

REGULAR MEETING
BOARD OF ALDERMEN
PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, March 7, 2012
7:00 P.M. IN ROOM 104
SHELTON CITY HALL, 54 HILL STREET, SHELTON, CT
MINUTES

◆ **CALL OF THE MEETING/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Papa at 7:00 P.M. in Room 104 Shelton City Hall, 54 Hill Street, Shelton, CT. All in attendance pledged allegiance to the flag.

IN ATTENDANCE: **CHAIRMAN JOHN PAPA**
 ALDERMAN NOREEN MCGORTY

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE: **ATTORNEY WELCH**
 CHIEF HURLIMAN
 CHIEF JONES

◆ **PUBLIC PORTION**

Alderman Papa offered an opportunity for the public to speak. There being no one, the public portion was closed.

◆ **AGENDA ITEMS**

ADD-ON

Alderman McGorty moved to add on item 2.2 Amendment to Code to Ordinance #370- Establishing Fire Lanes at places of Public Assembly and other places of human occupancy. Seconded by Alderman Papa. All in favor. Motion carried 2-0.

◆ **CORRESPONDENCE**

There was no additional correspondence.

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. REGULAR MEETING – January 4, 2012

Alderman McGorty moved to waive the reading and approve the minutes of the Public Health & Safety Meeting of January 4, 2012. Seconded by Alderman Papa. All in favor. Motion carried 2-0.

2. NEW BUSINESS

2.1 AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE #858 - PAWNBROKERS

Attorney Welch addressed the board regarding this ordinance.

Attorney Welch advised this action came about by the action of the police department and thanked Chief Hurliman and Lieutenant Kozlowsky. The law was amended and passed October 1, 2011. There are now subsequent amendments.

Changes to the ordinance include:

Adding precious metal or stone dealers and secondhand dealers as an entity to now require a license issued by the chief of police.

No change in license fees.

An application that is denied by the chief of police now includes a hearing process allowing a person denied a license the right to a hearing before the chief of police. They also have appeal rights.

The city requirements are more extensive than the requirements of the State of Connecticut. We are giving a 1-year license and require the license holder be the owner or the lease holder of the property in Shelton. Chief Hurliman added that the purpose of that was to eliminate the drive by.

Anyone who submits an application to the chief of police must undergo a criminal background check at their cost.

Pawnbrokers must now take a very accurate description of all items that are brought in and needs to be in an electronic database. All items must be held for at least 60 days before the broker can do anything with the item. A second hand dealer must hold the item for at least 10 days.

Licensee must pay by check or money order.

Attorney Welch added that all the changes are changes initiated by the State Legislature.

Alderman Papa commented that there are a lot of changes and that this change tightens up on the dealers quite a bit.

We cannot, as a city, have an ordinance that is less than what the state mandates.

Chief Hurliman commented that the changes allow police more time to track stolen goods.

Attorney Welch concluded stating that this is a brief summary of the changes.

Attorney Welch to provide copies of the change order to the full board members for public hearing.

Alderman McGorty moved to send the amended order #858 Pawn Brokers to the full board. Seconded by Alderman Papa. All in favor. Motion carried 2-0.

The law has recently changed regarding licensing and records keeping of certain dealers. The following is a suggested update to our city ordinance that conforms to the new law.

Prepared by: Lt. Kozlowsky

Chapter 9 - LICENSES, PERMITS AND MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS REGULATIONS

ARTICLE VI.- PAWNBROKERS, PRECIOUS METALS OR STONES DELAERS,
SECONDHAND DEALERS

9-111 Definitions

"Pawnbroker" means a person who is engaged in the business of loaning money on the deposit or pledge of wearing apparel, jewelry, ornaments, household goods or other personal property or purchasing such property on condition of selling the same back again at a stipulated price.

"Precious metals or stones dealer" means a person who is primarily engaged in the business of purchasing gold or gold-plated ware, silver or silver-plated ware, platinum ware, watches, jewelry, precious stones, bullion or coins.

