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LAW ENFORCEMENT EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT GOVERNING BOARD

MINUTES

Randolph Riverfront Center Alexandria, LA July 20, 2021

CALL TO ORDER

A quarterly meeting of the Law Enforcement Executive Management Institute (LEEMI) Governing Board was held on Tuesday, July 20, 2021. Chief Jim Craft called the meeting to order at 2:05 pm.

Ms. Briana Blanchard conducted the roll call. LEEMI Board members that were present: Chief David Anderson, Chief Rickey Boudreaux, Chief Jim Craft, and Chief Christopher Wilrye. A membership quorum was present.

Consideration of Minutes

Chief Jim Craft asked for a motion to approve the minutes as presented (from March 4, 2020). Chief Anderson made a motion for approval. Chief Boudreaux seconded the motion. The motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS

Ms. Rebekah Taylor presented an update on the 2021 LEEMI New Police Chief's school. She shared that the class was held at JESTC on February 8-12 and they graduated 35 new police chiefs.

NEW BUSINESS

Chief Jim Craft called for the election of the new LEEMI Chairman. Chief Boudreaux nominated Chief Anderson. Chief Wilrye seconded the nomination. There were no other nominations. Chief Anderson was elected as the new LEEMI Chairman.

Fabian Blache addressed the board to discuss some new courses asking to be accepted as CEUs. There are three new classes that have been submitted this year. Basic Life Support/Narcan (4 hours), CPR (2 hours) and Hurricane Preparedness (6 hours). After some discussion Chief Anderson made a motion to accept the Narcan and Hurricane Preparedness courses. Chief Craft seconded the motion.

OTHER BUSINESS

Chief Jim Craft called for other business. Chief Anderson discussed that in the minutes from the previous meeting, finding a definite answer for the retention period of body cam footage was promised. Due to COVID-19 and a change in board members, they do not have that answer at this time but Chief Anderson will be looking into before the next meeting.

Chief Anderson made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Chief Boudreaux, the motion passed.

Meeting Adjourned