



Derby Police Commission

Derby, Connecticut 06418

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Traffic Authority

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A meeting of the Derby Board of Police Commissioners was held on August 11, 2025 at the Derby Police Department, 125 Water Street, Derby, CT.

The meeting was called to order at 6:05PM by Commissioner DeGennaro.

1. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Roll Call

Present were Commissioners DeGennaro, and Lenart. Also, present was Deputy Chief Grogan.

3. Public Portion

No one from the public spoke.

4. Adoption of Agenda

Commissioner DeGennaro motioned to adopt the agenda with the addition of discussion on grievances 25-02 and 25-03, and discussion of an SRO position under New Business.

Commissioner Lenart seconded and the motion carried.

5. Acceptance of Previous Meeting's Minutes

Commissioner Lenart motioned to accept the 30 JUN 25 minutes. Commissioner DeGennaro seconded and the motion carried.

6. Old Business

No old business to discuss.

7. New Business

Commissioners Lenart and DeGennaro spoke about the possibility of having an SRO Officer, Deputy Chief Grogan will look into this and what was done in the past and discuss it with Chief Todd.

Discussion on Grievances 25-02 and 25-03 regarding the City's health insurance plan. Both grievances were denied by Commissioner DeGennaro.

8. Department Reports

Deputy Chief Grogan reviewed the monthly patrol activity where there is an increase in motor vehicle thefts, and the department is following up on leads.

Deputy Chief Grogan reviewed the budget and noted the training line will show overspent due to having three recruits in the Academy. On other updates, the department has purchased a drone using grant funds.

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9. Communications

No communications to discuss.

10. Traffic Authority Business

Request from Nicole Wynaar to block off 10th St between Emmett Ave and Smith St to have a block party on August 31st. Deputy Chief Grogan recommended to approve the request.

Commissioner Lenart motioned to approve street closures with the stipulations required by SGT Sicsico. Commissioner DeGennaro seconded and the motion carried.

Deputy Chief Grogan updated the Commissioners on the new speed signs received, one is up on Sunset Drive, and the other will tentatively be put up on Roosevelt Drive. He also mentioned old illegible signs around town are being replaced.

11. Adjournment

Commissioner Lenart motioned to adjourn at 6:24PM. Commissioner DeGennaro seconded and the motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Susannah Hidu

These minutes are subject to the Board's approval at their next scheduled meeting.

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