

## Minutes

Public Safety Committee Oelwein Community Plaza, 25 West Charles, Oelwein, Iowa July 27, 2020 - 5:15 PM

## **Pledge of Allegiance**

## Discussions

1. Vicious Animal Appeal

City Attorney Pat Dillon questioned Officer Ted Phillips on the event that occurred on July 2, 2020

Phillips provided a narrative to council inline with the report he provided to City Council.

Dillon then questioned Troy Meyer who was appealing his vicious dog ruling on his animals. Meyer did not deny that the dogs has bitten Donna Gloede but did state that his black lab did not bite the victim.

Council member Warren Fisk questioned if any of the dogs were on leashes. Meyer answered that the dogs were not on leashes.

Council member Matt Weber asked if the officer knew that the black lab had not hurt the victim. Phillips did not witness the bite and was not aware if the black lab was involved.

Weber explained that the two dogs who did bite the victim fit the description of a dangerous dog. Weber motioned to deem Pewee (tan dog) and Ann (tan/white dog) vicious. Fisk seconded the motion. The committee approved the motion.

Dillon let Meyer know that he will follow up with him after the meeting to ensure the follow the rules of the vicious dog ordinance.

## Adjournment

Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator