

MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON
December 8, 2021
6:00 P.M.

The regular meeting of the Mechanicville City Council was held at the Senior Center, North Main Street, Mechanicville, New York on Wednesday December 8, 2021.

Mayor Baker: Called the meeting to order 6:00 P.M.

Commissioner Johnson led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call:

Mayor Baker	Present
Commissioner Seber	Present
Commissioner Johnson	Present
Commissioner Gotti	Present
Commissioner McGuire	Present

Mayor Baker announced they would be going into executive sessions for personnel matters.

Motion by: Commissioner McGuire Seconded by: Commissioner Gotti

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

City Attorney Lyn Murphy stated the Council met in executive session no decisions were made except that there will be a special meeting to discuss the position master on December 22, 2021 at 4:00 pm at the Senior Center, 178 North Main Street, Mechanicville.

Mayor Baker asked for a motion to back into regular session.

Motion by: Commissioner McGuire Seconded by: Commissioner Gotti

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

Motion to accept the November 10, 2021 Meeting Minutes:

Motion by: Commissioner Johnson Seconded by: Commissioner Gotti

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

Commissioner Seber opened the Public Hearing on the budget.

Marylou Cebula stated there are three groups of employee's in the City: PBA, Union and non-union and the union employees raises are set in the contract but asked what the non-union employee's raises were set at.

Commissioner Johnson stated it was 2.25%.

Marylou Cebula asked if there were any City Hall employees that were receiving more than that.

Commissioner Johnson stated there were.

Marylou Cebula asked what determined who classifies to get a higher raise and who makes the final determination.

Commissioner Johnson stated if someone came to him for a higher raise for additional duties and/or job performance.

Commissioner Seber stated the Council does by voting.

Marylou Cebula stated the Mayor's Secretary and the Deputy Finance Commissioner are receiving three (3) to four (4) times the set amount for City Hall. She asked if up to this point they have received the same raises as other City Hall employees, and asked if there jobs have changed in anyway.

Commissioner Johnson stated when the previous Commissioner left in June of 2020 there was a void in which the Deputy Commissioner had to pick up all the duties and when he came on board he was not familiar with the job so she needed to get him up to speed and will keep up these duties going forward.

Marylou Cebula asked if the Mayor to the Secretary still split her duties.

Mayor Baker stated she splits her time between his office and the finance office.

Marylou Cebula asked if the other employees were notified of the raises that the others were getting.

City Attorney Lyn Murphy asked why they would do that and went on to say that what one person makes has nothing to do with what someone else makes since they are individual departments with individual duties.

Commissioner McGuire stated she figured it out but was not notified.

Marylou Cebula asked if the position of supervisor of streets and sewers has to have a job description to be included in the budget.

Commissioner Seber stated it does not but it is in the CSEA contract.

Commissioner Gotti stated the position was filled in 1972 and there is a job description being put in place which will be more conducive to MS4 as he doesn't want anybody to be confused that he is in charge of streets and sewers, it is more along the lines of monitoring, repairing and staying within guidelines of the MS4 protocol. He went on to say in 1972 it was called Superintendent of Streets and Sewers.

Marylou Cebula stated the cleaner on the budget has changed from twenty-nine (29) hours a week and now by resolution it is ten (10) hours per week.

Mayor Baker stated the new cleaner is only going to be cleaning the Senior Center and maintenance outside the center.

Marylou Cebula asked who will be maintaining City Hall with for example snow removal.

Mayor Baker stated it will be DPW.

Kim Dunn asked if the budget would be voted on at the present meeting.

Commissioner Johnson stated it would be.

Kim Dunn asked how they could vote on it if the position master was not correct.

Commissioner Seber stated that no one ever said it was not correct and added they may want to amend it at the next meeting but as for tonight it is correct effective January 1st.

Kim Dunn stated she does not understand why they don't just wait to vote on the budget.

Commissioner Johnson stated if the position master does change the bottom line for the budget will not change.

Kim Dunn read a statement in reference to the budget workshops and public comment not being allowed. She went on to read a statement in reference to the budget.

Dave Hicks stating the City is spending money out of control for phones and copiers.