"Secondhand dealer" means a person who is primarily engaged in the business of purchasing personal property of any type from a person who is not a wholesaler, for the purpose of reselling or exchanging such property, and has physical possession of such property, other than an antiques dealer, art dealer, coin and stamp dealer, precious metals or stones dealer, pawnbroker, consignment shop operator, special collectibles dealer, musical instrument dealer, used book dealer, dealer in motor vehicles as described in chapter 246 of the CT general statutes, auctioneer as described in chapter 403 of the CT general statutes, junk dealer, as defined in section 21-9 of the CT general statutes, as amended by this act, scrap metal processor, as defined in section 14-67w of the CT general statutes, recycling facility, as defined in section 22a-207 of the CT general statutes, bona fide charitable or religious corporation, or any retailer that is primarily engaged in the business of selling new items but also gives consideration other than cash in exchange for one or more items traded in to such retailer.

9-112 License

It shall be unlawful for any person or entity to engage in the City of Shelton in business as a pawnbroker, precious metals or stones dealer and/or a secondhand dealer as defined by the laws of the State of Connecticut, Connecticut General Statutes Sections 21-39 through 21-45, and the ordinances of the City of Shelton without a license, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 21-40 and this article.

9-113 Applications for Licenses

Applications for a pawnbroker's, second hand dealers, and precious metals or stones dealer licenses shall be made to the chief of police of the City of Shelton on forms provided by said chief. Said application shall be reviewed by the chief of police, who shall grant or deny such license. The chief of police may grant licenses to suitable persons. The chief of police may reject said application for cause provided that said "cause" shall be one which would be sufficient to revoke a license as provided by Connecticut General Statutes Section 21-40. No license shall be issued to any person who has been convicted of a felony. Upon approval by the chief of police said license shall be valid for one (1) year from the date of issuance, unless sooner revoked, with cause, by the chief of police. It shall be the responsibility of the license holder to renew his/her license. The person so licensed shall pay, for the benefit of any such city, to the authority for granting such license a license fee as set forth below.

<u>Type of License</u>	<u>Initial Fee</u>	<u>Renewal Fee</u>
<u>Bond</u>		
Pawnbroker* \$2,000.00	\$50.00	\$25.00
Secondhand Dealer \$2,000.00	\$250.00	\$100.00
Precious metals or stones Dealer \$2,000.00	\$10.00	\$10.00

*The renewal fee and bond requirement for a pawnbroker will be waived if the applicant is licensed in the City of Shelton as a secondhand dealer.

Applicants shall file with the mayor's office of such city a bond to such city with competent surety, in the penal sum listed above, to be approved by such licensing authority, and conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties and obligations pertaining to the business so licensed.

The application for a pawnbroker's license shall contain the following information:

- (1) The type of business to be engaged in,
- (2) The applicant's full name, age and date and place of birth,
- (3) The applicant's residence addresses and places of employment within the preceding five years,
- (4) The applicant's present occupation,
- (5) Any crime of which the applicant has been convicted and the date and place of such conviction,
- (6) All locations used or intended to be used for the purchase, receipt, storage or sale of property,

(7) If the applicant is a corporation, limited liability company, partnership or association, the application shall contain the information required by this subsection for each individual who is or will be an officer, shareholder, financial backer or creditor, other than a financial institution, of such entity or any other individual with a relationship to such entity similar to that of an officer, shareholder, financial backer or creditor.

(8) The application for such license and any renewal thereof shall contain information on any Internet web site or account used by such applicant to conduct the business. During the term of the license, the licensee shall notify the licensing authority in writing of the addition or discontinuation of any Internet web sites or accounts used to conduct the business.

The Chief of Police may require additional information as deemed necessary to investigate the qualifications, character, competency and integrity of the applicant.

The Shelton Police Department will complete a background check, including a criminal records check, on the applicant [or] any person employed in the operation of the business. A successful completion of this background [check] is mandatory both prior to the issuance of a permit and when it is renewed.

The applicant must also be fingerprinted for the initial application. There is a \$19.25 processing fee charged by the FBI for this service and a \$50.00 fee charged by the State. Two Postal Money Orders or certified Bank Checks in the amounts of \$19.25 and \$50.00 made payable to "DPS" must be submitted at the time you are fingerprinted for this permit. No personal checks will be accepted. The processing fees are subject to change.

Sec. 9-114. - Change of address.

In the event the licensee shall change any of the addresses stated in the application during the term for which the license is issued, such licensee shall notify the chief of police in writing, certified mail or hand delivery to police headquarters of such change not later than one (1) business day after such change.

