

## PUBLIC SAFETY

Tuesday, March 20, 2018 – 6:45 p.m.

Police Training Room – Olean Municipal Building

Present: Members: Chairman Andreano, Alderman Witte, Alderman Dougherty, Alderman Crawford, Alderman Smith, and Alderman George. Others: Mayor William Aiello; Nicholas DiCerbo, Jr., City Attorney; Fred Saradin, City Auditor; Bob Ring, Director of Public Works; Jeff Rowley, Police Chief; Bob Bell, Fire Chief, and Tiffany Taylor, Managerial Confidential Administrative Secretary.

### 1. Roll Call

Alderman Andreano called the meeting to order at 6:45 p.m. and asked that the record show that all committee members were present except Alderman Gonzalez, who was excused.

### 2. Approval of Minutes of the Previous Committee Meeting (Tuesday, March 6, 2018)

A motion to approve the minutes of the March 6, 2018 meeting was made by Alderman Andreano, seconded by Alderman Witte. Voice vote, ayes all. Motion carried.

### 3. Unfinished Business

None

### 4. New Referrals for Consideration

#### a. Discussion – Left Turn Arrow, Independence Drive at West State Street

Alderman Andreano stated that when you drive on Independence Drive towards West State Street, it is difficult to take a left onto West State Street. There is no left turn arrow, and a resident in the area brought the concern to her. She feels that when the new Marshalls store opens, along with other potential development in the area, the intersection will be very busy. She asked if this is a State or City intersection.

Mr. Ring replied that he believes that this is a State-run intersection, but he will need to look into this. The City line runs right down the middle of Independence Drive. He added that if we restripe West State Street, we petition to have the traffic light signal reconsidered, as well as request to have the continuation of the roadway towards Allegany match our striping.

Alderman Smith stated that he sees people getting trapped at this intersection and instead taking a left to veer through parking lots to a different intersection onto West State Street.

Alderman Andreano asked that the Council keep this idea in mind while Mr. Ring looks into the control of the lights. She asked what the likelihood is of the restriping project occurring. Mr. Ring replied that it depends on whether or not the budget is approved as is or changed.

b. Discussion – 604 West Green Street sale

A motion to enter into executive session to discuss the proposed sale, lease, or acquisition of real estate was made by Alderman Crawford, seconded by Alderman George. Voice vote, ayes all. Motion carried. Executive session began at approximately 6:55 p.m.

A motion to exit executive session was made by Alderman Crawford, seconded by Alderman Witte. Voice vote, ayes all. Motion carried. Executive session adjourned at approximately 7:30 p.m.

A PL and Resolution will be introduced on March 27, 2018.

5. Approval of Committee Reports

None

6. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Alderman Witte, seconded by Alderman George. Voice vote, ayes all. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at approximately 7:30 p.m.