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TO: SUPERVISOR AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES FROM: NELSON J. CANNON, CHIEF OF POLICE

SUBJECT: ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT SINCE FEBRUARY 2025 MEETING

DATE: MARCH 13, 2025

Hope everyone is enjoying this mid-winter break in the weather; this winter reminds of those from days bygone days My first winter in our new house was 1978 and we had a blizzard in January, February and March; it was eye opener for us city folk. We learned our lessons that first year and have been pretty well set ever since. We will probably get hit with one last blast of cold/snowy/blustery winter weather before Spring arrives. We did wrap up the DNR Snowmobile Grant Program; I will provide a copy of the closeout report to the Clerk.

I've been preoccupied with business concerns; currently have three projects underway a couple thousand miles apart. We should get back to normal by the end of the month. Consequently, no progress on the Recreational Vehicle Ordinance. The Risk Reduction Grant is ready to go and will be submitted before the deadline (3/15). This will hopefully resolve our CCTV dilemma.

Taffletown is on a limited winter schedule with their Special Events Calendar, they did very well with the Sled Show and Valentine Events; this weekend all about St Patrick's Day, Corned Beef Dinners and all the fixins; there other items on the menu as well. They are open this Friday, Saturday and Sunday with live music.

KMHC has been very busy with their reorganization efforts; we currently operate with the Act 47 Board for current operations, and have stood up the new 501c3 Board as we progress toward our new structure. The goal is to have everything in place by July, but it could go into Fall to get everything completed.

Parks Board met, but without a Quorum. We reviewed where we are with DNR, consultants, cost estimates and timeline; the clock is ticking. Tim wanted me to hold off on paying the \$250 to hold the pricing until he worked with the DNR As I mentioned, he's on medical leave and working from home; I'm hoping for an update from him before the meeting tonight so that I can update our Township Board

Preliminary March 2025 Activity to Date:

892-109-25 NMLETG Range Safety/Medical Brief

892-110-25 KMHC Board Officers Meeting

892-111-25 Health & Welfare Check/Senior

892-112-25 KMHC Board Meeting/Special-Rescheduled

892-113-25 Park Reservation #1-25

892-114-25 KMHC 501c(3) Organizational Meeting

892-115-25 DOJ Police Training/Weaponized Drone

892-116-25 DOJ Police Training/Low Light Opns