

CITY OF BURTON
PUBLIC HEARING FOR POLICE GRANT
SEPTEMBER 8, 1998, 4:00 P.M., POLICE/FIRE FACILITY

The Public Hearing was called to order by Police Chief John Benthall, at 4:00 P.M.

Advisory Board Members Present: M. Crawford, Resident; Lt. Cunningham, Police Department; T. Goring, School Representative.

Others Present: J. Benthall, Police Chief and C. Ladd, Deputy City Clerk.

PURPOSE OF THE MEETING: Public Hearing relative to Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant.

PRESENTATION:

Chief Benthall explained that prior to this public hearing, an Advisory Board Meeting was held with the representatives from the Police Department, Schools, Citizen, Prosecutor's Office and Courts all present. All of the information on the grant was presented to the Board Members and there was a consensus that the grant be allocated for the hiring of an additional police officer and equipment associated with the functions for law enforcement officers. The grant is in the amount of \$46,963.00. The purpose of this meeting is for the residents to have input regarding the use of this grant.

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION:

Tom Goring, School Representative, said he supports the wishes of the Advisory Board to hire a police officer with the funds coming from the Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant.

Chief Benthall closed the public hearing.

Meeting adjourned at 4:04 P.M.

Cheryl M. Ladd, CMC/AAE
Deputy City Clerk

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