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Todd Ingrouille, *President*
Peni Keeling, *Vice President*
Ron Frederick, *Secretary*
Derrell Greene, *Commissioner*
Charles Bradley, *Commissioner*

Kenosha Police and Fire Commission
AGENDA
Tuesday, April 20, 2010
8:00 a.m.
Municipal Office Building, Room 202
625 52nd Street, Kenosha, Wisconsin

1. Call to order.
2. Approval of the minutes of the regular meeting held March 16, 2010. (enclosed, action)
3. Citizen comments on matters relative to the agenda and within the jurisdiction of the Board.
4. Receive and file Police and Fire Department Reports for the month of March, 2010. (enclosed, action)
5. Receive and file Kenosha Fire Department's 2009 Annual Report. (enclosed, action)
6. Receive and file Police Chief Morrissey's memo recognizing Police Department employees with perfect attendance in 2009. (enclosed, action)
7. Receive and file Police Officer Andrew K. Stein's letter of resignation. (enclosed, action)
8. Receive and file Police Captain Thomas Vieth's three (3) letters of recognition presented to Officer Michael Rivera for his actions during emergency calls on August 4th, August 7th and September 9th, 2009. (enclosed, action)
9. Chiefs' Comments.
10. Commissioners' Comments.
11. Set next meeting date and agenda items.
12. Adjournment (action)

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POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSION MINUTES OF MEETING HELD MARCH 16, 2010

1. The regular Police & Fire Commission meeting was called to order by President Todd Ingrouille at 8:01 a.m. on Tuesday, March 16, 2010. The meeting was held in room 202 of the Municipal Office Building. On roll call, the following members of the Commission were present, President Ingrouille, Vice President Keeling, Secretary Frederick, Commissioner Greene. Commissioner Bradley was absent.
2. Vice President Keeling made a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held January 19, 2010 and the special meeting held March 2, 2010. Secretary Frederick seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously.
3. Citizen's comments: None
4. Vice President Keeling made a motion to receive and file Police and Fire Department Reports for the months of January & February 2010. Commissioner Greene seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously.
5. Vice President Keeling made a motion to receive and file Fire Chief Thomsen's memo regarding the successful completion of the probationary period by Fire Fighters Jared Harmann, Joseph Sielski and Daniel O'Connell. Commissioner Greene seconded the motion and it was carried.
6. Secretary Frederick made a motion to receive and file Police Lieutenant Steve Larson's Letter of Recognition to Police Officers Tyler Cochran and Michael Held. Vice President Keeling seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously.
7. Secretary Frederick made a motion to receive and file documentation on the 2009/2010 Police Officer Selection Process. Vice President Keeling seconded the motion and it was carried.
8. Vice President Keeling made a motion to receive and file Sally Herrmann's letter of appreciation. Secretary Frederick seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously.
9. Vice President Keeling made a motion to receive and file Robert Glazauskis's e-mail regarding the outcome of the Bell case. Secretary Frederick seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously.
10. Police Department appointments effective April 1, 2010:
 - The appointment of Austin J. Brechue to Probationary Police Officer was approved on a motion made by Vice President Keeling, seconded by Commissioner Greene and carried.

- The appointment of Jeremy M. DeWitt to Probationary Police officer was approved on a motion made by Vice President Keeling, seconded by Commissioner Greene and carried unanimously.
- The appointment of Darren D. Londo to Probationary Police Officer was approved on a motion made by Secretary Frederick, seconded by Vice President Keeling and carried.

11. Fire Department appointment effective April 1, 2010:

- The appointment of Christopher M. Daniel to Probationary Fire Fighter was approved on a motion made by Vice President Keeling, seconded by Commissioner Greene and carried unanimously.

12. Chief's Comments

Fire Chief Thomsen:

- Mentioned Battalion Chief Matthew Haerter has been designated as a "Chief Fire Officer (CFO)" by the National Center for Public Safety Excellence. Candidates must meet international performance standards to be considered for the award. There are only 680 fire service personnel worldwide who have succeeded.

