

**Law and Justice Commission
MTU 8**

Minutes

October 9, 2018

Members Present:

Mark Doran	Dale Sparks	Tim McCoy	Eric Klingele
Nichol Bleichner	Chris Lane	Rob Kosack	Mike Kline
Jon Sandage	Josh Dingler	Travis Cornwall	Jesse Munk
Aaron Woodruff	Mark Travis	David Belvery	

Staff Present:

Robert Siron Denelle Hetrick

Members of the Public Present:

Randy Wilson

- I. Call to Order: Meeting was called to order by Chairman Doran at 1:05 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 Dingler and seconded by Sparks to approve the 8/14/18 meeting minutes – all in favor - motion carried.
- IV. Financial Report: Motion to approve August & September 2018 expenses made by Klingele and seconded by Belvery – voice roll call vote taken with all voting yea – motion carried.
- V. New Business
 - A. Coordinators report on September ILETSB Quarterly Board Meeting
 - i. Camera Grant Program is open again with \$1 million available in funding. Additional information can be found on ILETSB’s website.
 - ii. The Executive Institute updates training records in the State Training Board’s database on the 15th of the month following when online training was completed.
 - iii. The Executive Institute will have online training available by January 2019 for the following mandates: Mental Health Awareness, Psychology of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault Trauma Informed Response.
 - iv. New Legislation:
 - a. School Resource Officers will need to attend a certification training program. Curriculum is being developed. P.A. 100-0984
 - b. Health Care Violence Reporting Act, P.A. 100-1051
 - B. Siron stated the Reid Interview & Interrogation course is not approved for funding through the Homeland Security Grant but the Wicklander-Zulawski

course is approved. The courses cost approximately \$9,000-\$10,000 per course. He asked if the Advisory Board wanted to move forward with a Reid course and pay the course fee out of the training budget or hold a Wicklander-Zulawski course instead and submit the course for grant funding. Everyone favored holding the Wicklander-Zulawski course.

- C. Siron requested all equipment owned by the MTU that is currently stored at member agencies' facilities be returned to the MTU. The equipment will be stored in the storage room utilized by MTU 8 at Heartland. This will make keeping track of the equipment more feasible.

VI. Old Business

- A. Staff vacation accrual – A committee was formed to review MTU 8's personnel policy. They will bring a recommendation to the next meeting. The committee consists of Belvery, Cornwall, Sparks, Dingler, & Doran.

VII. Curriculum

- A. Siron stated there are courses on the schedule that have low enrollment.
- B. A Department of Justice Community Awareness Training was just scheduled to be held on 11/14/18.
- C. Hetrick stated a Search & Seizure Review & Update course has been scheduled for 12/19/18. Dant Foulk with the Will Co. State's Attorney's Office is the instructor.
- D. Siron stated the FTO Certification course instructed by Bruce Sokolove in August did not receive favorable reviews. The last few courses we have had him instruct have drawn some criticism. MTU staff will look into some other options.
- E. Siron stated officers now cannot attend a 40-hr. CIT course until they have at least two years of experience on the job. This rule does not pertain to corrections. Siron asked the Board if there is interest in having the MTU hold 16-hr. CIT Refresher courses. No interest was shown. There is interest in a mental health course for telecommunicators. There is also interest in CIT training for corrections.
- F. Woodruff asked about holding a Crowd Control course.
- G. Dingler and Munk presented information on a Rescue Task Force course they are putting together.

VIII. Public Input

- A. Randy Wilson stated a Glock Armorer course will be held at the Secretary of State's Office in Springfield on 1/15/19. The fee for the course is \$250/person. Wilson also stated the ILEAS conference will be held on March 24-26, 2019 at the Crown Plaza in Springfield.

- IX. Executive Session – No executive session was requested

- X. Motion made by Sandage and seconded by Klingele to adjourn - all in favor - motion carried

Next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. at Heartland Community College, room NRC 1201.