

CONN PAC MEETING MINUTES

Date: February 6, 2020

Location: Department of Public Safety, CT

Attendees: Avon, CSP, Coventry, Danbury, East Haven, East Windsor, Enfield, Farmington, Glastonbury, Greenwich, City of Groton, Hartford, Judicial Marshals, Madison, Monroe, Norwalk, POSTC, Ridgefield, Rocky Hill, Shelton, Simsbury, UCONN, West Hartford, Willimantic and Yale Public Safety.

Secretary's Report: Minutes of December 19, 2019 meeting presented for review. Motion made by POSTC and seconded Coventry to accept minutes as presented. Vote: Unanimous.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer's report presented by J. Parker. Balance is \$5089.84. Motion to accept the report as presented made Enfield and seconded by POSTC. Vote: Unanimous.

Introductions: Joe Race thanked everyone for electing him as President. Reiterated his belief in the importance of all Departments pursuing Accreditation.
New Members and Guests: West Hartford – Assistant Chief Terra, Yale Public Safety- Tom Madera, Shelton - Brian Yerzak

Old Business:

Accreditation Onsite & Mocks: Enfield, Rocky Hill and Coventry have on-sites in next month. Mocks: Willimantic will be looking for CALEA mock for late spring/early summer onsite. East Windsor looking for a Tier I mock in July.

POSTC Update: POSTC will be scheduling assessor training. Need State assessors. CLESP- Year 1 biggest issues related to Family violence policy, juvenile reporting since state opted out of grant, there is no reporting survey. Juvenile logs can work for compliance proof. Bill Tanner will be taking over CLESP program.

CALEA update: March Conference in Orlando, FL, March 18-21. 5 Connecticut agencies will be going to conference for reaccreditation including Glastonbury, Avon, CSP and Milford. CALEA commissioners can see all of SIMRS not just report.
New/Revised standards. Agencies have one year to come in to compliance with each update. SIRC-Detainee face to face 30 minute checks still in review. Agencies that are concerned with this should provide comment.
Discussion over mocks prior to CALEA on-sites: Avon assessors suggested a mock should be performed for all observable standards. Chief Kulhawik suggests it will help catch any issues. On-sites are now focused on interviews and ride-alongs and not files, however lead assessor does have access to the files.

Training: PowerDMS training will be held at the next meeting April 2, 2020. Members are encouraged to suggest training ideas.

Motion made by POSTC and seconded by Monroe to adjourn. Vote: Unanimous. Meeting adjourned.

Next Meeting April 2, 2020 and will be followed by PowerDMS training open to all.