John Snyder of 706 Park Avenue stated he thinks the re-assessment is not needed since it was done five (5) years ago.

Commissioner Seber closed the budget hearing and stated Dave Barnett from GAR is present and will be explaining the update and how it will benefit the community.

Dave Barnett explained that one of the things the Office of Real Property Tax Services does is develop an equalization rate and as of now the City of Mechanicville is at 93% and they compare the sales to the assessments and develop the equalization rate on an annual base as they relate to

the current market. He added it is prudent for any municipality at 100% and although there are no mandates for it, it provides benefits to be at 100%. Dave explained that the problem with an equalization rate is it is an average of an average because not every property appreciates or depreciates at same level. He also stated that some properties are under assessed and others that are over assessed so someone is carrying someone else's tax liability. He went on to say that the reason GAR gets hired to do a re-assessment is ultimately a fairness in equity and to make sure the property owners are paying their fair share and the assessment is accurate so property owners are getting a fraction of the full exemption amount. He added another benefit is the sales tax revenue, in which in Saratoga County there is a sales tax revenue formula that is based on assessed value. Dave stated this is not a way to increase revenue, it is revenue neutral. He added one important component is that was an expensive endeavor to do the original project in 2016 and to not do anything and maintain assessments is not protecting the investment. He went on to say that based on a random sample of sales within a given market area, while the City is at 93% that is going to drop significantly and it is something you want to maintain assessments relative to the market whether it is up or down. He added although it is a very robust real estate market it is important for any municipality to maintain their assessments for in fact if it does go down you are making the value changes so it is reflect ant of what is happening in the market.

Commissioner McGuire asked why other communities aren't as high as us but are prosperous and asked why they aren't trying to get more money out of their people.

Dave Barnett stated he can't speak for their motivations, and it is an unpopular process but he thinks they are not realizing the benefits they would have to themselves as a town but to their property owners individually. He also stated the bi-product out of a re-assessment project is not getting more money out of the people.

Commissioner McGuire stated that some assessments will go up and some will go down and the only winner will be GAR. She added Mechanicville is mainly an elderly population and they can hardly pay their taxes now so it is not a good time to do this.

Dave Barnett stated one of the benefits is once you go to 100% the senior exemption would go up.

Commissioner McGuire stated that the City is at 93% and it does not need to be anymore and added the \$48,000 could be spent on a splash pad instead.

Commissioner Seber asked if the equalization rate continues to decline, our tax rates will go up for each taxing entity. He added you are not getting more money if you do this it is just how you split the tax levy up, the lower your equalization rate goes the higher your tax rate goes therefore everyone pays higher taxes.

Dave Barnett stated that is true of any community that is not at 100%.

Commissioner McGuire asked how they predict where the City will be next year.

Commissioner Gotti stated the lower the percentage rate the higher the taxes.

Dave Barnett stated the State of New York predicts you will be 18 points lower.

Commissioner McGuire stated we will still be higher than the municipalities around us.

Commissioner Seber stated that doesn't make them right and us wrong.

Commissioner McGuire stated she is not saying it shouldn't be done at some point but stated now is not the time to put this on the taxpayers.

Commissioner Seber stated he is hearing that taxes are going to go up for everyone and that is not the case they will go down for some but as the equalization rate goes down everyone will pay more taxes.

Marylou Cebula stated that if she owns a 2400 square foot home you are going to look at other 2400 square foot homes and anyone else selling the same home is going to get a better price for it so her assessment will go up. She added she thinks there are going to be more people with higher assessment then with those getting theirs lower. She added her assessment won't go down because with the way the market is now she can get much more for her house. She added she thinks the timing is awful right now.

Dave Barnett stated the easiest way to describe it is there are people in the City of Mechanicville that are either paying too much or too little.

Marylou Cebula and Commissioner McGuire stated that is always the case.

Dave Barnett stated that is not always the case and when you go to 100% what you pay is based on that value that is determined at 100% the way they develop and equalization rate is they take a random sample of sales and compare the assessments to what they sell for and develop the rate, it is an element of fairness. He added there is never a good time to do a re-assessment but it is necessary for fairness.