Police Chief Morrissey:

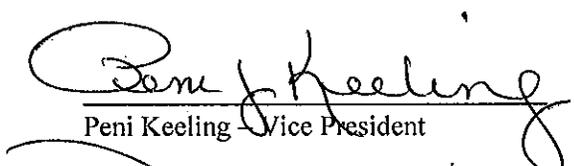
- Mentioned that the 2009 Annual Report has been distributed. Violent crimes are down 20%, vehicle theft is down 38%. Total reduction in crime of only 1% due to increases in other areas. Emergency calls received has increased by 8,721.
- Crime Prevention Officers are sponsoring a Blood Drive on April 17th at the Kenosha Rotary Safety Center, 5716 14th Avenue, from 8:00 a.m to 3:00 p.m.

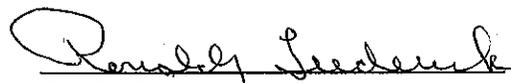
13. Commissioners' Comments: None

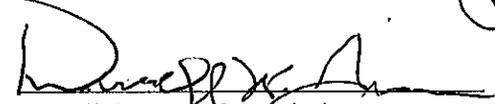
14. The next Police and Fire Commission Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 20, 2010 at 8:00 a.m. in room 202 of the Municipal Office Building.

15. The meeting adjourned at 8:19 a.m. on a motion made by Vice President Keeling, seconded by Secretary Frederick and carried.

Todd Ingrouille - President


Peni Keeling - Vice President


Ron Frederick - Secretary


Derrell Greene - Commissioner


Charles Bradley - Commissioner

CFS01 - Run By: MORRISSEY, JOHN

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Calls For Service
Daily Summary
03/01/2010 to 03/31/2010

Incident Number	Ofcr Add Assg Unt	Complainant	Type Call	Location	Time Recd	Time Disp	Time Arvd	Time Comp	Time Spnt	Disposition
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Total Calls for the Period: 8,979

REPORT GRAND TOTALS

CALL RECEIVED SUMMARY

ALARM	116
BOX ALARM	
CELL PHONE	1,822
E-911 CALL	533
OFFICER INITIATED	1,647
PHONE	2,582
RADIO	8
TRAFFIC STOP	2,017
WALK-IN	249
OTHER	
ATUO CALL	5

TOTAL WORK TIME 640,798

CALL DISPOSITION SUMMARY

REPORT	1,793
NO REPORT	7,076
VOID	100
CSR-CITIZEN SELF REPORT	
GOA	4
WARRANT	5
TRANSPORTED	
NO TRANSPORT	
DENIAL OF INJURY (DOI)	
ASSIST CITIZEN/NO TRANSP	
NO PATIENT	
AGAINST MEDICAL ADVICE (A	
SAVE/REASSIGNED	

OFF01 - Run By: JWM309

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OFFENSE ACTIVITY
BY DISPOSITION

03/01/2010 THRU 03/31/2010

OFFENSE	OFFENSES REPORTED	UNFOUNDED	ACTUAL OFFENSES	/----- OFFENSES CLEARED -----/					TOTAL CLEARED	PERCENT CLEARED
				/---BY ARREST---/		/---BY EXCEPTION---/				
				ADULT	JUVENILE	ADULT	JUVENILE	OTHER		
CHAP51/SUICIDE ATT	9		9					8	8	88.8
NATURAL DEATH	7		7					6	6	85.7
DEATH INV	4		4							0.0
ROBBERY/FIREARM H/S/A	1		1					1	1	100.0
ROBBERY/SHARP TOOL H/S/A	1		1							0.0
ROBBERY/SHARP TOOL COMM B	1		1							0.0
ROBBERY/FORCE H/S/A	1		1							0.0
AGG ASLT/OTHER WEAPON	2		2	1				1	2	100.0
AGG ASLT/HANDS, FEET, ETC	5		5	3	1				4	80.0
BURG/FORCE, RESIDENCE	19		19	1				2	3	15.7
BURG/FORCE, NON-RESIDENCE	5		5					1	1	20.0
BURG/UNLAWFUL ENTRY, RESID	8		8			1		1	2	25.0
BURG/UNLAWFUL ENTRY, NON-R	1		1							0.0
BURG/ATTEMPT, RESIDENCE	4		4		1				1	25.0
THF PCKPOCK \$50-199	1		1		1				1	100.0
THF SHOPLFT 200+	3		3	1	1				2	66.6
THF SHOPLFT \$50-199	9		9	7	2				9	100.0
THF SHOPLFT \$1-49	24		24	18	3			2	23	95.8
THF FRM VEH 200+	11		11					1	1	9.0
THF FRM VEH \$50-199	12		12					1	1	8.3
THF FRM VEH \$1-49	10		10					2	2	20.0
THF VEH ACC 200+	2		2							0.0
THF VEH ACC \$50-199	5		5							0.0
THF VEH ACC \$1-49	7		7					3	3	42.8
THF BIKE 200+	5		5					1	1	20.0
THF BIKE \$50-199	2		2					1	1	50.0
THF BLDG 200+	10		10	1	3				4	40.0
THF BLDG \$50-199	2		2							0.0
THF BLDG \$1-49	2		2					1	1	50.0
THF VENDING, ATTEMPT	1		1							0.0
THF DRIVE OFF \$50-199	1		1					1	1	100.0
THF DRIVE OFF \$1-49	2		2					1	1	50.0
THF OTHER 200+	31	2	29	3				3	6	20.6
THF OTHER \$50-199	9		9	1				2	3	33.3
THF OTHER \$1-49	17		17	2	1			3	6	35.2
MV THEFT, AUTO	12	1	11	3				2	5	45.4
MV THEFT, TRUCK	1		1					1	1	100.0
MV THEFT, OTH JURIS, REC LO	2		2					1	1	50.0
BATTERY/SIMPLE ASLT	42		42	13	12		1	7	33	78.5
BATTERY/DV	39		39	31	2				33	84.6

