

PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES February 6, 2025 @ 7:45 AM
Village Hall-740 Hillgrove Avenue-Board Room
Western Springs, Il. 60558

Present: Chair Lewis, Member Chen, President Rudolph, Director Scott, and Director Gilhooley.

Chair Lewis moved to open the committee meeting, seconded by Member Chen. The motion passed on a roll call vote. Voting aye: Chair Lewis and Member Chen. The Public Health and Safety Committee meeting was called to order at 7:45 AM.

Agenda Items

1. Approval of Minutes (January 13, 2025):

Chair Lewis moved, seconded by Member Chen, to approve the meeting minutes from January 13, 2025, as read. The motion passed on a roll call vote. Voting aye: Chair Lewis and Member Chen. Voting nay: None.

2. Public Comment:

There was no public comment.

3. New Business:

1. 2024 Cook County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan:

Director Scott stated the Village of Western Springs adopted the Cook County Multi-Jurisdictional hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP) in 2019. The plan encompasses most individual communities within Cook County and has a goal to assess potential risks in the area. It contains strategies to address risks and ensure that both the County and Village are eligible for federal funding before or after a disaster occurs. The Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 mandates that FEMA update this plan every five years. Chair Lewis moved, seconded by Member Chen, to approve the 2024 Cook County Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan. The motion passed on a roll call vote. Voting aye: Chair Lewis and Member Chen. Voting nay: None.

4. Other Business:

None.

5. Adjournment:

Member Chen made a motion to adjourn at 7:52 AM, seconded by Chair Lewis. The motion was passed on a unanimous voice vote. The meeting was adjourned at 6:41 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Sean Gilhooley
Director of Law Enforcement Services