Marylou Cebula asked what the overall report was with the previous report.

Dave Barnett stated about 1/3 went up, 1/3 stayed the same, and 1/3 went down.

Kim Dunn stated the fact that a price can't be given for adjustments is concerning and this should not be voted on. She added it is the wrong thing to do. She added the Council should have done their research to see how many Senior's exemptions we have and how it would benefit them.

Mark Smith of Saratoga Avenue stated the market isn't as mysterious as it is made out to be, the housing market is being driven by low inventory, no sellers, and a lot of buyers. He added once we have more inventories the price of housing is going to come down more near normal.

Mike Butler of Ellsworth Avenue stated that doing the re-evaluation would raise our total assessed value and drop the tax rate.

Commissioner Seber stated that is the point; if the assessments go down the rate go up.

Mike Butler added you will not be using the same rates if you have more money.

Dave Barnett added that the tax rate in municipalities that are not at 100% are significantly higher, it is a math equation of whatever the levy is divided by the total taxable value.

Commissioner Johnson stated that although someone's assessment goes up their taxes can stay the same or go down because the rate goes down.

Mike Butler stated that after GAR did their re-assessment he was one of the people that came in a fought his assessment and was awarded \$25,000, he added when he went there he received papers with all the valuations of the houses and their assessments were very close to what they were selling them for 5 years ago so he feels the assessments previously were fair.

Fred Hosley asked if GAR was doing this with a lot of cities in the area.

Dave Barnett stated they are.

Fred Hosley says he does not think the 1/3 increase/decrease will happen.

Dave Barnett stated historically that is how it works.

Fred Hosley pointed out that we have never been in a situation like we are now with the pandemic and unemployment so he doesn't understand why the City would make such a drastic move at this time. He asked if the City would have to hire them again in 2 years.

Commissioner Seber stated this should be done every 3 or 4 years.

Fred Hosley asked if a lot of people come in contesting their assessments.

Commissioner Seber stated not a lot, after the re-evaluation he believes there were a lot.

Fred Hosley stated that the fact they are not seeing a lot of people would make him believe people are fairly satisfied with their assessments.

Commissioner McGuire stated they might not know how to fight it.

Commissioner Seber stated the re-evaluation was a much more dramatic increase since the City was at 70% and this is basically just an update. He added the bottom line is if the City does not do something everyone will pay more taxes.

Fred Hosley asked Commissioner Seber who they will pick to be paying more taxes.

Commissioner Seber stated the people who are under assessed. He went on to say that his assessment went up \$100,000 at the last re-evaluation and he thought he got a break for a lot of years, he was under assessed and someone was subsidizing what he was getting.

Commissioner McGuire asked if the City is at 93% and had the re-evaluation done 5 years ago and the City has only gone down 7% in 5 years which is a little over 1% each year why do they think it could down 18% in 1 year.

Dave Barnett stated he wanted to clarify the Office of Recovery Tax Services developed the equalization rate and they are projecting a trend which is preliminary because of the statutory dates but they are projecting a trend of 14% to 18%.

Commissioner Johnson asked what the trend was for this year.

Dave Barnett stated he didn't know that information off hand. He added that you have to be careful with the 7% because then we are assuming the 93% is an accurate number which in fact is probably is not and it is probably closer to 85% or 80%.

Commissioner McGuire asked him to explain that.

Dave Barnett went on to say the methodology of the random sample of sales; he gave an example by stating they have done re-assessment projects where the equalization rate was 70% and they doubled the assessment role, if it was parcel specific the way they would do an update is you are looking at everyone individually and looking at a series of sales, what they are doing is taking a random sample of sales within a given market area, in which all of these sales appreciate and de-appreciate at different levels, and rates and that is applied to everyone. He went on to say that there are some people at the 93% that won't see a significant increase but there are people that are under and some are over because the 93% is based on an average of an average and not parcel specific, neighborhood specific, and it is not property term specific.

Commissioner McGuire asked if this is all office work or would they be going out into the field.

Dave Barnett stated they would be going into the field.