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OFFENSE	OFFENSES		ACTUAL OFFENSES	OFFENSES CLEARED			TOTAL CLEARED	PERCENT CLEARED
	REPORTED	UNFOUNDED		---BY ARREST---	---BY EXCEPTION---	OTHER		
THREATS/INTIMIDATION	9		9	1		4	5	55.5
FORGERY/DOCUMENTS	2		2			1	1	50.0
FORGERY/PRESCRIPTION FOR	1		1					0.0
FRAUD/WORTHLESS CK	2		2					0.0
FRAUD/CHECK	1		1					0.0
FRAUD/CONFIDENCE	1		1					0.0
FRAUD/ATTEMPT	1		1					0.0
FRAUD/OTHER	4	1	3					0.0
FRAUD/IDENTITY THEFT	38	1	37	1	1	5	7	18.9
FRAUD, THEFT BY	1		1			1	1	100.0
EMBEZZLEMENT	6		6	2			2	33.3
VANDALISM/RESIDENCE	11		11		1		1	9.0
VANDALISM/AUTO	40		40	1		4	5	12.5
VANDALISM/BUSINESS	3		3					0.0
VANDALISM/SCHOOL	2		2					0.0
VANDALISM/PUBLIC PROPERTY	5		5	2	1	1	4	80.0
VANDALISM/PRIVATE PROPERT	8		8		1		1	12.5
WPN/POSSESS ILLEGAL	2		2		2		2	100.0
WPN/ENDGR SAFETY/RECKLESS	6		6	3	1	1	5	83.3
WPN/AIMING & POINTING	2		2					0.0
WPN/CCW	7		7	6	1		7	100.0
WPN/OTHER VIO	1		1			1	1	100.0
SEX ASLT, 1ST (OFFENSE)	3		3	2			2	66.6
SEX OFFENSES, OTHER	8	1	7			2	2	28.5
SEX-16 & OVER	1		1			1	1	100.0
SEX-13/15 YRS	1		1		1		1	100.0
SEX/COMPUTER-CHILD PORNOG	3		3			1	2	66.6
DRUG/DELIVERY SYN	1		1		1		1	100.0
DRUG/POSSESS HARD DRUGS	4		4	4			4	100.0
DRUG/POSSESS MARIJUANA	33		33	27	5	1	33	100.0
DRUG/POSSESS SYN	4		4	3	1		4	100.0
DRUG/PWID MARIJUANA	5		5	4	1		5	100.0
DRUG INVESTIGATION	1		1			1	1	100.0
FAMILY TROUBLE	115	2	113	3		109	112	99.1
CHILD NEGLECT	3	1	2	2			2	100.0
CHILD ABUSE	19	3	16	4		8	12	75.0
RESTRAINING ORDER	5		5	1		1	2	40.0
CHILD CUSTODY, INTERFERE	1		1			1	1	100.0
DWI, ALCOHOL	33		33	33			33	100.0
DWD, DRUGS	1		1	1			1	100.0

