

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, April 13, 2022 - 7:00 p.m.

Present: Chairperson Joe Frederick, Committee Members Tim Brennan and Larry Browne, Council President Jack O'Brien, Councilperson Dennis Livrone, CBRPD Corporal Ed Hilton, and Borough Manager John Davis.

The **Minutes** of the March 22, 2022 meeting were approved.

CERT Team Description. Larry presented an outline of a proposed CERT Team. After some discussion, the Committee voted unanimously to present the outline to the full Council and seek authorization to begin the process of creating the team by reaching out to key stakeholders.

Veterans Lane Crosswalk. The Committee again discussed the issue of the Veterans Lane pedestrian crossing. John and Ed recapped the Veterans Lane speed study which did not provide evidence of any unsafe speeds. John outlined the process for a PennDOT approved pedestrian activated signal, but pointed out that there was not nearly enough pedestrian traffic in the area to meet PennDOT's threshold standard.

Emergency Communications. Larry cited the 2020 tornado in expressing concern for the Borough's weather-related emergency communications. John went over the tools available at present, but indicated we did not have the infrastructure in place at present to take on real time weather alerts. Larry thought that the ReadyBucks system could be more effectively utilized. The Committee agreed to revisit the issue after time for reflection.

The Committee agreed to move **future meetings** to the first Wednesday of each month at 6 pm in order to avoid a conflict with the monthly Doylestown Fire Company meeting.

The meeting **adjourned** at 7:50 p.m.