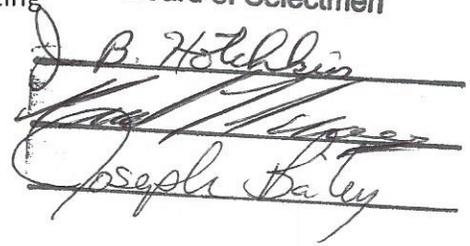


Town of Middleton
Board of Selectmen Non-Public Meeting
January 9, 2017

Approved By
Board of Selectmen


B. Hotchkiss
M. Schwarz
Joseph Bailey

Called to order at 8:31 P.M

BOS Members Present: J. Bailey, J. Hotchkiss, M. Schwarz

Chief Blodgett speaks with the Board regarding the increase of pay for all part-time officers. He would like to see the same pay across the board. He would like all full time certified part time officers to be making the minimum of \$20.00 per hour and all regular part time certified that have never been through the full time academy to make \$18.00 per hour. This will affect all the current part time employees who may not be at that rate of pay. M. Schwarz motions to change full time certified part time employees to \$20.00 per hour and regular part time employees to \$18.00. This will be for all part time new hires and current employees. J. Bailey seconds, all in favor.

Chief Blodgett also would like the Board to consider leasing new Police Cruisers through a leasing program. He feels that this would be more beneficial than buying cars outright. He would like the board to consider changing the way details funds are handled now and possibly just use the detail funds to offset the leasing cost. If the Police Department only relies on detail profit to by cruiser that might not always be guaranteed money... Board will look into the options. This must go in front of the townspeople at town meeting.

J. Bailey motions to re-enter public session at 9:08 PM. M. Schwarz seconds, all in favor.

Respectfully submitted by:

Laura Parker, Administrative Assistant