9-115 Operations

Pawnbroker:

All operations carried on pursuant to said license shall be in accord with the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes Sections 21-39 through 21-47.

The pawnbroker shall only operate at the address that his/her license has been issued to and shall be required to post his/her license and tax ID number in an area visible to the public within the premises. Additional permits shall be required for additional locations and each permit is nontransferable. It shall be the responsibility of the licensee holder to renew his/her license.

Pawnbrokers shall be required to keep a computerized record in a format approved by the chief of police. All items received shall be entered immediately into an electronic record. Included shall be all transactions pawned or purchased and it shall include the dollar amount of the pawn or purchase. Every pawnbroker shall be required to electronically transmit a weekly report of all transactions to the Shelton Police Department Detective Division. The day and time that the weekly electronic report is due shall be determined by the commander of the detective division. If the day that the weekly electronic report is due falls on a legal holiday the electronic report shall be due the next business day. The records shall be transmitted electronically in a stored format specified by the chief of police or his designee.

When items are purchased by the pawnbroker, the pawnbroker shall sell the items only after the pawnbroker has held them for at least sixty (60) days after the purchase of said item. A law enforcement agency in the course of an investigation may require a pawnbroker to hold an item for a longer period of time, if necessary.

The pawnbroker shall require and record positive identification from all customers selling goods to the pawnbroker. Positive identification shall mean valid, current identification, issued by a governmental entity, which contains a numerical identifier, a current address, and a photograph of the person identified. The pawnbroker shall be required to keep at least three (3) years written and computerized records of all the pawnbroker's transactions.

All transaction records shall accurately describe all items, including, but not limited to: distinguishing marks, manufacturer's name, model names or numbers, serial numbers, engravings, etchings, color and size. Jewelry item description shall include the material, ring size, weight, chain length, shapes, carat weight and color, also any other unique identifying features. Items that are new or obviously never used or still in the original box or packaging shall be documented as such. No jewelry or gold shall be described as scrap. Every pawnbroker shall photograph any jewelry or precious metal pawned or sold and keep such photograph on file for at least three (3) years. A photo shall be stored in a digitized format associated with the transaction number, must be retrievable and must be furnished to police upon request.

A digital photograph of each article that does not contain any identifiable numbers or markings shall be included. Each entry in the record-keeping system shall be numbered consecutively. A tag shall be attached to the article in a visible and convenient place with a number written on such tag corresponding to the entry number in the record-keeping system and shall remain attached to the article until the article is sold or otherwise disposed of,

provided the licensing authority shall prescribe procedures authorizing the removal of such tags from articles, including those articles consisting of jewelry that are cleaned and repaired on the premises by the pawnbroker, that will provide accountability for such articles. Such tag shall be visible in a digital photograph taken in accordance with this section. The pawnbroker shall be subject to random inspections by the Shelton Police Department for the purpose of monitoring compliance with this article. Any officer of the Shelton Police Department may, during business hours, enter upon any premises used by the pawnbroker for the purpose of the business, to examine all articles taken in pawn, kept, stored in or upon said premises. All records and inventories are subject to examination. Items transferred or received from another licensed pawnbroker located within or outside the City of Shelton shall be recorded in the premises to which they are transferred or received. Any items taken in pawn or purchased, which is disposed of other than by sale or auction shall have a notation in the record indicating the method of disposal.

Secondhand Dealer:

The operations for a secondhand dealer are the same as a Pawnbroker except for the holding period. No secondhand dealer shall sell or dispose of any personal property acquired in any transaction in the course of business in less than ten (10) days after the date of its receipt. Upon the sale or disposition of such property, such dealer shall, if such property is not sold at retail at the place of business of such dealer, include a record of such sale or disposition in the record-keeping system required by this section.

Precious Metal & Stone Dealers

The operations for a Precious Metal & Stone Dealers are the same as a Pawnbroker except for the following conditions:

- (1) The licensee shall maintain a place of business within this state, at which the goods purchased or received and the required records shall be available for such inspection.

- (2) No licensee may advertise that he or she will pay for property received with cash.

- (3) No Precious Metal & Stone Dealer shall sell or dispose of any personal property acquired in any transaction in the course of business in less than ten (10) days after the date of its receipt.