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				/---BY ARREST---/		/----BY EXCEPTION-----/				
				ADULT	JUVENILE	ADULT	JUVENILE	OTHER		
LIQ, LICENSE VIOLATION	2		2	2					2	100.0
LIQ, POSSESSION BY UNDERAG	10		10	8	2				10	100.0
LIQ, DRINK IN MV	1		1	1					1	100.0
LIQ, MINOR LOITER IN TAVER	1		1	1					1	100.0
LIQ, INTOX IN PARK	1		1	1					1	100.0
LIQ, VIOLATION OTHER	3		3	3					3	100.0
TAVERN REPORT	13		13					13	13	100.0
DC/PERSON	56		56	16	25			11	52	92.8
DC/ANNOYING PHONE CALLS	12		12		1			6	7	58.3
DC/LOUD MUSIC	3		3	2				1	3	100.0
DC/NEIGHBOR TROUBLE	1		1							0.0
DC/FIGHT IN PUBLIC	9		9	2	6			1	9	100.0
DC/OTHER	3		3	3					3	100.0
DC/DOM ABUSE	22		22	19	2				21	95.4
DC/STALKING	2		2					1	1	50.0
LITTERING	2		2	2					2	100.0
TRESPASSING (ADULT ONLY)	5	1	4	2				2	4	100.0
CIVIL MATTER	4		4					2	2	50.0
IN PARK AFTER HOURS	1		1	1					1	100.0
SUSP VEHICLE	2		2					1	1	50.0
SUSP PERSON	7		7					2	2	28.5
PROWLER	2		2	2					2	100.0
SUSP NOISE	1		1							0.0
SUSP OTHER	2		2					1	1	50.0
JUV/TRESPASS	5		5		3			1	4	80.0
JUV/CURFEW VIOLATION	14		14	1	13				14	100.0
JUV/TOBACCO VIOL	5		5		5				5	100.0
RUNAWAY	48		48					43	43	89.5
ADULT, MISSING	2		2					2	2	100.0
CHILD, FOUND	2		2					2	2	100.0
TRF/RECKLESS DRIVING	4		4	2					2	50.0
TRF/ABANDN VEHICLE	3		3	1				2	3	100.0
TRF/TOW IN	29		29	2				26	28	96.5
TRF/PARKING COMPLAINT	1		1					1	1	100.0
TRF/PD ACCIDENT	81		81					81	81	100.0
TRF/PI ACCIDENT	41		41					41	41	100.0
TRF/LICENSE VIOLATION	176		176	171	4			1	176	100.0
TRF/MV VIO, OTHER	2		2	1				1	2	100.0
TRF/UNNECESSARY NOISE	3		3	3					3	100.0
TRF/EQUIP VIOL	2		2					2	2	100.0

