

## Crime and Public Safety Committee

Thursday, 6/01/23 @ Town Hall

### Municipal Office Building

- I. Call To Order - 7:00pm present were Scott K., Tom D., Diane L., Don M., Nancy M., and Pam K.
- II. Approval of Minutes - Since this is our first meeting there were no minutes to be approved.
- III. New Business
  - The meeting was started with Scott Kleinschrodt being nominated as chairperson of the committee and Diane Lyon being nominated as secretary. Tom D. nominated both and the nominations were seconded by Don M.
  - The committee then reviewed our charge: To hold a series of open, public meetings to gather community input into crime and public safety in Dalton and to explore potential alternatives for law enforcement, including a dedicated Dalton police officer or officers.
  - It was decided that the task force will meet on Thursdays (1st and 3rd) @ 6:30pm at the town municipal building. We will try to keep the meetings to 45 to 60 minutes in length. The meetings will be open to the public and we ask for respect for all.
  - At the next meeting we will begin to assemble data - state police records, stats from surrounding towns, and standards needed for a small town police force, etc.
  - No public comment
  - Meeting was adjourned at 8:00pm.