Section 9-116 Property from minor

No pawnbroker shall have any business dealings as a pawnbroker with any unemancipated minor under the age of eighteen (18) years, except with the written consent of the parent or guardian of the minor unless a parent or legal guardian is present and must show positive identification as set forth in this article to each particular transaction. No pawnbroker's license shall be issued to any person who is not eighteen (18) years of age or over. No person under eighteen (18) shall be an agent for any pawnbroker. Sec. 9-117. - Stolen goods.

It shall be the duty of every pawnbroker to report to the police any article pledged with him, or which it is sought to be pledged with him, if he shall have reason to believe that the article was stolen or lost, and found by the person attempting to pledge it, in the case of a lost article. The pawnbroker shall not accept any property if upon inspection it is apparent that serial numbers, model numbers, or identifying characteristics have been intentionally defaced on that article of property.

Sec. 9-118. - Penalties.

Complaints concerning pawnbrokers shall be investigated by the detective division of the Shelton Police Department. An investigation shall be made in all such instances and a report with recommendations shall be forwarded to the chief of police. In the event the chief of police determines that disciplinary action should be instituted against the pawnbroker the detective division shall cause to be served upon the pawnbroker, notice as to time, date and place of hearing of the charges with a statement of the reasons. The hearing will be conducted by the chief of police or his/her designee.

After notice and hearing, the chief of police may suspend, revoke or refuse a City of Shelton pawnbroker's license upon finding that:

The pawnbroker, either knowingly or without the exercise of due care to prevent the same, has violated this article or Connecticut General Statutes Sections 21-39 through 21-47.

A fact or condition exists, existed or had been known at the time of the original application for a pawnbroker's license which would have justified the refusal to issue such license.

The pawnbroker, or any employee of the pawnbroker, has aided, abetted or conspired with anyone to circumvent or violate this article or Connecticut General Statutes Sections 21-39 through 21-47.

The pawnbroker, or a legal or beneficial owner of the pawnbroker, or the individual(s) responsible for the operation of the business, has been convicted of a crime that the chief of police finds which would negatively affect the duties and responsibilities of a pawnbroker.

The pawnbroker fails to file an electronic report as required herein.

The pawnbroker fails to accurately record the description of each piece of property or fails to accurately record identifying information of any customer that sells or pawns goods to the pawnbroker as required herein.

The chief of police may reinstate a suspended pawnbroker's license or issue a new pawnbroker's license to a person whose pawnbroker's license has been suspended or revoked if the pawnbroker corrects the situation that gave rise to the suspension or revocation.

Any person, corporation, limited liability company, partnership, agent or employee thereof who violates the provisions of this article shall be fined an amount not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

Section 9-119 Conflict with Statute

Any provisions herein which is determined to conflict with Connecticut General Statutes Sections 21-39 through 21-47 shall be void.

2.2 AMENDMENT TO CODE ORDINANCE #370 ESTABLISHING FIRE LANES AT PLACES OF PUBLIC ASSEMBLY AND OTHER PLACES OF HUMAN OCCUPANCY

This has been brought up by the Fire Marshall. The Fire Marshall wants to increase the fines for fire lane and fire hydrants. Alderman Papa is bringing this to the attention of Corporation Council to see what needs to be done to make the amendment.

Attorney Welch explained our code of ordinance book, specifically page 94 which states a violation of this ordinance shall be fined pursuant to section 1.11 of the code of ordinances. 1.11 states if there is not a specific fine listed in that ordinance then you go to section 1.11 which states a fine of up to \$100 can be applied.

Ordinance #370 from March of 1979 does not match the code of ordinance book. The ordinance # 370 states the fine is \$25. Ordinance #370 was never amended in accordance to what is in the code of ordinance book. This is a housekeeping matter.

Alderman McGorty moved to forward the amended ordinance #370 to the public hearing. Seconded by Alderman Papa. All in favor. Motion carried 2-0.

3. OLD BUSINESS

3.1 REQUEST FOR TWO STOP SIGNS ON HUNTINGTON ST. AND COMMERCE DRIVE

Memorandum to Alderman John Papa from Chief Hurliman was read into the minutes.

“The Traffic Division has conducted a review of all applicable information and reports regarding this intersection. While there is a 1998 Traffic Impact Study Review conducted by Barken and Mess that states signalization may be warranted the accident history does not necessarily support it. There are no up to date traffic counts for this intersection either.