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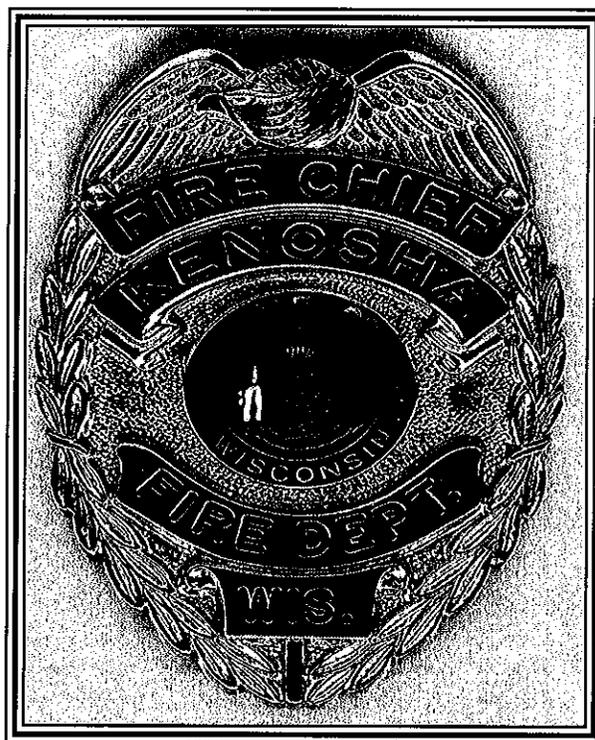
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				ADULT	JUVENILE	ADULT	JUVENILE	OTHER		
ANI/DOG BITE	1		1	1					1	100.0
ANI/BARKING DOG	1		1	1					1	100.0
ANIMAL AT LARGE	3		3	2				1	3	100.0
ANIMAL CRUELTY	1		1					1	1	100.0
CONTEMPT, BAIL JUMPING	3		3	2					2	66.6
CONTEMPT, OTHER	1		1	1					1	100.0
P & P VIOLATIONS	10		10	9					9	90.0
JUV/TRUANT	11		11		11				11	100.0
JUV/UNCONTROLLABLE	1		1					1	1	100.0
RESIST/OBSTRUCT OFFICER	4		4	4					4	100.0
CONTRIBUTING, ALL TYPES	1		1					1	1	100.0
COUNTERFEIT MONEY	1		1							0.0
SUSP PACKAGE	1		1					1	1	100.0
FIRE, VEHICLE	1		1							0.0
CHECK RESIDENCE	3		3					3	3	100.0
CHECK WELFARE	13		13					12	12	92.3
INJ PERSON/MED RUN	20	1	19					18	18	94.7
OVERDOSE, ACCIDENTAL	2		2					1	1	50.0
CHAPTER 51	18		18					17	17	94.4
MENTAL PROBLEMS	20		20					19	19	95.0
SRV/OFFICER SAFETY	1		1					1	1	100.0
SRV/CITIZEN ASSIST	1		1					1	1	100.0
ATL VEHICLE	2		2					1	1	50.0
ATL PERSON	1		1					1	1	100.0
ASSIST OTH AGENCY	5		5					5	5	100.0
SRV/INFO ONLY	1		1							0.0
SRV/ADD PATROL	2		2					2	2	100.0
TAMPERING WITH MAIL	2		2							0.0
WAW/WARRANT	2		2	1				1	2	100.0
JUVENILE TRANSPORT	1		1		1				1	100.0
PROPERTY/FOUND	19		19					16	16	84.2
PROPERTY/LOST	7		7					3	3	42.8
REPOSSESSION	24		24					24	24	100.0
PROPERTY/OTHER	1		1					1	1	100.0
LIC, JEWELRY/PAWN DEALER	3		3	1				2	3	100.0
HIT & RUN PD	45		45					45	45	100.0
HIT & RUN PI	2		2					2	2	100.0
AGENCY: 00TOTALS	1542	14	1528	453	117	1	2	620	1193	

KENOSHA FIRE DEPARTMENT

MONTHLY REPORT



MARCH
2010



RESPONSE BY UNITS

	MONTHLY		YEAR TO DATE		YTD COMBINED FIRE/EMS TOTALS
	EMS	FIRE	EMS	FIRE	
Engine #2	82	9	272	34	306
Engine #3	86	27	310	80	390
Engine #4	61	20	177	61	238
Engine #5	89	24	266	62	328
Engine #6	76	9	207	29	236
Engine #44	0	0	0	0	0
Engine #55	0	0	0	0	0
Truck #3	4	31	25	108	133
Truck #4	3	22	13	75	88
Truck #7	44	18	100	44	144
P-19	1	0	1	0	1
MERV #1	0	0	0	0	0
MERV #2	0	0	0	0	0
Battalion 1	9	36	33	117	150
Med Unit #2	24	1	26	1	27
Med Unit #3	215	7	738	28	766
Med Unit #4	161	1	496	13	509
Med Unit #5	200	3	619	22	641
Med Unit #7	60	2	158	4	162
Rescue #33	1	0	2	0	2
Rescue #44	0	0	3	0	3
Rescue #77	0	0	0	0	0



KENOSHA FIRE DEPARTMENT CALLS FOR SERVICE

03/01/10 THRU 03/31/10

	MARCH	YEAR TO DATE
EMS Calls for Service	667	2056
Fire Calls for Service	98	268
Total Calls for Service	765	2324

APPROXIMATE LOSS/ SAVE SUMMARY

Approximate Fire Loss for March	<u>\$63,203</u>	Approximate Fire Save for March	<u>\$243,798</u>
Approximate Fire Loss to Date	<u>\$475,782</u>	Approximate Fire Save to Date	<u>\$987,719</u>

Respectfully Submitted,

John R. Thomsen
Fire Chief
Kenosha Fire Department

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JOHN W. MORRISSEY
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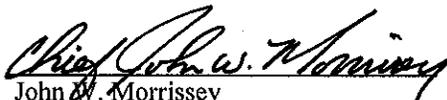
THOMAS W. GENTHNER
Assistant Chief of Police

Memorandum

To: Police & Fire Commission
From: John W. Morrissey, Chief
Date: March 16, 2010
Re: **Employee Attendance**

Each year at this time we recognize, congratulate, and thank those employees who worked the entire past year without utilizing sick time. We checked our records and found a large number of our employees worked more than one year without missing a day's work due to illness.

