

**PUBLIC SAFETY
AGENDA
January 21st 2015
Before Education Committee
4:00 p.m.
(Changed Date and Time)**

- I. Agenda Changes
- II. No Parking Area Request on F Street
- III. Introduction of new Police Officer
- IV. General Information
- V. Town Council Agenda
- VI. Next Meeting Date: February 19th, 2015
- VII. Adjournment

**Public Safety Committee
Minutes
January 21st, 2015**

Mrs. Gulley called the meeting to order at 4:00 pm. Committee members present included Tina Gulley, Chairperson and Chris Vincent.

Also present: Bub Shreaves, Wayne Healy, and Paul Kelley, Town Council Members; John Edwards, Town Manager; Karen Barrow, Town Clerk; Bobby Mawyer, Chief of Police and Officer Samuel Burton, WPPD.

I. Agenda Changes

There were no changes made to the agenda.

II. No Parking Request on F Street

Bobby Mawyer, Chief of Police advised that he received a letter from the Parent-Child Development Corporation requesting that a portion of F Street have no parking signs. The Chief advised that the police have responded several times to PCDC regarding parking issues and the customers of PCDC continue to park on F Street instead of the parking lot. The customers will park on the Street, run into PCDC to pick up their child and run back out to their vehicle. The parking issues occur during pickup and drop off times.

Mr. Edwards advised that he would review the request and other options with the Chief of Police and report back to the Committee next month.

III. Introduction of New Police Officer

Bobby Mawyer, Chief of Police introduced Samuel Burton as the new road officer. Officer Burton lives in Gloucester and is a recent graduate of the Academy. Sam will be riding along with other officers for about 12 weeks for field training.

IV. General Information

1 Breaking and Entering

Bobby Mawyer advised that there has been an arrest in the Break and Entering issues in Town. We have recovered some of the stolen items and the investigation is on-going.

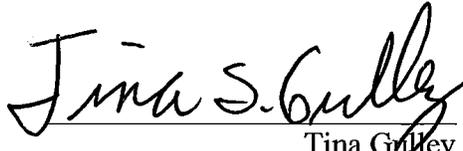
V. Town Council Agenda

Mrs. Gulley advised there were no items for the Town Council agenda.

VI. Next Meeting Date: February 19th 2015

VII. Adjournment

There being no further business, Mrs. Gulley adjourned the meeting at 4:22 pm.


Tina Gulley
Chairperson

ATTEST:


Karen M. Barrow
Town Clerk



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To whom it may concern,

PCDC currently houses two Head Start classrooms in its building located at 610 18th Street. Head Start class hours are 8:30-2:30. During the 8:30 drop off and 2:30 pick up times, the PCDC parking loop as well as F Street become very congested. Cars parking along F Street have become a danger.

We have taken numerous measures in an attempt to relieve the congestion. We have instructed parents to not park along F Street. We believe No Parking signs would be beneficial.

Wishing you well,

Heidi Condrey
Program Manager
Smart Start Early Learning Center