

## **Oneida County CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MEETING – Feb. 18, 2014**

Members present: Tim Melms, Bruce Rhode, John Vanney, Bernie Dart and Mary Martin. Also present were Sheriff Grady Hartman and Lakeland Times Reporter, Jonathon Anderson.

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by Chair John Vanney. The meeting was properly noticed in accordance with the Wisconsin Open Meeting Laws.

The agenda for the Feb, 18, 2014 meeting was approved on a motion by Martin, seconded by Rhode. All voting “aye.” MC

The minutes for the Jan. 20, 2014 meeting were approved on a motion by Melms, seconded by Dart. All voting “aye.” MC

Sheriff Hartman presented a revised proposal concerning the hiring process for entry level patrol deputies. Hartman said he was making the proposal to speed up the hiring process for new deputies. Under the new proposal candidates would be tested, undergo a physical test, interview with Field Training officers and perform scenarios and have a resume review with a preliminary background check. The FTO officers would rank the candidates and present the list to the Commission for interviews by the panel. Following the interviews the sheriff would meet in closed session with the commission and agree on ranking. Hartman said under the new proposal the job could be tentatively offered a candidate in a few days and could be hired immediately following a background check.

The proposal was adopted by the commission on a motion by Melms, seconded by Rhode. All voting “aye.” MC

On a motion by Dart, seconded by Rhode, the commission authorized the sheriff’s department to prepare an eligibility list for entry level patrol deputy’s position. All voting “aye” MC

The Commission will meet Feb. 24, 2014 at 1 p.m. Agenda items will include evaluations of the members of the Oneida County Sheriff’s Department by the commission.

On a motion by Rhode, seconded by Melms, the meeting adjourned at 2 p.m. all voting “aye.” MC

Mary Martin.  
Secretary

John Vanney,  
Chairman