



CCPCA

Association News and Meeting Minutes

MEETING MINUTES

FEBRUARY 14, 2006

TRI-C CORPORATE COLLEGE

The General Membership meeting of the Cuyahoga County Police Chiefs Association was called to order at 1210 hours by President Guyton.

Roll Call Chief Mitchell led the Pledge of Allegiance. Chaplain Maine led the Invocation. Secretary Treasurer Lipton called the roll of officers. All Officers and Board Members were present. Members and guests introduced themselves. Chief Clayton Harris welcomed the Association to Tri-C Corporate College.

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes *A motion to accept the minutes of the meeting of January 19, 2006, as distributed, was made by Chief Dease and Seconded by Chief Falzone. Motion Passed.*

Financial Report Secretary/Treasurer Lipton reported that our account balances are as follows:

Money Market	\$ 11,763.61
Checking	\$ 7,484.96
Scholarship CD	\$ 4,000.00
Total Current Balance	\$ 23,248.57

A Motion to accept the Financial Report was made by Chief Maine and seconded by Chief Bova. Motion Passed.

Chief Dugan summarized the status of the investigation of Tom Sample's prior conduct. More information will follow next month.

Executive Director's Report Bob Bruckner reported the following:

- **Retired Chief Harold Ols.** Chargin Falls Twp. PD is home recovering after having spent several months in a nursing home. He would appreciate phone calls.
- **Meeting dates and locations** for the remainder of the year will be appear in the February newsletter.
- **The new accounting system** is in use and the member database is being entered. Dues invoices will be mailed in March.
- **Installation Dinner Report.** We paid out \$ 5884.19 for Landerhaven and the DJ and we took in \$4865.00 for 139 dinners. \$1019.19 was subsidized by the Association.
- **Lt. Gregg Westover,** OSHP Medina Post Commander was approved for Law Enforcement Associate Membership

at this mornings Board Meeting.

Legal update Steve Parisi reported the following:

- The U S Dept of Justice “National Sex Offender Public Registry” is now available on line at www.nsopr.gov to access sex offender databases from all participating states.
- A recent Hamilton County case ruling establishes that additional corroboration is required to establish reasonable suspicion relative to anonymous informant's information. See State v: Smith, 163 Ohio App. 3d 567, 2005-Ohio-5204. Court of Appeals of Ohio, First District, Hamilton County.

Speakers for Today’s Meeting.

- **Dr. Belinda S. Miles, Dean, Academic Affairs, Eastern Campus, Tri-C** spoke concerning “What Can Tri-C do to Help the CCPCA With Training?”
- **Commander James Copeland, Shaw High School Criminal Justice Program** Spoke about the program at Shaw High School and the benefits to the students as well as the community. Students who complete the program are certified in Private Security, Telecommunications and HazMat. Students receive college credits also; 7 credits are accepted by Tri-C and 8-12 credits are accepted by Akron University.
- **Criminal Justice Program Students Christopher Hayes, Antoinette Ross and Charles Paine** related their experiences with the program and what it has meant to them and their future.

Committee Reports

- **OACAP** Chief Wright reported on issues too numerous to summarize in this newsletter. Interested members can hear a complete update on all these issues, and more, at the next OACP District 3 Meeting at 1130, March 8, 2006 at the Holiday Inn, Independence.

- **AMBER ALERT** Chief LoBollo reported that Clear Channel has agreed to volunteer their electronic message billboards to post current Amber Alert information. There is a move on in central Ohio to create Child Abduction Response Teams (CART) throughout the state. More information on this will be disseminated as it is received.
- **CAT** Chief Maine reported that there is a change in the methodology in awarding Homeland Security Grants. They will not be awarded as they were in the past.
- **President Guyton has requested that those members presently serving on committees continue in those positions at the present time.**

Old Business

There was no old business brought up before the membership for discussion.

New Business

Law Enforcement Associate Member James Davidson announced that the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District is searching for a new Police Chief. Contact him for details at 330-659-3382.

Members Ill or in Distress

None noted other than Retired Chief Ols.

Good of the Order

- Recognition is given to **George Phillips** who recently retired from University Hospital for his law enforcement career and for his continued support of this Association.
- **Chief LoBello** commented concerning his recent contact with the OPFPF and his increasing concern that they do not appear to have the best interests of the members in mind. He feels that they should be monitored closely and action taken by this association if the fund members concerns fall on deaf ears.

- Chief Kostura, OACP District 3 Representative, advises that the OACP Conference will be held in Cleveland this year from July 31 through August 3. Learn more at the District 3 meeting on March 8th.
- Chief Wright advises that the Cuyahoga County Prosecutor's Office expects to receive a large grant in the near future to implement Elderly Abuse training for Cuyahoga County Police Departments. A representative from the Prosecutor's Office will present this information to the Association as soon as their program is finalized.
- Chief Mlecik Retirement Party: See right column.

Next Regular Meeting will be held at the Holiday Inn, Independence at 1200 Noon, Thursday, March

16, 2006. (Board Meeting at 1030 hrs.)

Adjournment There being no further business to discuss, *Motion to adjourn made by Chief Bova, seconded by Chief Falzone. Motion Approved. Meeting adjourned at 1336 hours.*





**RETIREMENT PARTY FOR
CHIEF MIKE MLECIC
PARMA HEIGHTS POLICE DEPARTMENT
March 25, 2006—6:00 PM \$35.00
The Home Family Club, 6450 Pearl Rd
Contact Fran Colluci 440-884-1234 ext 122 or
Jim Griffith 440-888-3273**

2006 MEETING SCHEDULE

**Board Meetings begin at 1030 hrs.
Regular Meetings begin at 1200 Noon**

MARCH 16	Holiday Inn
APRIL 20	Holiday Inn (Lounge)
MAY 18	Baldwin Wallace
JUNE ??	Golf—TBA
JULY	No Meeting
AUGUST	No Meeting
SEPTEMBER 21	FBI
OCTOBER 19	University Hospital
NOVEMBER 16	Tri-C Corp. College
DECEMBER 21	Holiday Inn

Note: Dates and locations are subject to change dependent upon unforeseen circumstances. Adequate advance notice will be given concerning firm meeting dates and locations.

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