

Minutes  
Montana Sheriffs and Peace Officer Association  
Board Meeting Billings, Montana  
June 16, 2006

Directors Present

Tom Skinner-----President	Cheryl Liedle-----1 <sup>st</sup> Vice
Jim Cashell-----Past President	Dennis McCave-----2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice
Tony Harbaugh-----Sec/Treas	Daryl Andersen-----3 <sup>rd</sup> Vice

Sheriffs

Rusty Jardee  
Cliff Brophy

Dave Schenk  
Dave Castle

Undersheriffs & Deputies

Leo Dutton  
Greg Hintz  
Brian Gootkin  
Blue Corneliusen  
Reuben Wrightsman

The meeting was called to order by President Skinner and roll was called.

\*\* Motion by Greg Hintz to waive the reading and approved the minutes of the previous meeting.

2<sup>nd</sup> by Cliff Brophy

Motion Passed

Guests:

Warren Hiebert of the Chaplains committee thanked the board for their support of the Chaplain program and introduced the other Chaplains in attendance. He offers their assistance to all counties.

Report of the President:

Tom Skinner thanked the board for all of their support during his year as president.

Communications and Liaisons:

\*\* Motion by Jim Cashell to waive the Communications and Liaison reports.

Second by Blue Corneliusen

Motion Passed

Old Business:

No report

Committee Reports:

**Programs and Services** –Greg Hintz advised that Behavioral Interventions (BI) will start with a pilot project in Missoula County.

**Public and Community Relations** – Cliff Brophy requested that everyone promote the MSPOA scholarship program. Cliff noted that the career officer award will go to Doug Williams of Chouteau County and the Officer of the Year award will go to Jeff Jergens of Toole County Sheriffs Office.

**Board and Committee Development** – NR

**Government Relations** – NR

**By Laws** – Tony Harbaugh advised that the reimbursement for travel policy statement has been previously approved by the board. He further noted that the committee plans to meet and discuss the issue of detention officer seat or seats on the board and have a motion for the 2007 general meeting to consider.

**Funding and Fiscal** – Tony Harbaugh discussed doing a bowling team Calcutta with proceeds to go to the Chaplains committee

**Directors Report** –NR

Treasurer's report was given by Tony Harbaugh.

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The meeting was advised that Sheriff Bill Barron had resigned his seat as 1<sup>st</sup> vice President and the board appointed Sheriff Cheryl Liedle to fill that vacancy.

\*\* Motion by Rusty Jardee to advance the chairs

Second by Jim Cashell Motion Passed

\*\* Motion by Jim Cashell to nominate Tony Harbaugh as Sec/Treas

Second by Daryl Andersen Motion Passed

\*\* Motion by Dennis McCave to close nominations

Second by Rusty Jardee Motion Passed

Leo Dutton was nominated for 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President.

\*\* Motion by Blue Corneliusen to close nominations

Second by Dennis McCave Motion Passed

Nominations for Sheriffs included the following:

Dave Castle  
Chuck Maxwell  
Jim Cashell  
Dave Schenk  
Cliff Brophy

Only five were nominated therefore the above five are elected.

Nominations for Undersheriffs and Deputies included the following:

Brian Gootkin  
Greg Hintz  
Reuben Wrightsman  
Blue Corneliusen  
Dan Birdsill

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Next meeting schedule for Helena, Montana, September 20, 2006.

Bill Henne from the MT lottery presented Sheriff Cheryl Liedle with a briefcase from the MT Lottery.

Meeting adjourned.