

PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE COMMITTEE
October 3, 2011

Call to Order. Chair Collins called the meeting of the Public Safety and Justice Committee to order at 4:00 P.M. on October 3, 2011 in the Conference Room at the Rock County Sheriff's Office.

Committee Members Present: Supervisors Collins, Brill, Beaver, Knudson and Wiedenfeld.

Committee Members Excused: None.

Staff Members Present: Jeff Kuglitsch, Corporation Counsel; Nick Osborne, Assistant to County Administrator; Elizabeth Pohlman McQuillen, Criminal Justice Planner/Analyst; Dave Sleeter, 911 Communications Center Director; Jerry Long, Deputy Corporation Counsel; Captain Curt Fell; Captain Craig Strouse; Diane Michaelis, Finance Office Manager, Sheriff's Office; Sue Zastoupil, Human Resources Secretary; Lou Smit, Chief Deputy Coroner.

Others Present: Kevin Hoffman, Janesville Gazette.

Adoption of Agenda. Supervisor Knudson moved approval of the agenda as presented, second by Supervisor Beaver. ADOPTED.

Citizen Participation, Communications, Announcements, Information. None.

Consent Calendar.

Transfers and Appropriations.

911 Communications Center

FROM

<u>Account #</u>	<u>Amount</u>
23-2400-0000-62400	\$ 5,480
R&M Services	

TO

<u>Account #</u>	<u>Amount</u>
23-2400-0000-67172	\$ 5,480
Capital Assets \$500-\$999	

Bills/Encumbrances.

Sheriff	\$ 24,468.04
Correctional Facility	4,986.03
Circuit Courts	404.28
Mediation/Family Court Services	1,769.04
Clerk of Courts	161.60
911 Project Operations	3,053.55
District Attorney	1,368.96
Deferred Prosecution/Domestic Violence	60.00
Victim Witness	482.86
Coroner	751.00
Child Support	820.27
911 Capital Project	85,509.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the carrying, possessing or storing of any weapon in County owned vehicles is prohibited except as follows:

- a) This resolution shall not apply to authorized law enforcement officers.
- b) This resolution shall not apply to vehicles operated by the Rock County Sheriff's Office under such regulations as the Rock County Sheriff shall deem appropriate; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an employee who violates this Resolution shall be subject to discipline up to and including discharge.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Human Resources Director shall take such steps as to provide reasonable notice of this action to all employees no later than November 1, 2011.”

Supervisor Brill moved approval of the above resolution, second by Supervisor Beaver.

Mr. Long said the UW - Rock County Campus is under the UW System policy, which is consistent for all campuses.

Supervisor Knudson asked about the knife and firearm shows at the fairgrounds as well as farmers who may have a pocket knife to open bales of hay. Mr. Long said the Sheriff's Office uses discretion and common sense and lines 24 – 26 covers the shows at the fairgrounds. Mr. Long added that they have learned the gun dealers are in favor of this resolution as it will stop people from bringing weapons in.

ADOPTED.

Committee Requests and Motions. Chair Collins said the slow-no-wake resolution will be on the next agenda. Supervisor Brill said the water level needs to be resolved. Chair Collins said the levels will be in the resolution.

Tour of Jail. The Committee toured the Jail from 4:18 – 5:12 P.M.

Chair Collins thanked Captain Strouse and said everything looked good.

Adjournment. Supervisor Wiedenfeld moved adjournment at 5:13 P.M., second by Supervisor Knudson. ADOPTED.

Respectfully submitted,

Marilyn Bondehagen
Confidential Administrative Assistant

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