Dave Hicks of First Ave stated he doesn't understand how Mechanicville can be compared to Malta and Clifton Park and there isn't any room for growth in the City. He added if we give more tax money they will just spend more. He asked why this needs to be done every couple of years.

Commissioner Seber stated it has to be done every 3 to 4 years because the equalization rate declines.

Dave Hicks stated if it is going down then the tax rate is going down.

Commissioner Seber stated if it goes down then the tax rate goes up. He added the people who are under assessed now will be affected by this, and those people who are paying their fair share now are subsidizing them.

Dave Hicks asked if they did it 5 years ago are they saying it was done wrong.

Commissioner Seber stated the City was at 72% and now is at 93% and the City generated about \$90,000 in additional sales tax revenue when they did the re-evaluation. He went on to say what it cost to do the re-evaluation paid for itself within a year and a half. He stated he is not saying this one will do the same but as it goes he went on to say that if sales tax revenue goes down, revenue goes down, taxes go up.

Commissioner Johnson added that Commissioner Seber is referring to the County sales tax.

Marylou Cebula stated she got the information of the evaluation at the Tax and Finance sight and asked if that was not a credible source.

Dave Barnett stated those percentages are what the equalization rate is that they establish at an annual basis. He added that his comment was their methodology that they use to get to that rate is a random sample of sales and not parcel specific.

Marylou Cebula asked if there is another source that would be more specific.

Dave Barnett stated doing an update is specific because it is looking at each property individually.

Marylou Cebula compared the re-evaluation every 3 to 4 years to a cost of living raise.

Commissioner Seber stated to stay at 100% and make it fair. He went on to say that if you really care about the taxpayers everyone would be for this because otherwise everyone is going to pay more taxes.

Marylou Cebula stated not everyone is as excited about this like him and everyone needs to understand why he thinks it is so important. She went on to say that everything that has been talked about does not make her think it needs to be done right now.

Commissioner Seber stated the longer the City waits the more dramatic the changes will be.

John Snyder stated he didn't understand it at first but after listening to everyone it makes sense that it gets done.

Commissioner Gotti added it keeps the County money coming in.

Commissioner McGuire stated she is not saying it should not be done at some point she does not think right now is the time as 3 of the 5 Council Members are leaving so she does not know what the rush is to pass it now, the new administration should vote on it.

Commissioner Seber stated it should have been done 2 months ago and the only reason is because he promised he would not bring it up again until this year's budget. He went on to say the first taxes that will be affected by this is the school taxes next year and the City taxes will be affected in the 2023 tax year but for them to get the work done in the time frame they need to statutorily the City needs to get going and not wait until January. He added he thinks it is the right thing to do.

Commissioner McGuire asked if three weeks would be so detrimental to the City of Mechanicville that we can't wait for the new administration to come in and make the decision.

Dave Barnett stated he can't answer that but certain statutory dates need to be met.

Commissioner Seber stated the Council's terms do not end on Election Day and they are responsible to make decisions until December 31st, and he added he realizes they are not easy votes and he wouldn't want to put it on the next group.

Commissioner McGuire stated they are going to be the ones people complain to.

Commissioner Reports:

Mayor Baker announced that the incoming Mayor and Commissioners would be sworn in on Friday December 31, 2021 at 10:00 AM at the Senior Center.

Commissioner Seber announced that City Hall would be closed on December 24th and December 31st in observance of the Christmas and New Year holidays since the holiday falls on a Saturday. He wished everyone a Happy Holiday.

Commissioner Johnson stated that they have been receiving a lot of complaints about not being able to hear at the meetings so he got together with Mike Rubino and ordered new equipment so each Commissioner will have a microphone in front of them and he is hoping it will be up and running for the next meeting. He thanked Mike Rubino for his help.

Commissioner Gotti had nothing to report.