We proudly list on the attached sheet the names and number of continuous years of perfect attendance for these very special employees. My **CONGRATULATIONS** and sincere **THANKS** to each of them who accomplished their goal of perfect attendance for one or more years.


John W. Morrissey
CHIEF OF POLICE

Cc: KPD Administration
Mayor Bosman
City Administrator Pacetti
Human Resources

Attachment



The mission of the Kenosha Police Department is to serve all people with respect, fairness and compassion. We are committed to preserving peace, order and safety; enforcing laws and ordinances; and safeguarding constitutional rights.

Rank	Fname	Lname	Cumulative Years of Perfect Attendance
Lieutenant	Edo	Maccari	16
Officer	Mark	Jambrek	14
Lieutenant	Steven	Larson	11
Chief	John	Morrissey	8
	Carol	Hansen	6
Captain	Daniel	Miskinis	6
Officer	Jonathan	Schrandt	6
Sergeant	James	Heiring	5
Sergeant	Hugh	Rafferty	4
Captain	Thomas	Vieth	4
Sergeant	Joseph	Gemignani	3
Lieutenant	Michael	Rombalski	3
Officer	Casey	Apker	2
Lieutenant	Ronald	Bartholomew	2
Officer	Phillip	Brietchaft	2
Officer	Michael	Held	2
Lieutenant	Eric	Larsen	2
Officer	Todd	Marshall	2
Detective	Lesley	Meredith	2
Officer	Mark	Poffenberger	2
Officer	Todd	Thorne	2
Officer	Tadas	Zukauskas	2
Officer	Trevor	Albrecht	1
Detective	David	Alfredson	1
	Kelly	Andreoli	1
Officer	Christopher	Bonds	1
Officer	Timothy	Cepress	1
Officer	Tyler	Cochran	1
Officer	Daniel	Cooper	1
Officer	Ashley	Dobbe	1
Detective	Kenneth	Duffy	1
Officer	Keith	Dumesic	1
	Therese	Kemen	1
Officer	Jason	Kenesie	1
Officer	Ronald	Lucci	1
Detective	Arnold	Pederson	1
Officer	Adrian	Primmer	1
Officer	Donald	Rowley	1
Officer	Andrew	Stein	1
Sergeant	Guy	Tappa	1
Officer	Dennis	Walsh	1
Officer	Brian	Wilson	1
Detective	Steven	Deschler	1
	Honorable Mention: Duty Injury 10/27/2009		

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THOMAS W. GENTHNER
Assistant Chief of Police

Memorandum

To: Police & Fire Commission
From: John W. Morrissey, Chief of Police 
Date: April 7, 2010
Re: Resignation of Officer Andrew K. Stein

Attached is a letter of resignation submitted by Officer Andrew K. Stein indicating his last day of employment with the City of Kenosha Police Department will be March 27, 2010.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Attachment



The mission of the Kenosha Police Department is to serve all people with respect, fairness and compassion. We are committed to preserving peace, order and safety; enforcing laws and ordinances; and safeguarding constitutional rights.

March 19, 2010

Dear Chief Morrissey,

I am writing to submit my letter of resignation to the City of Kenosha Police Department for another Police Position with the City of Elgin Police Department. I would like to request that my last day of service be March 27th 2010. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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PO A.K. Stein # 524



