

Minutes  
Montana Sheriffs and Peace Officer Association  
Board Meeting Billings, Montana  
July 21, 2008

Directors Present

Dennis McCave-----President  
Tony Harbaugh-----Sec/Treas

Daryl Anderson-----1<sup>st</sup> Vice  
Leo Dutton -----2<sup>nd</sup> Vice  
Dave Schenk -----3<sup>rd</sup> Vice

Sheriffs

Jim Cashell  
Dave Castle  
Cliff Brophy  
Vern Burdick  
Dan Tronrud

Undersheriffs & Deputies

Blue Corneliusen  
Greg Hintz  
Jay Bell  
Dan Birdsill

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

\*\* Motion by Leo Dutton to approve the minutes of the previous meeting.

2<sup>nd</sup> by Dave Castle

Motion Passed

Guests:

Harve Kaufman, Aquilavision/MONTS, advised that the MONTS funding will be coming in two separate grants totaling \$ 618,000. The first will come through Byrne funds for training with the technology, and the remainder through a COPS grant for technology development. Harve anticipates that this should take about 60 days.

Armondo Oropeza, MLEA, welcomed input on the curriculum for CDOB and he anticipates that it will be extended to a four week program by fall of 2009.

Report of the President

Dennis McCave thanked the board for their help throughout the year with association duties. He advised that the annual meeting will be at 2:00 pm on Tuesday afternoon, July 22, 2008.

Communications and Liaisons:

All reports were held until the annual meeting.

Committee Reports:

All reports were held until the annual meeting.

Other Business

It was noted that the legislative interim committee on law and justice will meet again on Thursday and Friday July 24 and 25 to continue discussions on jail inspections and mental health issues.

Director's Report

Kathy McGowan advised that the give away of the firearm from Glock will be done at the annual meeting July 22.

Next meeting schedule for Billings, Montana, July 22, 2008 at 1400 hrs.

Meeting adjourned.