

MINUTES

Community Police Commission (CPC)

August 13, 2014, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Seattle Municipal Tower, 40th Floor, Room 4080

CPC Attendees: Lisa Daugaard, co-chair; Diane Narasaki, co-chair, Melinda Giovengo, Enrique Gonzalez, Jay Hollingsworth, Marcel Purnell, Jennifer Shaw, Ofc. Kevin Stuckey, Rev. Harriett Walden

CPC Absent: Claudia D'Allegrì, Bill Hobson, David Keenan, A/Capt. Ron Rasmussen

CPC Staff: Fé Lopez, Anne Bettsworth, Tracy Whitlatch, Betsy Graef

REVIEW AGENDA AND APPROVE MINUTES / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Moved, seconded, and passed (8-0-0): "To approve with no changes 7/23/14 CPC meeting minutes."

Use of Force 6-month policy review

The CPC will not be commenting on the policy at this time, because the community needs more time to feel the impact of the policy. However, the CPC will be seeking comments from SPD officers.

Moved, seconded, and passed (10-0-0): "To approve an announcement in the Seattle Police Officers' Guild Guardian newspaper requesting officer feedback to the CPC on the Use of Force Policy".

Moved, seconded, and passed (10-0-0): "To approve a request to speak to precinct captains regarding the 6-month review of the Use of Force Policy".

Action Items

SPD Community Engagement Plan

Moved, seconded, and passed (10-0-0): "To approve with ammendments the 2014 Community Engagement Plan".

CPC staff will update the CPC website and begin working on a monthly newsletter this Fall.

Workgroup Updates

SPD Community Engagement Assessment Workgroup – The Interim Assessment report on SPD's Community Engagement was sent to the Monitor, Department of Justice and the Seattle City Attorney. The CPC, in partnership with SPD, is working to prioritize themes for the gap analysis that will be conducted to complete the report. The plan for this analysis will be

forwarded to the Monitor and Parties by September 12, 2014. A report of the findings will be submitted to the Monitor and Parties when the analysis is complete.

Moved, seconded, and passed (10-0-0): "To approve themes 1, 3, 5, and 8 as priorities for the gap analysis".

Training Workgroup – The CPC, in partnership with SPD, will submit a video to be included in the SPD officer training sessions. This will be in addition to a CPC staff and/or commissioner presenting in person at the training sessions.

Accountability Workgroup – CPC staff met with Assistant City Attorney, Jennifer Schubert and Otto Klein (Summit Law Group) to discuss the CPCs accountability recommendations. There is a second meeting planned to further discuss the recommendations.

Dr. Melekian has requested that the CPC present him with a description of what it believes the "civilian oversight body" should be.

Moved, seconded, and passed (9-0-0): "To approve with ammendments, the letter that will be sent to Dr. Melekian and Scott Lindsay on August 14th regarding the CPC's recommendations for the civilian oversight body for the City of Seattle".

Action Item

Other Business

Kevin Stuckey was recognized for his 20 year career with the Seattle Police Department.

Stipends for the CPC were approved by the City Council and signed off by Mayor Murray.

SUMMARY OF ACTION ITEMS

- Staff will work with Kevin Stuckey to create an announcement for the Seattle Police Officers' Guild Guardian newspaper.
- The Co-Chairs will request the opportunity to speak to precinct captains regarding the 6-month review of the Use of Force Policy from Chief O'Toole.
- Staff will send Dr. Melekian and Scott Lindsay's the CPC's approved letter regarding the civilian oversight body.