A new traffic study should be considered which would encompass Trap Falls Road and Huntington Street, Commerce Drive and Huntington Street as well as Buddington Road

and Huntington Street. Any changes to any one of these intersections could have a significant impact on the other two.

This study should consider alternatives to stop signs or signalization which may allow for a better safer flow of traffic.”

Alderman Papa indicated this matter has been discussed before and we talked about Huntington Street and Buddington Road. The city did a study on the schematics on making that intersection a “T”. Alderman Papa feels until the plans and discussions are complete there is not much to do as this change may impact the Huntington Street and Commerce Drive intersection. Chief Hurliman agreed.

We will give this information to the city engineer.

4. REPORTS OF THE EMERGENCY SERVICES

A. EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

Alderman McGorty submitted an updated VEMS Report and indicated response time continues to be high.

SHELTON: VEMS Responses

	<u>Nov 2011</u>	<u>Dec 2011</u>
Total Responses	296	281
Response Percentage	97%	97%

VEMS: Municipal contribution

	<u>Service</u>	<u>Bundle Billing</u>	<u>Town Budgeted</u>	<u>09/10 Balance</u>	<u>Paid</u>	<u>Balance</u>
Ansonia	\$30,000		\$20,000		\$20,000	\$10,000
Derby	\$30,000		-		-	\$30,000
Oxford	\$30,000	\$20,000	\$50,000		\$50,000	-
Seymour	\$30,000	\$40,000	\$70,000		\$70,000	-
Shelton	\$30,000		\$30,000	\$24,752	\$30,000	

VEMS: Operations

Operations are going very well for VEMS. Overtime is at an all time low and with the mild winter so far call volume has not peaked as in previous seasons.

New VEMS building is completely Operational. A CO has been issued by the Town of Oxford as the building has passed all inspections necessary for us to move in. Just waiting for final approval from State of Connecticut OEMS. Using building currently for offices but not yet deploying vehicles from its location until we get final approval from OEMS.

Vehicle that was involved in accident should be ready late next week. All communications equipment is in and waiting to be installed by Communications Services.

Approval by Valley EMS Board to purchase an additional new response vehicle to replace a dated 2003 model with 198,000 miles. The purchase request from the dealer will be made next week.

Working with Communications Services to establish a VEMS radio frequency for dispatch and Operations channel.

**January 2012
EMS Commission Report**

Report submitted by Michael Chaffee- Chief- Echo Hose Ambulance

Total Calls for 2011- 4655- EHAC Covered 98%

	2011	Jan.	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	TOTAL
Days		31	28	31	30	31	30	31	31	30	31	30	31	
Weekdays		21	20	23	21	22	22	21	23	22	22	22	22	
Total calls		396	341	376	346	350	377	459	394	404	452	355	405	4655
EHAC Covered		383	335	371	341	347	370	446	385	397	441	352	396	4564
Percent covered		97%	98%	99%	99%	99%	98%	97%	98%	98%	98%	99%	98%	98%

Snapshot of 2010-
Total Calls- 4315- EHAC Covered

	2010	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	TOTAL
Days		31	28	31	30	31	30	31	31	30	31	30	31	
Weekdays		21	20	23	22	21	22	22	22	23	21	22	23	
Total calls		355	374	365	325	377	344	391	395	333	356	331	369	4315
EHAC		345	361	354	322	368	339	378	386	326	346	321	360	4206

**Covered
Percent
covered**

97% 97% 97% 99% 98% 99% 97% 98% 98% 97% 97% 98% 98%

New Members in Training-

We are currently precepting 16 new members.

CPR/AED Training-

A community first aid class was given to a local girl scouts troop in December. Another free CPR class will be given to the community on Thursday January 26th at the Training Center.

Vehicles-

All in service.

Community Events:

Echo Hose Ambulance had a very successful community event in December. The story time with Santa event which is run in collaboration with Pine Rock FD, TEAM and the Huntington Branch Library helped raised thousands of dollars in donated toys as approximately 100 local families joined us for free pictures with Santa.

We also collected approximately 3,000 in toys at this year's toy collection at Walmart.

EHAC and SFD company 4 also assisted TEAM by picking up toys at 50 different locations through town and helped deliver them to the TEAM toy store located on Main Street in Ansonia.

Training:

Our November EMT class has just concluded with 14 students completing the class.

