

1 **TOWN OF EASTON, MARYLAND**  
2 **Police Board Meeting**

3  
4 November 16, 2009

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6 **PRESENT AT CONVENING**  
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8 Mayor Robert C. Willey 11 Councilmember Pete Leshner  
9 Council President John F. Ford 12 Councilmember Leonard E. Wendowski  
10 Councilmember Kelley K. Malone 13 Councilmember Megan M. Cook

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15 **IN ATTENDANCE**  
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17 Also in attendance were the Town Manager Mr. Robert Karge, Chief Ben Blue, Major David  
18 Spencer and Mrs. Lorraine Gould for Town Clerk Mrs. Kathy Ruf.  
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20 **CONVENING**  
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22 At 6:15 p.m., the President of the Council called the meeting to order.  
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24 **MEETING**  
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26 Major Spencer discussed the progress on the new Easton Police Department building. He stated that  
27 they moved into the new section on November 4 and they have started rehabilitating the old building.  
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29 Chief Blue discussed personnel issues. He stated that there are currently two police officer positions  
30 open and two dispatcher positions open as of November 13.  
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32 Selection process has started to select an individual to attend the Northwestern School of Police Staff  
33 and Command in Sykesville.  
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35 Lt. Greg Wright has been accepted to attend the FBINAA's 241<sup>st</sup> Session which begins April 4.  
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37 Chief Blue stated that two new patrol vehicles are expected to arrive at Hertrich's in December.  
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39 Chief Blue discussed upcoming holiday events.  
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41 Major Spencer stated that the Waterfowl Festival went without incident.  
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43 Mrs. Cook asked if the West Street parking lot is blocked off due to construction.  
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45 Major Spencer stated that this parking lot is currently a staging area.  
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47 Mayor Willey stated that the intention after construction is to open the lot for public parking.  
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49 Mrs. Cook thanked Major Spencer and Chief Blue for attending the EENA dinner.  
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51 Mrs. Cook stated that Locust Street is still a concern with the neighborhood. She stated that the  
52 presence of the bike patrol near West Street is appreciated.  
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54 Ms. Malone expressed her appreciation for Corporal Bordley's attendance at her neighborhood  
55 meetings.  
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57 Major Spencer stated that Corporal Coleman is Chairman of the Toy Drive again this year.  
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59 Mr. Karge discussed how monetary contributions are handled for the Toy Drive.  
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61 **ADJOURNMENT**  
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63 The President of the Council adjourned the Police Board meeting at 6:45 p.m.  
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67 Lorraine Gould for Kathy M. Ruf, Town Clerk