



**VILLAGE OF EL PORTAL  
VILLAGE COUNCIL  
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING  
MINUTES  
Tuesday, May 10, 2016  
6:30 PM**

- A. **CALL TO ORDER:** Chairperson Brunson called the Public Safety committee meeting to order at 6:36PM
- B. **MOMENT OF SILENT MEDITATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Chairperson Brunson asked everyone to stand for a moment of silent meditation followed by the pledge of allegiance.

- C. **ROLL CALL:** The Chair asked the Clerk Yenise Jacobi to call the roll.

**Present:** Aubrey Brunson, Chairperson  
Mayor Claudia V. Cubillos, Vice Chairperson  
Councilperson Harold E. Mathis

**Also present:** Basil Binns, Interim Village Manager  
Yenise Jacobi, Village Clerk  
Chief Eugene Morales  
Code Enforcement Officer Pineiro

- D. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** The Chair asked for a motion to approve the agenda with additions and deletions. Councilperson Mathis moved for approval and the Vice Chair seconded the motion. Motion passed by unanimous "aye" vote.

- E. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Minutes for January 12<sup>th</sup>, Public Safety Committee Meeting were Moved to be approved by Councilperson Mathis, and second by Vice Chair Cubillos.

- F. **AGENDA ITEMS:**

F1. **Tracking Report Review** - Additions, deletions and any amendments made are reflected on the tracking report sheet.

- G. **GOOD & WELFARE:** None.

**H. ADJOURNMENT:** Chairperson Brunso asked for a motion to adjourn. Councilperson Mathis moved that the Public Affairs committee meeting be adjourned. Vice Chair Cubillos seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 6:50pm

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE TRACKING REPORT**

ITEM #	ACTIVITY • GOAL • PROJECT	INITIATOR	START	END	STATUS	EXPENSE
1	Operations Cleanup	Chief Morales	Oct-16	9am	Find a date in October. Normally Third Saturday. (10/18/14)	
2	Crime Stats/ Year-to-Date Police Report	Chief Morales/ Councilperson Old	BI-MONTHLY		Ongoing. Vice Mayor Marcus asked to edit zeros and turn to dashes.	
3	Foot Patrol		Ongoing			
4	ESAC Meetings	Mayor Cubillos	Aug-13	2nd WED of each month	Councilperson Cubillos attended the last meeting and said that the new Principal's main focus is on improving disciplinary policies and raising the FCAT score to a B.	
5	Reduction of Speed				Village-wide, decoy vehicles are being used and need to be moved around.	
6	COPS GRANT		2013	Oct-14	Councilperson Cubillos asked if stating Veteran's preference would help. Mr. Walker said yes, but smaller agencies throughout all of FL didn't receive any funds. The upside is that matching funds were budgeted in the event we did receive the grant. Vice Mayor Marcus asked the Manager if he would reply for the grant this year. He said yes. The next one is due in October, 2014.	

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Councilperson Brunson, Chairperson  
Mayor Cubillos, Vice-Chairperson  
Councilperson Mathis, Member

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