We just began another evening EMT class and currently have 25 students enrolled.

Also, we are offering a second evening class at Sacred Heart University where we have 18 students enrolled.

The next EMT Class begins June 5, 2012

B. POLICE SERVICES

Chief Hurliman submitted report of all infractions for January and February. The Chief also indicated the numbers are usually lower at this time of the year but the weather has allowed for more activity.

January Infraction Report

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Speed</u>	<u>Fine</u>
INFRACTIONS				
1/24/2012	TRAP FALLS RD/ 1 TRAP FALLS RD	Operation of a MV in Violation of License Classification		\$158.00
1/26/2012	BRIDGEPORT AV/ LONG HILL CROSS RD	Operation of Unregistered Motor Vehicle, Operating a MV without a License		\$275.00
1/5/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ SIMS WAY	Traveling too fast for conditions in a School Zone and a Construction or Utility Zone	41/25	\$142.00
1/27/2012	120 MEADOW ST	Simple Trespass		\$92.00
1/11/2012	2 TRAP FALLS RD	Use of Highways by Pedestrians		\$75.00
1/1/2012	945 BRIDGEPORT AV	Operation of MV by a person 16 or 17 years old between 11PM and 5AM of the following day		\$60.00
1/24/2012	83 BRIDGE ST	Operation of Unregistered Motor Vehicle		\$117.00
1/26/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ WALNUT AV	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions, Operation without carrying license		\$423.00
1/14/2012	11 RIPTON RD	Failure to Give Name/Address or Show Registration, License or No-Fault Card		\$158.00
1/16/2012	801 BRIDGEPORT AV	Failure to Give Name/Address or Show Registration, License or No-Fault Card, Following too close		\$290.00
1/5/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ SIMS WAY	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions	41/25	\$237.00

1/16/2012	S CONSTITUTION S BLVD/ WATERVIEW DR	Failure to Obey Stop Sign		\$70.00
1/9/2012	675 N CONSTITUTION N BLVD	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions, Simple Trespass		\$274.00
1/10/2012	329 BRIDGEPORT AV	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions	42/25	\$265.00
1/14/2012	737 BRIDGEPORT AV	Failure to Drive Right		\$132.00
1/21/2012	220 RIVER RD	Failure to Drive Right		\$132.00
1/11/2012	KNEEN ST/ HOWE AV	Traveling Unreasonably Fast, Tail Lamps. Illumination of License Plate		\$224.00
1/4/2012	LEAVENWORTH RD/ INDIAN WELL RD	Operation of Unregistered Motor Vehicle		\$50.00
1/28/2012	HOWE AV/ CENTER ST	Violation of Town Ordinance		\$90.00
1/4/2012	CORAM AV/ KNEEN ST	Littering		\$219.00
1/1/2012	945 BRIDGEPORT AV	Restricted Turns, Failure to Signal		\$132.00
1/29/2012	28 STRAWBERRY LA	Driving Right Hand Lane		\$127.00
1/20/2012	BOOTH HILL RD/ MOHEGAN RD	Failure to Drive Right		\$132.00
1/20/2012	97 BRIDGEPORT AV	Following too close		\$132.00
1/11/2012	MAPLE AV	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions	42/25	\$265.00
MISDEMEANORS				
1/2/2012	429 SHELTON AV	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., Insufficient Insurance, Failure to Obey Traffic Control Signal		
1/27/2012	CHURCH ST/ NICHOLS AV	Operating Unregistered Motor Vehicle, No Insurance, Improper Muffler		
1/26/2012	BRIDGEPORT AV/ LONG HILL CROSS RD	No Insurance		
1/7/2012	HOWE AV/ HILL ST	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., Traveling Unreasonably Fast		
1/10/2012	5 CORPORATE DR	Failure to Obey Stop Sign, Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev.		

**PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY COMMITTEE
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1/26/2012	40 HUNTINGTON ST	Failure to Renew Registration, No Insurance		
1/16/2012	KNEEN ST/N RT 8 HWY	Failure to Obey Traffic Control Signal		
1/7/2012	COTS ST/ BRIDGEPORT AV	Failure to Obey Traffic Control Signal		
1/2/2012	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev.	No Insurance		
1/7/2012	4 RESEARCH DR	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., Failure to Display Plate		
1/5/2012	539 HOWE AV	Failure to Drive Right		
1/29/2012	521 RIVER RD	Traveling Unreasonably Fast		
1/20/2012	5 ELDERBERRY LA	Driving Under the Influence		
1/7/2012	SORGHUM RD/ HUNTINGTON ST	Driving Under the Influence, Evading Responsibility		
1/20/2012	898 BRIDGEPORT AV	Larceny 6th		
1/5/2012	300 BRIDGEPORT AV	Failure to Obey Traffic Control Signal		
1/18/2012	BROOK ST/ HOWE AV	Driving Under the Influence, Following too close		
1/3/2012	BRIDGEPORT AV/ TODD RD	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev.		
1/6/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ SIMS WAY	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions	45/25	
1/21/2012	351 BEARDSLEY RD	Driving Under the Influence		
1/13/2012	COMMERCE DR/ ENTERPRISE DR	Traveling Unreasonably Fast		
1/20/2012	3 OAK AV	Traveling Unreasonably Fast, Evading Responsibility		
1/13/2012	HUNTINGTON ST/ COMMERCE DR	Traveling Unreasonably Fast		

INFRACTIONS = 25

MISDEMEANORS = 23

February Infraction Report

Date	Location	Charge	Speed	Fine
MISDEMEANORS				
2/6/2012	675 N CONSTITUTION N BLVD	Operating Unregistered Motor Vehicle		
2/1/2012	25 OLD STRATFORD RD	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., Following too close, No Insurance		
2/6/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ WALNUT AV	Traveling Unreasonably Fast		
2/12/2012	SHELTON AV/ MEADOW ST	Operating/Allowing Under 18 Without Insurance, Improper Use of Marker/Registration/License, Failure to Obey Traffic Control Signal		
2/1/2012	CORAM AV/ WHITE ST	Failure to Grant Right of Way Intersection		
2/7/2012	HOWE AV/ CORNELL ST	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., No Insurance, No Front Plate		
2/7/2012	SHELTON AV/ LAKE RD	Tail Lamps. Illumination of License Plate		
2/13/2012	HOWE AV/ KNEEN ST	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., Following too close		
2/4/2012	N RT HWY	Use of Highways by Pedestrians, Improper Parking, Failure to Renew Registration, No Insurance		
2/10/2012	HOWE AV/ NEW ST	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., Obstructed View Windshield		
2/9/2012	465 BRIDGEPORT AV	Operation of Unregistered Motor Vehicle, Window Tint without Sticker, No Insurance		
2/12/2012	CLIFF ST EXT	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev.		
2/10/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ SIMS WAY	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., Traveling Too Fast for Conditions		

2/27/2012	RESEARCH DR/ TRAP FALLS RD EXT	Following too close, No Insurance		
2/23/2012	BRIDGEPORT AV/ BEARD SAWMILL RD	Operating while Registration of License is Ref/Susp/Rev., Misuse of Plate, Operating Unregistered Motor Vehicle, Insufficient Insurance		
2/21/2012	333 BRIDGEPORT AV	Failure to Display Plate, Misuse of Plate, Insufficient Insurance, Failure to Renew Registration		
2/22/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ SIMS WAY	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions	42/25	
2/27/2012	ARMSTRONG RD/ JAMES FARM RD	No Insurance		
2/21/2012	FARMER'S MARKET	Evading responsibility		
INFRACTIONS				
2/15/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ SIMS WAY	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions	41/25	\$237.00
2/2/2012	FAIRMONT PL/ CORAM AV	Failure to Obey Stop Sign		\$70.00
2/13/2012	120 MEADOW ST	Possession of Tobacco by a minor in a public place (subsequent offense)		\$100.00
2/7/2012	BRIDGE ST/ HOWE AV	Allowing Dog to Roam		\$92.00
2/12/2012	555 BRIDGEPORT AV	Operating a MV without a License		\$158.00
2/10/2012	3 CORAM RD	Failure to Renew Registration		\$117.00
2/14/2012	ROARING BROOK LA/HUNTINGTON ST	Failure to Renew Registration		\$117.00
2/14/2012	521 RIVER RD	Operating Unregistered Motor Vehicle		\$117.00
2/18/2012	HUNTINGTON ST/ COMMERCE DR	Operating Unregistered Motor Vehicle		\$117.00
2/2/2012	BRIDGEPORT AV/ LONG HILL CROSS RD	Operation of Unregistered Motor Vehicle, Failure to Have Stop Lamps		\$209.00
2/3/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ SIMS WAY	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions		\$257.00
2/7/2012	86 MALER AV	Simple Trespass		\$92.00
2/7/2012	13 S RT 8 HWY	Failure to Grant Right of Way Intersection		\$132.00
2/10/2012	675 N CONSTITUTION N BLVD	Simple Trespass		\$92.00
2/15/2012	300 BRIDGEPORT AV	Following too close		\$132.00
2/2/2012	300 BRIDGEPORT AV	Failure to Renew Registration		\$50.00
2/15/2012	675 N CONSTITUTION N BLVD	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions		\$260.00

