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### **Law and Order Committee**

Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020 1 p.m.

1. The Department Law and Order Committee was called to order on Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020, at 1 p.m. in regular form by Chairman Bart Arndt. Invocation led by Chairman Arndt. Jermaine Ferguson, Department Liaison, was appointed as secretary.

### 2. Roll Call of Members

# **Appointed Secretary**

District	Chairman	Present	Excused/Absent	Voucher
				Submitted
1	Karl Betz		Excused	N/A
2	Chuck Craynon		Excused	N/A
3	David Wicks		Absent	N/A
4	Jerry Perry		Excused – Submitted	N/A
			online vote	
5	David Robertson		Excused	N/A
6	Bart Arndt, Chairman	X		Yes
7	Rick Lavalley Jr	X		Yes
8	Carl Ed Fondale	X		Yes
9	William Runyan		Excused – submitted an	N/A
			online vote	
10	Douglas Russell	X		Yes
11	Andy Matheny	X		Yes
12	Bernie Brogan	X		Yes
13	Leroy Brinkhoff	X		Yes
14	Robert Carson	X		Yes
	<b>Total Line</b>	8	4 Excused; 1 Absent	8

Guest: Jermaine Ferguson, Liaison

## 3. Firefighter of the Year Award

A motion made by Richard Lavelley Jr. (7<sup>th</sup>) to nominate David G. Moulden as Department Firefighter of the Year, seconded by Leroy Brinkhoff (13<sup>th</sup>). All in favor.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

# 4. Civilian Life Saver of the Year Award

A motion made by Richard Lavalley Jr. (7<sup>th</sup>) to nominate Larry Black as Department Civilian Life Saver of the Year, Seconded by Robert Carson (14<sup>th</sup>). All in favor.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

## 5. Law Officer of the Year Award

A motion made by Douglas Russell (10<sup>th</sup>) to nominate Jason D. Lapp as Department Law Enforcement Officer of the Year, seconded by Carl Ed Fondale (8<sup>th</sup>). All in favor.

**MOTION CARRIED** 

#### **5. Old Business**

a. None

## 6. New Business

- **a.** The Committee reviewed the eligibility criteria for the National Law Enforcement Officer and National Firefighter of the Year Awards.
- **b.** The Committee reviewed the eligibility criteria and nomination process for Department Law Enforcement Officer, Firefighter, and Civilian Life Saver Awards.
- **c.** The committee discussed the lack of participation in the Law and Order Programs and methods to receive nominations. Jermaine Ferguson, Liaison, will publish an article in the Ohio Legion News

A motion was made by Rick Lavalley (7<sup>th</sup>) to schedule the Law and Order Committee and National Security Committee meeting on the same day, seconded by Leroy Brinkhoff (13<sup>th</sup>). All in favor.

### **MOTION CARRIED**

**d.** The committee does not recommend disbanding the Law and Order Committee.

# 7. Resolutions

a. None

## 8. Good of the Legion

- a. None
- **9.** Meeting adjourned at 2:27 p.m.