



**MINUTES  
OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE  
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING  
3650 SOUTH BOULEVARD  
EDMOND, OK 73013  
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2023  
10:00 A.M.**

1. Call to Order at 10:00 a.m.
2. Flag Salute.
3. Invocation.
4. Roll Call. (Nine, including the Executive Director, meets quorum requirements)  
Unexcused absences listed in parenthesis.

**PRESENT:**

President – Don Sweger, Guthrie  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice President – J.D. Younger, Edmond (left at 10:51 a.m.)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President – Todd Gibson, Moore  
3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President – J.R. Kidney, Tecumseh  
Past President – James Smith, Lawton  
Northeast Region – Leon Jones, OSU  
Southeast Region – Kevin Hearod, McAlester  
Southwest Region – Daimon Alexander, Binger  
Central Region – Russ Landon, The Village  
Tulsa Region – Todd Blish, Bixby  
Small and Rural – Don Hyde, Calera  
At-Large – Wade Gourley, Oklahoma City  
Parliamentarian – Kelly Marshall, Choctaw  
Executive Director – Steve Whitlock

**Absent**

Secretary/Treasurer – Don Cluck, Tuttle  
Northwest Region – Bryan Skaggs, Enid (excused)  
Tribal – Randy Wesley, Chickasaw Nation (excused)

5. Consent Agenda: All matters under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine and will be enacted by one motion. Any Board member may, however, remove an item from the Consent Agenda by request.
- A. Approval of the minutes of the September 21, 2023 Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police Executive Board Meeting.
  - B. Approval of the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police financial documents for the period ending September 30, 2023.
  - C. Approval of the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police expense account for period ending September 30, 2023.
  - D. Approval of the 2024 Meeting Dates for the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police.
  - E. Approval of the 2024 OACP Active Membership Application of Kenny Cook, Chief, Wynnewood Police Department.
  - F. Approval of the 2024 OACP Active Membership Application of Windrunner Eagle, Chief, Locust Grove Police Department.
  - G. Approval of the 2024 OACP Active Membership Application of Angelo Orefice, Chief, Weatherford Police Department.
  - H. Acknowledgement of the review of the Annual Membership Dues for the Association in accordance with Article I, Section 10 of the Constitution and By-Laws.

Motion by Chief Gibson  
Seconded by Chief Hyde  
All Aye  
Motion Passed

6. Discussion and possible action on Resolution No. 2023-02, a resolution of the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police adopting a budget for the calendar year beginning January 1, 2024, and ending December 31, 2024, and establishing budgetary controls for the Executive Director.

Director Whitlock provided an overview of the proposed budget and answered any questions that were asked.

Motion by Chief Gibson  
Seconded by Chief Marshall  
All Aye  
Motion Passed

7. Discussion and possible action regarding the areas for the OACP Legislative Committee to focus on for the next legislative session.

Director Whitlock started the conversation of why this item was on the agenda. Legislative Committee Chair Chief Kidney took over and explained several items that we should be aware of and possible issues that we will need to combat. No action taken.

8. Update on the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Accreditation Program.

Kevin McCullough provided a brief overview of the current ongoings of the Accreditation Program. No action taken.

9. Executive Director's Report.

Director Whitlock provided information on the upcoming New Chiefs Training and an open house at Metro Tech. He then allowed the new OMAG Law Enforcement Specialist Kevin Katz to introduce himself.

10. President's Report.

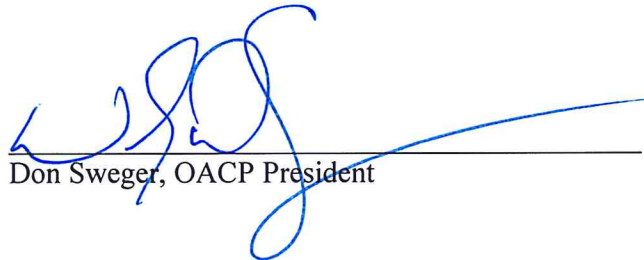
President Sweger mentioned a possible upcoming bill regarding the pay for sheriffs and deputies. It was also mentioned that the Attorney General has decided that the previously approved bill regarding public safety districts is unconstitutional.

CLEET Director Darry Stacy also provided a brief update on the current ongoings in CLEET, mainly that they are reviewing the rules on reciprocity.

11. Board Comments.

Chief Hyde mentioned that the Flock Camera System has yielded 21 stolen vehicles within 8 months.

12. Adjournment at 11:22 a.m.



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Don Sweger, OACP President



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Don Cluck, OACP Secretary/Treasurer