2/11/2012	HOWE AV/ CENTER ST	Operating a MV without a License		\$158.00
2/10/2012	430 CORAM AV	Failure to Grant Right of Way to Pedestrian in Crosswalk		\$181.00
2/6/2012	FARMER'S MARKET	Possession of Less than 1oz of Marijuana		\$150.00
2/17/2012	CORAM AV/ MYRTLE ST	Failure to Obey Stop Sign		\$129.00
2/6/2012	FARMER'S MARKET	Possession of Less than 1oz of Marijuana		\$150.00
2/8/2012	CORAM AV/ KNEEN ST	Disobey Officer Signal 1st Offense		\$132.00
2/19/2012	BRIDGEPORT AV/ LONG HILL CROSS RD	Wrong Way One Way, Failure to Display Plate		\$249.00
2/10/2012	675 N CONSTITUTION N BLVD	Simple Trespass		\$92.00
2/25/2012	131 CORAM RD	Failure to Grant Right of Way, Pedestrian		\$107.00
2/24/2012	LONG HILL	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions		\$161.00
2/21/2012	PERRY HILL RD/ SIMS WAY	Traveling Too Fast for Conditions		\$260.00
2/20/2012	BRIDGEPORT AV/ LONG HILL CROSS RD	Operating Unregistered Motor Vehicle		\$127.00
2/21/2012	567 HOWE AV	Unauthorized Display of Plate		\$150.00
2/21/2012	CORAM RD/ WOONSOCKET AV	Traveling Unreasonably Fast	41/25	\$166.00
2/20/2012	226 RIVER RD	Failure to Grant right of Way, Turning Left		\$132.00

Misdemeanors: 19

Infractions: 32

C. FIRE SERVICES

Fire Chief Jones submits a monthly report. Shelton Fire Company #4 purchased a rescue boat with funds from public donations. The boat will be used this spring and summer. This will bring the fleet up to three boats. The boats have reduced response time by up 18 minutes.

Eagle Scout project is a potential life saver as the troop placed reflectors on all fire hydrants to help firefighters locate hydrants faster at night and in bad weather.

The Public Safety Council should have a detailed report be ready by the 15th of the month regarding the radio system. The Fire department is optimistic that the new system will happen. The new system will not only improve the Fire Department communication system but will be an overall communication improvement with the Police and EMS. More information regarding towers, and installation time should be known when the detailed report is ready next week.

Fire department has a few other things in the works such as trying to fully staff the command staff and looking at truck specs to replace some vehicles. Plan to visit Board of Alderman to upgrade some fire gear and other items.

Alderman Papa asked about the Capital improvement plan Fire Chief Jones indicated the Fire department is looking to replace four vehicles with three. The plan is to replace vintage vehicles and seek capital improvement funds for two rescues and a quoin which is a ladder truck with a pump.

D. OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Director Millo is not present.

E. FIRE MARSHAL

The Fire Marshal was not present but did submit a report.

ALDERMAN MCGORTY MOVED TO ACCEPT ALL EMERGENCY SERVICES REPORTS. SECONDED BY ALDERMAN PAPA. ALL IN FAVOR. MOTION CARRIED 2-0

ADJOURNMENT

ALDERMAN MCGORTY MOVED TO ADJOURN AT 7:50 P.M. SECONDED BY ALDERMAN PAPA. ALL IN FAVOR. MOTION CARRIED 2-0.

RESPECTFULLY YOURS,

TERRI GANNON
CLERK, BOARD OF ALDERMEN
PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY COMM.