## DERBY POLICE COMMISSION 35 FIFTH STREET DERBY, CONNECTICUT 06418

Robert J. Hughes - Chairman Theodore J. Estwan, Jr. Leo DiSorbo Maryanne DeTullio - Secretary <u>Traffic Authority</u>
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Chief Andrew L. Cota, Jr.

The regular meeting of the Derby Board of Police Commissioners was held on Monday, June 12, 2006 at the Derby Police Department, 125 Water Street, Derby.

The meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. By Chm. Hughes. Present were Commissioners Hughes, DiSorbo and Estwan. Also present were Chief Cota and Lt. Mascolo.

Acceptance of Minutes

A motion to accept the minutes of the May 8, 2006 meeting was made by Mr. Estwan, seconded by Mr. DiSorbo and carried unanimously.

Additions, Deletions, Corrections to Agenda

There were no additions, deletions or corrections to the agenda.

**Public Portion:** 

There was no one from the public present wishing to speak.

Communications.

Mr. Hughes stated that the only correspondence received had to do with a disciplinary hearing which will be discussed in Executive Session.

Traffic Authority Business: None

Chief Cota stated that the only issue is with Maple Avenue and the fact that some signs are missing. He stated that the signs should be replaced and that should take care of any problems.

Mr. Hughes stated that signs were put up for Greenway parking but it appears that they are being ignored. Chief Cota stated that the signs are being turned so that should alleviate any problems there.

Upcoming Fireworks and Derby Day

Chief Cota stated that at the department head meeting there were questions about the police at Derby Day. They were not able to pay for the police officers and it was determined that auxiliary officers will be provided and some police officers. A bill for the police officers will be submitted and if it is not funded then the Department will have to absorb that cost. That would come out of this year's budget.

The fireworks is the same issue but it will come out of the next fiscal budget. The bridge will be closed off and also some roads for the fireworks. Auxiliary officers and regular police officers will be used that night.

## **Old Business**

Mr. Hughes stated that last month the Board discussed an awards program and the Chief and Lt. will make recommendations. Chief Cota stated that they have not had an opportunity to discuss this but will work on this. Mr. Hughes stated that they had talked about giving an honorable mention to the Irving School crossing guard. Chief Cota stated that she is doing a great job and there have been no complaints.

## Department Reports

The May report was reviewed and discussed. It was noted that the children ID program and the click it or ticket program were very successful.

A motion to go into Executive Session to discuss scheduling a personnel hearing and to have Chief Cota and Lt. Mascolo attend was made by Mr. Estwan, seconded by Mr. Hughes and carried unanimously. The Board went into Executive Session at 7:40 p.m. and the regular meeting was adjourned after that.

Respectfully submitted,

Maryanne DeTullio