Commissioner McGuire stated on December 18th they will be laying the wreaths at the National Cemetery at noon and to date she has collected a little over \$3300 and every grave will have a wreath. She thanked everyone who donated. She went on to say there was a dedication ceremony for the trees on Sunday and there was a fantastic turn out. She added in 2018 there were 30 trees and this year there were 73. She apologized to anyone who didn't have a tree lit and added it was never spoken that the lights should be battery or solar. Commissioner McGuire thanked Country Living who always gave the trees to her at cost and this year they picked them up in Cambridge and delivered them to the park. She added that without MFD helping her every year it would never be such a success and she also thanked MPD for making a presence at every event she has ever had, the Public Safety office appreciates them. Commissioner McGuire gave special

thanks to Kim Noonan, Madison McGuire, Britt and Gordon ... for being in the park the day the trees were put up in the park and she stated the trees look beautiful so she suggested riding by and seeing them. She went on to say the Senior Center Christmas party is on December 14th at 1:00 and she thanked Brut Sgambati in advance as he will be singing for the seniors. She stated she helped the Veteran's Motorcycle Club put up and decorate a tree to honor Anthony Denier and she thanked them for remembering him at Christmas. She extended her thoughts and prayers to the DiVirgilio family for the passing of Judy. She thanked her staff: Kim Noonan, Patty Brown, Debbie Urkevich, April Turner, and Pat Bruno for their dedication to the City and their exemplary work ethic. Commissioner McGuire wished luck to Fred Hosely, Dave Higgins, and Mike Butler and hopes the City going forward in all positive ways. She wished everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Police Chief Bill Rabbitt gave his monthly report for the month of November which is attached to the minutes.

Mayor Baker gave the report from Fire Chief Matt Dunn which is attached to the minutes.

Public Comments:

Marylou Cebula of Lee Street was looking for an update on the water issue.

Commissioner Seber stated he had told his colleagues that when they bill something it is based on some sort of documentation and he has never gotten any documentation over what has been billed.

Marylou Cebula asked if the meter has been removed because of the cold weather.

Commissioner Gotti stated that is correct.

Marylou Cebula asked who chose the member for the charter committee.

City Attorney Lyn Murphy stated a committee pursuant to statute is selected by the Mayor and he does not have to do a resolution for this but she suggested he did to be more transparent.

Commissioner Seber stated they reached out to the Republican, Democratic, and Conservative party so it didn't seem to be political.

Marylou Cebula asked if any electrical work was done in Tallmadge Park when the cameras were put in. She added that going forward she is hoping the next administration will more open about their committee selection and process. She asked if there were scheduled meetings at this point.

Commissioner Seber stated they will schedule meetings after the 1st of the year and information will be put out.

Marylou Cebula stated she received the MS4 paperwork and saw nothing that stated someone needed to be appointed specifically. She added that it needs to be pointed out that there appears to be obvious attempts by certain members of the City Council to interfere with the incoming administration with the last minute appointments, hires, and resolutions.

Dave Hicks of First Avenue stated something needs to be done about cars going the wrong way on First Avenue and people are going right on red under the Dutch gap. He suggested bigger signs.

Commissioner Gotti stated they can't put up bigger signs due to regulation requirements.

Dave Hicks asked how the changeover with garbage/recycling is going to go. Commissioner Seber stated he is working with them now so hopefully the transition will be smooth.

Dave Hicks stated some of the columns at the plaza are deteriorating.

Commissioner McGuire asked if the City can get the sign like the end of 787.

Police Chief Bill Rabbitt stated that exists on the South Main Street side already but Ellsworth Avenue is the problem.

Kim Dunn asked how much the health insurance rates went up.

Commissioner Seber stated about 9%.

Kim Dunn asked about CSEA.

Commissioner Seber stated the first 6 months it will not go up.

Kim Dunn stated she is confused about the special meeting for the position master. She asked if when they voted on the budget this evening it would include the City Hall raises. She went on to say a cleaner was hired for up to 29 hours for the Senior Center but now they are hiring someone for the same job for only 10 hours a week but the budget is still set for the 29 hours per week and she wants to know how that is accurate.

Mayor Baker stated the new hire will be maintaining just the Senior Center and the previous employee also did DPW, and in front of City Hall.

Commissioner Johnson stated the reason it is in the budget for 58 hours is because the first time he heard of the new hire was when he saw the resolution and by that time the budget was already in.

Kim Dunn asked what the status of the EEOC complaint was.

