Chief Scheckel informed the Board ofthe department's Numbered Memo #20-02 which exempted Reserves and VIPS personnel from mandatory patrol hours during the pandemic as many members are in that fragile age group.

Chief Scheckel added that everything is going well with crime being down. The department will not be writing everyone a violation for not wearing a mask as it is a Class B Misdemeanor.

Though if we get called for other things, we will take enforcement action. Mr. Baffa asked if businesses can require those entering to wear a mask? Chief Scheckel relied yes, they can be refused admission. Mr. Westland added that he and the Chief have not had a chance to speak about this issue as the order is pretty fresh. Businesses are required to have patrons and employees wear masks; they can ask them to leave if they do not. If they will not leave, they become a trespasser.

Dr. Brown asked what was the exact issuance the governor sent out? Chief Scheckel said you can find it on in.gov. Mr. Westland asked if he wrote the order yesterday or today? Chief Scheckel replied that he was under the assumption that it is already on the government's website. Dr. Brown asked if it is a requirement to wear a mask? Chief Scheckel said he thought it was a Class B Misdemeanor, higher than an infraction. Dr. Brown stated it means you are supposed to wear it. Mr. Baffa added that he did not read the whole article though believes the Attorney General says it is unconstitutional.

Chief Pelc said that the last couple of months calls have jumped back up, with an average of eighty (80). The department has eight (8) people on medical leave. Two (2) of which do not want to participate right now due to family issues. The academy is back up and running again and we have five (5) members attending. The town's ISO rating has dropped a point to a Class

3. Our department is one (1) of only twenty (20) within the state. This should cause insurance rates to drop two to three (2-3%) percent for businesses. Chief Pelc said he is proud they got it down. The Board congratulated Chief Pelc on a job well done. Dr. Brown asked if it affected private insurance? Chief Pelc replied that he thinks it is more for businesses. Dr. Brown asked if he would put something out official so people can use it to send out to their insurance companies? Chief Pelc said he will in October when it becomes effective. It will also be placed in the town newsletter.