**Kenosha Police Department
1st Shift Performance Recognition Award**

Presented to: Officer Michael Rivera

Reference: Lifesaving efforts at Stabbing scene

Case: 09-117595

CC: Chief Morrissey, A/Cs Brydges and Genthner, Lt. Larsen and Shift file

On August 04, 2009 Officer Michael Rivera responded to 1833-54th St. in reference to a "trouble unknown" call. Upon arrival Officer Rivera located a blood covered stabbing victim, Adolfo Ortiz-Oseguera. The victim was "ashy" in color and was dripping blood as the result of being stabbed numerous times in the upper torso. Rivera immediately contacted rescue and went to work treating Adolfo. Seeing a massive gaping wound on Adolfo's left arm Rivera had to use both hands to close this wound and apply direct pressure. Rivera also observed another large laceration to Adolfo's right deltoid area and again squeezed this wound shut prior to applying direct pressure. Both of these lacerations were down to the bone. With both hands now already holding wounds shut Rivera observed another large wound to Adolfo's torso. Officer Rivera then used his knee to also apply direct pressure to this wound. Officer Bennett arrived as backup and Officer Rivera then directed him in assisting in applying direct pressure to additional serious wounds that Adolfo suffered. Despite blood squirting him in the face Officer Rivera maintained direct pressure on these wounds until rescue arrived and took over medical treatment. Throughout this incident Officer Rivera spoke with Adolfo and kept him from panicking and going into shock. Officer Rivera's quick action and superb medical assistance and calming voice in the midst of this chaos led to Adolfo's survival despite more than 40 serious stab wounds.

Therefore this **LETTER OF RECOGNITION** is presented to:

Officer Michael Rivera for your dedication to the people of Kenosha by your quick thinking in caring for a critically injured citizen and your thoroughness and professionalism in carrying out this assignment.

THANK YOU FOR A JOB WELL DONE! Your dedication and professional conduct serve as an example to all.


Capt. Thomas Vieth



Kenosha Police Department
1st Shift Performance Recognition Award

Presented to: Officer Michael Rivera

Reference: Lifesaving efforts at Stabbing scene

Case: 09-119276

CC: Chief Morrissey, A/Cs Brydges and Genthner, Lt. Larsen and Shift file

On August 07, 2009 Officer Michael Rivera responded to 5904-50th Av. for a Medical Call regarding a female in her 30's that was possibly unconscious and not breathing. Upon officers arrival it was learned that this was actually a stabbing (unfortunately this call later turned into a homicide investigation). On-scene officers obtained information that the suspect in this case was now hiding in the basement. Upon searching the basement officers located the suspect, Jose Leon-Colon, laying inside a basement storage bin and bleeding profusely from stab wounds to his chest, neck and hand areas. Officer Rivera then rushed downstairs to assist and upon examining Jose further Officer Rivera noticed that there was a large laceration on the side of his neck and saw that a large artery had been severed. Officer Rivera then immediately applied direct pressure to the wounds of this suspect until Rescue arrived and took over treatment. Because of his actions Jose survived these very serious injuries.

Therefore this **LETTER OF RECOGNITION** is presented to:

Officer Michael Rivera for your dedication to the people of Kenosha by your quick thinking in caring for a critically injured citizen and your thoroughness and professionalism in carrying out this assignment. This is especially poignant in this case because the injured was also the suspect in a Homicide and Officer Rivera did not hesitate to assist this critically injured individual.

THANK YOU FOR A JOB WELL DONE! Your dedication and professional conduct serve as an example to all.

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Capt. Thomas Vieth



Kenosha Police Department
1st Shift Performance Recognition Award

Presented to: Officer Michael Rivera

Reference: Lifesaving efforts at Robbery/Shooting scene

Case: 09-138082

CC: Chief Morrissey, A/Cs Brydges and Genthner, Lt. Larsen and Shift file

On September 09, 2009 Officer Michael Rivera responded to the Jewelry Exchange, 2400-52nd St. for an Armed Robbery call. Dispatch advised that the store owner had shot one of the robbers, with the robber now fleeing the scene on foot. As Officer Rivera responded to the scene he observed a person laying next to the road on 54th St. north of the scene. Upon reaching this person Officer Rivera immediately noticed a large caliber handgun lying next to this person, who was wearing latex gloves and a black bandana around his neck. After handcuffing the suspect he was rolled on his back and Officer Rivera observed his chest area to be blood covered and a bullet hole in the right pectoral area. Officer Rivera immediately applied direct pressure to this wound to prevent further bleeding and calmed the suspect until Rescue arrived. The suspect did survive this very serious bullet wound.

Therefore this **LETTER OF RECOGNITION** is presented to:

Officer Michael Rivera for your dedication to the people of Kenosha by your quick thinking in caring for a critically injured citizen and your thoroughness and professionalism in carrying out this assignment. This is especially poignant in this case because the injured was also the suspect in an Armed Robbery and Officer Rivera did not hesitate to assist this critically injured individual.

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Capt. Thomas Vieth