Commissioner Seber stated he has not heard anything from the State.

John Snyder of Park Avenue asked if there was an update on the neighborhood watch program.

Police Chief Bill Rabbitt stated it hasn't materialized yet.

John Snyder stated that Commissioner Gotti stated that Commissioner McGuire's success with the memory trees was the downfall for the power issues in the Park. He asked how expensive it would be to trench it all out and put in new wire.

Commissioner Gotti stated it would be around \$10,000 or \$15,000.

John Snyder asked if there was an update for the LED lighting for the Playground.

Commissioner Johnson stated he had a meeting earlier in the day and has the proposal and now they are waiting to see if the COVID monies can be used for the update and if not he will talk with the new administration to make a decision.

John Snyder stated when you own your own property you maintain things but the building at the playground looks terrible and nothing is being done. He suggested it is easier to maintain then get hit with all the repairs at one time.

Commissioner McGuire stated it really isn't that bad on the inside.

John Snyder stated he appreciates everything the Police do but wishes they would step up with patrols on Park Avenue.

Chief Bill Rabbitt stated he put it out to see if there was interest with the community for neighborhood watch and has received an overwhelming response but most community watches are not run by the Police Departments, they will be involved and help but it is not something they typically run. He added if John is very interested he can reach out to him to see how they can share the responsibility.

City Attorney Lyn Murphy stated that from a legal standpoint it became very complicated when the Police are running the neighborhood watch and is very complicated if you inter-mesh the two and it should be run by volunteers.

Elizabeth Espinoza stated she there has been a lot of fighting with the children from the school district which has filtered into the neighborhood. She added her group would like to take on the role of neighborhood watch.

Resolutions:

RESOLUTION 94-2021 Budget

Moved by: Commissioner Johnson

Seconded by: Commissioner Seber

AYES: 4 NAYS: 0

Nay: Commissioner McGuire

RESOLUTION 95-2021 Increase of Wages

Moved by: Commissioner Johnson

Seconded by: Commissioner Gotti

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 96-2021 IDA Appointment

Moved by: Mayor Baker

Seconded by: Commissioner Go

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 97-2021 Mechanicville Community Center Lease 2022-2025

Moved by: Mayor Baker

Seconded by: Commissioner McGuire

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 98-2021 GAR Associates Contract

Moved by: Commissioner Seber

Seconded by: Mayor Baker

AYES: 4 NAYS: 1

Nay: Commissioner McGuire

RESOLUTION 99-2021 Memorandum of Agreement (DeBates)

Moved by: Commissioner Gotti
Seconded by: Mayor Baker

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 100-2021 Momentive Extension

Moved by: Mayor Baker
Seconded by: Commissioner Seber

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 101-2021 Memorandum of Agreement (Sims)

Moved by: Commissioner Gotti
Seconded by: Mayor Baker

AYES: 3 NAYS: 2

Nays: 2 Commissioners Johnson & Commissioner McGuire

RESOLUTION 102-2021 Authorizing Additional Engineering Services for the Water System Improvements

Moved by: Commissioner Johnson
Seconded by: Commissioner Gotti

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 103-2021 Charter Review Committee

Moved by: Commissioner Seber
Seconded by: Mayor Baker

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 104-2021 Design Supplement Services

Moved by: Commissioner Johnson
Seconded by: Mayor Baker

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 105-2021 Frank Izzo Appointment

Moved by: Mayor Baker
Seconded by: Commissioner Gotti

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 106-2021 Budget Amendment

Moved by: Commissioner Johnson
Seconded by: Commissioner Seber

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 107-2021 Budget Transfer

Moved by: Commissioner Johnson
Seconded by: Commissioner Gotti

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

RESOLUTION 93-2021 Payroll and Vouchers

Moved by: Commissioner Johnson
Seconded by: Mayor Baker

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

NEW BUSINESS: None

OLD BUSINESS: None

Meeting Adjourned: 8:47 P.M.

Moved by: Commissioner Johnson

Seconded by: Mayor Baker

AYES: 5 NAYS: 0

November 2021 Report

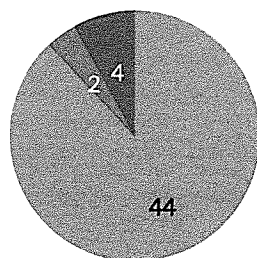
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Staffing

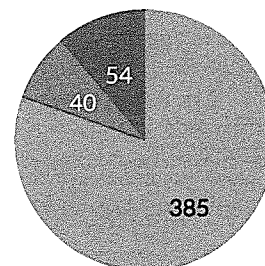
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MONTHLY ARRESTS 42

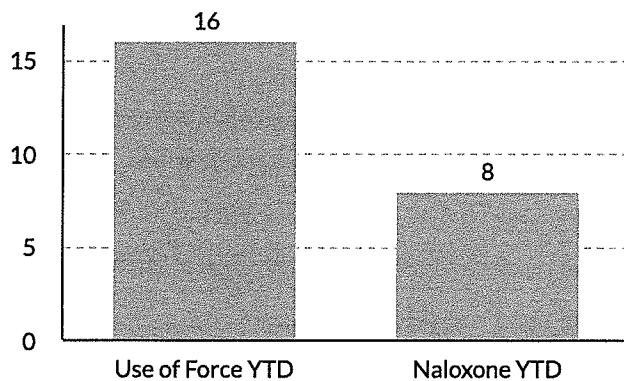


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Felony (8%)

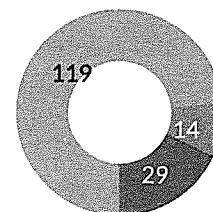
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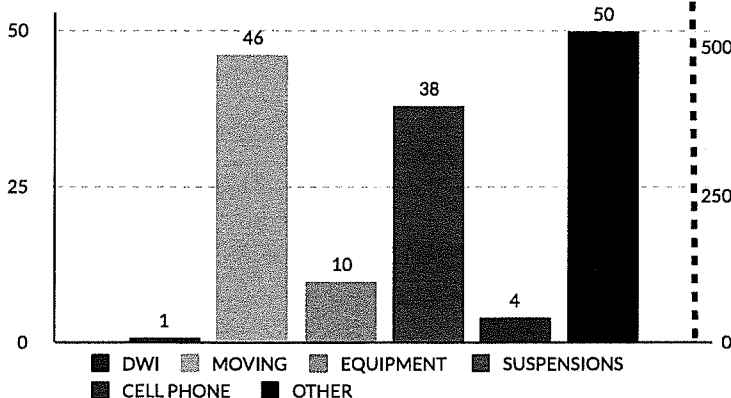


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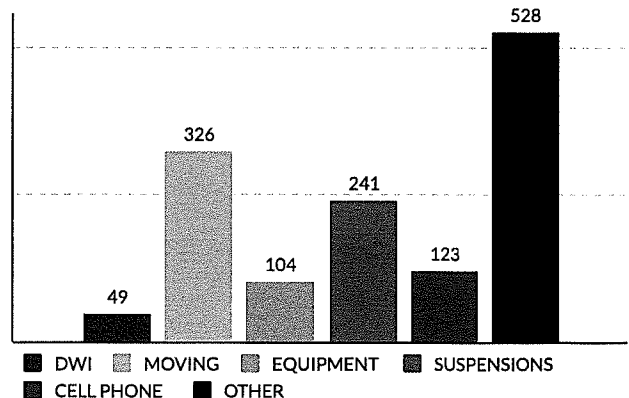


PROPERTY DAMAGE (73.46%)
PERSONAL INJURY (8.64%)
HIT AND RUN (17.9%)

MONTHLY TRAFFIC TICKETS 149



YEAR TO DATE TRAFFIC TICKETS 1371



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Matthew Dunn

Deputy Chief
Alexander Dunn

Assistant Chief
John Dunn Jr.

November Chief's Report

INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS
111 - Building fire	2
151 - Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire	1
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	53
322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	4
412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	2
551 - Assist police or other governmental agency	1
571 - Cover assignment, standby, moveup	1
600 - Good intent call, other	1
743 - Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1
745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	1
Incidents Total:	67