

**POLICE COMMITTEE  
MEETING MINUTES  
December 16, 2013**

**Call to Order**

Chairman McIvor called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Darien City Hall. In attendance: Chairman/Alderman McIvor, Alderman Kenny and Alderman Belczak, Chief Brown, Deputy Chief John Cooper, Administrator Vana.

**Public Comment and Communications**

There were no public comment or communications presented.

**Minutes**

The minutes of the November 16, 2013, Police Committee meeting were unanimously approved.

**A resolution adopting the DuPage County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan**

Staff advised that communities must have a Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan in order to be eligible for certain types of funds made available by the federal government both before and after declared disasters. Over the past four years, the City of Darien has received over \$50,000 after successfully applying for reimbursement for mitigation activities related to the 2011 blizzard and the 2013 rainstorms that caused damage throughout the communities. Residents also may be eligible for reimbursements under these laws. Rather than each individual community completing their own plan, which is a lengthy and time consuming process directed at only a small area, municipalities work together to complete a plan with DuPage County to take a regional comprehensive approach to hazard mitigation. The plan includes strategies to be used countywide, but also within the City of Darien. The first plan was passed by the City Council on October 20, 2008, and there is a requirement to update it every five years. When projects are identified within the City of Darien they are brought to the City Council for discussion. The Police Committee unanimously recommended approval of A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE DuPAGE COUNTY NATURAL HAZARDS MITIGATION PLAN

**Review of Monthly Report**

Staff reviewed the 11 period Police Department report which covers the period from October 21, 2013, to November 17, 2013.

**Adjournment**

The Committee Meeting was adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Alderman: \_\_\_\_\_  
Joseph Kenny

Chairman: \_\_\_\_\_  
Sylvia McIvor

Alderman: \_\_\_\_\_  
Thomas Belczak