



# CHIEFLY CHATTER

## November 2009

# CCPCA

## Association News and Meeting Minutes

### MEETING MINUTES

### NOVEMBER 19, 2009

### HOLIDAY INN

The General Membership meeting of the Cuyahoga County Police Chiefs Association was called to order at 1204 hours by President Maddox.

**Roll Call** Chief Gilles led the Pledge of Allegiance. Chaplain Bova led the Invocation. Secretary-Treasurer Lipton called the roll of officers. All Present. Members and guests introduced themselves.

**Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes** *A motion to accept the minutes of the October 15, 2009, regular membership meeting, as distributed, was made by Chief Rowe and seconded by Chief Dease. Motion Passed..*

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

Money Market	\$ 15,533.32	General Fund
Money Market	\$ 4,433.46	Scholarship Reserve
Checking	5,137.24	
Total	\$ 25,104.02	

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

**Executive Director's Report** Bob Bruckner reported as follows:

- **The 2009 Membership Roster:** has been distributed via e-mail and is also posted on our website. If you did not receive it via e-mail, we do not have your valid e-mail address.

### **Legal Update** Steve Parisi.

- A new format for the Uniform Traffic Ticket is effective January 1, 2010 and all tickets used after July 1, 2010 must comply with the new format. Only the last 4 digits of the SSN appear on the new ticket. Steve cautioned members concerning the addition of SSN's to any document or report since it is no longer permitted.
- Paxson v. Dayton, 183 Ohio App.3d 89, 2009-Ohio-3306. Statute prohibiting political subdivision residency requirements did not apply retroactively in the case of city employee terminated for violation of city residency requirement prior to statute's effective date.
- Columbus v. Lopez-Antonio, 153 Ohio Misc.2d 4, 2009-Ohio-4892. Whenever because of limited English proficiency, or a hearing, speech or other impairment a party to or a witness in a legal proceeding cannot readily understand or communicate, the court shall appoint a qualified interpreter to assist such person. Steve cautioned that an interpreter may be required at the time of arrest in some cases.
- State v. Chadwell, 182 Ohio App 3d 256. 2009-Ohio-1630. Police officer who issued a radio

dispatch asking other officers to stop defendant's vehicle had a reasonable and articulable suspicion that defendant was engaged in criminal activity, such that officers acted lawfully when they pulled over defendant's vehicle; and officers were entitled to search vehicle and to seize any contraband found, as search occurred immediately after defendant's arrest for driving without a valid license.

**Speakers for Today's Meeting**

**Tony Macisco, VP Security Operations, National City Bank** and Cyberfraud investigators **Mike Diturno and Jon McKenzie** spoke concerning current trends and information on cyber fraud and ID theft.

**Committee Reports**

**Membership:** The Board has approved the **Law Enforcement Administrative** membership application of **Assistant Chief Raymond Tittl**, Solon Police Department.

**Training:**

- Frankie Goldberg, County Prosecutor's Office has reminded us about tomorrow's ICAC training.
- Cleveland Clinic Police Department is hosting FTO training December 7-11, 2009. An e-mail has been sent to all members.

**Crime Stoppers:** Tom Dease advises that due to scheduling problems with TV channel 5, Crime Stoppers cases will now be aired on TV channels 19/43 beginning in December. New cases are needed.

**Old Business** None

**New Business**

- **December Election:** An election will be held at the December meeting for the 2010 Officers and Board of Governors. The Board will present a recommended slate for consideration and the floor will be opened for nominations for any position.
- **Life Member Representative to the Board:** Tom Dease has notified the Board that he will not seek reappointment to this position for 2010. Retired members who are interested in serving in this position are asked to contact President Maddox or Executive Director Bruckner prior to the December meeting. Retired Chiefs Wayne Baumgart and Les Lagatta have indicated an interest to date.

- **Executive Director Salary:** The salary of Executive Director Bob Bruckner has remained unchanged since he took office in 2006. The Board has granted Bob an increase in recognition of his work over the past 4 years. Information on this increase is available from President Maddox.

**Health and Welfare, Members Ill or in Distress:**

Chaplain Bova None noted.

**Good of the Order:**

- **Brian Royer**, OAG Office advised that there is a move in process in the Legislature which would codify OHLEG into the ORC and restrict its use to law enforcement.
- **Chief Repicky** advised that he will resend his recent e-mail to all Chiefs concerning suggestions for the unused communications funds.
- **George Phillips** wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

**Next Regular Meeting:** will be at 12 Noon, Thursday, December 17, 2009 at the Holiday Inn, Independence.

**Adjournment:** *There being no further business to discuss a motion to adjourn was made by Chief Dease and seconded by Chief Sechrist. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 1325 hours.*

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**ASSOCIATION NEWS**

**Associate Member Tony Macisco** will be leaving National City Bank on November 30, 2009. On December 1, 2009 he starts his new position as Manager, Densus Group ([www.densusgroup.com](http://www.densusgroup.com)). His new phone is 330-635-0048 and e-mail at [tony.macisco@densusgroup.com](mailto:tony.macisco@densusgroup.com).



**2009 MEETING SCHEDULE**

BOARD MEETINGS BEGIN AT 1030

REGULAR MEETINGS BEGIN AT 12 NOON

December 17            Holiday Inn, Independence

January 16, 2010        Red Tail Golf Club, Avon\*

\*Advance reservations are required for these meetings

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**NEXT MEETING**

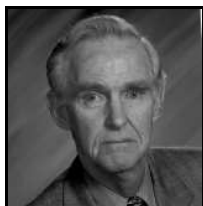
**Thursday, December 17, 2009 at 12 Noon**

**HOLIDAY INN, INDEPENDENCE**

**Buffet cost \$ 14.00**

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***Cuyahoga County Police Chiefs  
Association  
2010 Officers Installation Dinner  
Dance***

***Saturday, January 16, 2010  
Reception 6:30 – Dinner 7:30 – Close 12:00***

***Red Tail Golf Club  
4400 Lear Nagle Rd., Avon, Ohio 44011  
(www.redtailgolfclub.com)***

***\$ 40.00 per person – Cash Bar  
Includes beer, wine, soft drinks, dinner, & dancing***

***Dinner choice: Beef Sirloin Filet, Chicken Marsala or  
Rainbow Trout***

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***TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR THE  
2010 INSTALLATION DINNER DANCE!!  
There is a limit of 144 attendees and the reser-  
vation deadline is 1700, December 31, 2009.***

**Please call, fax or e-mail your reservations and  
dinner choices to Bob Bruckner. Then send your  
check, payable to the CCPCA, to the Association  
office. Your tickets will be mailed to you upon  
receipt of your check.**

**MAKE YOUR RESERVATION NOW!**

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***MERRY CHRISTMAS  
HAPPY HANUKKAH  
HAPPY KWANZAA  
HAPPY HOLIDAYS  
AND  
HAPPY NEW YEAR***



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