Citizen Review Board Meeting Minutes

January 4, 2017

I. Call to order

Doug Bowen Bailey called to order the regular meeting of the Citizen Review Board at 5:00 on January 4, 2017 at Room 303 City Hall.

II. Roll call

[Secretary Name] conducted a roll call. The following persons were present: Joan McNamara, Patricia Behning Oaks, Doug Bowen-Bailey Renee Van Nett, Archie Davis

Staff Carl Crawford

Liaison to DPD: Lt Ceyona, D.C. Marquart, Police Chief Tusken

III. Approval of minutes from last meeting

IV. Open issues

- a) Police Liaison report: Review and discussion about a call when an officer was accused of using excessive force. Upon body camera footage that was unfounded. This individual was taken to the hospital. The officers were coached and in the end the individual was satisfied with their treatment.
- b) Discussed what would be considered an employee performance issue regarding the Zenith article. Discussion followed. The author of the article did say that some of the information used did not come directly from the officer. The author was not willing to change or correct the article. Chief expressed his disappointment and frustration with the article.
- c) Members had expressed their frustration with the community not believing that the CRB and the DPD are working together. It may be time to relook at the relationship and the language in the ordinance to strengthen the relationship. Discussion followed about ways to work together. Suggestions was made to take the CRB meetings out in the community rather than just have all of the meetings at City Hall and something more social with the DPD so we can get to know each other better.
- d) Personnel complaint policy is in the process of being approved.

- e) Body Camera policy is continuing to evolve. Discussion followed about how the DPD is getting use to this new equipment.
- f) Discussion about the DPD strategic plan and will have more information available in March. Hand out was provided.
- g) Board member reports:
- h) Board member talked about an incident and asked about the amount of police presence used in December.
- i) Issues with the school bus and issues at schools were discussed. Discussion followed.
- j) Board member had an incident with a Sherriff and DPD as they tried to assist an abandoned vehicle. Discussion followed.

V. New business

a) None

VI. Adjournment

Doug Bowen Bailey adjourned the meeting at 6:15.

Minutes submitted by: Carl Crawford

Minutes approved by: [Name]