

Tri-River Police Training Region

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Tri-River Police Training Region Advisory Board Minutes of August 26, 2026 Meeting

The August 26, 2026 Tri-River Advisory Board meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by Treasurer Missey Schumacher in the Community Room at the Plainfield Police Department, and a quorum of members and proxies was established.

Members in attendance:

Nick Keedy for Interim Chief Sean Koren
Phil Tyree for Chief Eric Allen
Matthew Brooks for Chief Adam Bogart
Chief Michael Imhof
Tony Lohmar for Chief Marc Reid
Ryan Dobczyk for Chief Edward Clark
Sherrie Blackburn for Interim Chief Robert Brown
Rick Onsen for Sheriff Ken Briley
Chief John Arizzi
Will Garrison for Chief Ryan Gulli
Chief Al Swinford
Jason Lothan for Chief Brian Benton
Anthony Lazzaroni for Chief Scott Koerner
Tim Perry for Chief Micah Nuesse
Kevin McQuaid for Chief Robert Miller
Rob Baikie for Chief Robert Dykstra
Mimi Bejda for Chief Brandt Hromadka
Mark Revis, Will County Board
Steven Formenti for Sheriff Mike Kelley
Village of Channahon President Missey Schumacher
Hilary Davis - ILETSB Representative

Members absent:

Chief Leanne Chelepis
Chief Justin Meyer
Chief Alicia Steffes
Chief Jason Barten
Chief Adam Zink

Others in attendance:

Luke Ostreko, Plainfield PD
Bradley Hertzmann, Tri-River, Executive Director
John Perona, Tri-River, Police Training Coordinator

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APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES:

Chief Arizzi made a motion to approve the July 22, 2026 meeting minutes, seconded by Mimi Bejda and carried by all members present. Motion passed.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT:

No Report

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS:

Treasurer Schumacher went around the room for introductions and welcomed all to the meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **PERSONNEL:**

No Report

- **FINANCE:**

Director Hertzmann reviewed the Financial Reports dated 8/26/2026. A copy of each was distributed. (Reports will be attached to these minutes to be archived)

August Highlights:

- Tri-River classes held: 40 Hour Truck Weight Enforcement Class \$6,868.05, Use of Force Train the Trainer class held \$5,000.00, ILETSB Firearms Waiver class \$400.00, 32 hour Instructor Development class \$7,400.00, 32 hour IPMBA Cyclist Course \$3,000.00
- No Grant classes held
- FY27 Grant reimbursements: None
- Payment from CPD in-service fund \$105,600.00
- Received FY27 1st Quarter ASSIST Payment totaling \$245,848.58. CPD In-Service Fund \$100,000.00, Tri-River/MTU 16 \$145,848.58

- **POLICY AND BYLAWS:**

No Report

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- **TRAINING:**

No Report

OLD BUSINESS:

FY27 Tri-River membership Dues:

- 5 departments have not paid dues as of this date. Becky will be sending out another notification to those agencies to get them to pay. At this time \$227,820.00 collected in total dues for FY27.

Old Records Destruction Update:

- At the July meeting, old records were approved for destruction. On July 30th, those records were shredded on site. Payment of \$300.00 has been made to the company for their services.

NEW BUSINESS:

Appointment of D.C. Ryan Dobczyk to Personnel Committee

- Director Hertzmann advised that D.C. Ryan Dobczyk expressed his interest in appointment to the Personnel Committee as we had a vacancy. Chief Brian Benton agreed that Ryan would be a good choice for the position. There were no other nominations for the position. D.C. Matthew Brooks made a motion to appoint Ryan Dobczyk to the Personnel Committee, seconded by D.C. Sherrie Blackburn and carried by all members present, except Ryan Dobczyk who abstained. Motion Passed.

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Upcoming Training Schedule

- John Perona passed out a list of courses with low enrollment
 - John specifically mentioned the FTO Update Refresher and the Adaptive Decision Making for Law Enforcement which had low enrollment and may need to be cancelled.

AUGUST 2026 FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS FOR REVIEW:

A motion was made by Chief Michael Imhof, seconded by Anthony Lazzaroni, and carried by all members present by roll call vote to approve August's bills. Motion passed.

- Total payments (August) \$159,788.00

OPEN DISCUSSION:

Luke Ostreko advised that the Plainfield Police department is again hosting Staff & Command to begin in January 2027. He advised there are available seats for that course.

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NEXT BOARD MEETING DATE:

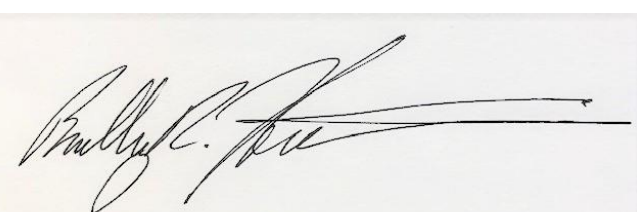
The next meeting date is set for September 23, 2026, at our office location at the Plainfield Police Department Community Room, 14300 Coil Plus Drive, Plainfield, IL 60544.

ADJOURNMENT:

Chief Arizzi made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Commander Bejda, motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 8:48 a.m.

Submitted by:

Transcribed by:



Deputy Chief Matthew Brooks, Secretary, Advisory Board

Bradley Hertzmann, Executive Director, Tri-River