**