

CITY OF BURTON
POLICE DEPARTMENT PUBLIC HEARING
BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE AWARD MINUTES
APRIL 11, 2000/4:30 P.M., POLICE DEPARTMENT TRAINING ROOM

The Public Hearing was called to order by Police Chief John Benthall at 4:34 p.m.

Advisory Board Members Present: Tom Gorang, Superintendent Atherton Schools; Mary Crawford, Community Representative; Cora Gregory, 67th District Court; Jerry Dickenson, Prosecutor's Office and Shawn Duncanson, Burton Police Department.

Others Present: Burton Police Chief John Benthall and Gayle Webster, City Clerk.

PURPOSE OF THE MEETING:

Discussion of the Bureau of Justice Assistance Award
Number 2000LBVX0319

PRESENTATION:

Chief John Benthall indicated that notification of this meeting was published twice in the Suburban News and posted at City Hall. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the Bureau of Justice Assistance Award #2000LBVX0319. Prior to this meeting, the Advisory Board met at 4:00 p.m. to discuss a number of items that could be purchased with this grant, which totals \$41,120.00 with Burton's matching amount being \$4,569.00. The board consisted of representatives from the schools, the community, the Prosecutor's Office, the court and the Police Department. Committee recommendations included: a speed detector, pistols, safety equipment, radios, a dog and a laser radar detector. The Chief was not sure if all items could be purchased at this time. The advisory board approved this list by a 5-0 vote. Mr. Benthall opened audience participation to allow citizens the opportunity to give input on grant expenditures.

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION:

No audience members were present.

BOARD DISCUSSION:

All board members were present at the hearing and supported the proposed grant expenditures.

Chief Benthall closed the public hearing.

Meeting adjourned at 4:36 P.M.

Gayle Webster
City Clerk