

**JULY 10, 2018**

**NEW CASTLE MERIT BOARD COMISSION**

Meeting called to order 6:08pm. Minutes from the April meeting were reviewed. No changes necessary. Motion was made to accept and seconded. All voted aye.

**Assistant Chief Wardlow:** (3) formal complaints were filed and found unsubstantiated. Farr graduated from the Academy and completed his probationary period and is ready to be promoted to First Class Patrolman. Sult is now currently in the Academy. (8) officers signed up for Sergeant testing and (5) for Lieutenant. (2) new K-9 officers have been purchased and Brandy and Josh are in their 2<sup>nd</sup> week of training with them. Motion was made and seconded to promote Farr. All voted aye.

**Unfinished Business:** Rule Books – still no progress. Discussed a tentative timeline for the promotions process. The list has been posted and all officers have been given ample time to act on it. The tests were discussed. Wardlow said if the testing is done this month then it would be done off of the old SOP. July 28 at 10am and July 30 at 4pm were decided on for testing dates. Bruce and Mark volunteered to head up the testing. They will be scored prior to the September meeting. A motion was made to approve the timeline with 1 change. Motion was seconded. All voted aye.

**No new business**

Meeting Adjourned 6:33pm