

Chief Clif Hayes reported for the month of November – December 2019 the Swansea Police Department took in 117 Citations, worked 2 Accidents, served 7 Warrants, wrote 56 Reports and Made 14 Arrests.

The Christmas Parade went very well. He appreciated, the Sheriff department partnership in supporting the town and thanked them.

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Iva Hall- concerned about the (PULL) Organization. She indicated; she was speaking to Councilwoman Doris Simmons. She shared, "Councilwoman Simmons or someone called the IRS and the Secretary of State." In addition, someone said all vendors need a license and that was a lie. After that did not work someone called the Secretary State to report they were selling food." Ms. Hall stated, as a Council, Councilwoman Simmons should be trying to help the town." If Pull was doing something wrong. She should have gone to them in the right way to do it instead of trying to hinder them. They were doing something for the community with or without the support.

Ms. Hall said, ' we should work together.' "If we as a town worked together things would go much better." "I am not trying to put anybody down, in order to put someone down, you have to be low yourself to put somebody down." "We should work together."

Ms. Hall, thanked Cassandra for doing a good job and not letting the out of towners come in to tell her what to do. She also said, the town should respect the Mayor. "Whenever, someone is trying to do something to improve the community, we need to support."

In closing, Ms Hall stated, "I do not think it was right to call the IRS, Secretary of State on PULL.

Councilwoman Doris Simmons asked, "Ms. Hall if she wanted, everyone to break the law." Councilwoman Simmons indicated, "she contacted Cassandra by e-mail to tell them they needed a business license. She wanted to be a part of the PULL event to help, show them how to do their taxes."