

COMMUNITY REVIEW BOARD ON POLICE PRACTICES

WORKING RETREAT MINUTES

Saturday, January 26, 2019

**9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Skyline Hills Branch Library
7900 Paradise Valley Road
San Diego, CA 92139**

Members Present:

Joe Craver, Chair	Ramon Montano
Brandon Hilpert, 1 st Vice Chair	Mary O'Tousa
Doug Case	Ernestine Smith
Maxine Clark	Pauline Theodore
Gregory Daunoras	Nancy Vaughn
Diana Dent	Marty Workman
Poppy Fitch	Marissa Yenpasook
Taura Gentry	
Sheila Holtrop	

Members Absent:

Patrick Anderson
Kevin Herington
Steve Hsieh
Alex Hu
Bonnie Kenk
Maria Nieto-Senour

Staff Present:

Sharmaine Moseley, Executive Director, CRB on Police Practices

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- I. **Call to Order / Welcome:** Chair Joe Craver called the meeting to order at 10:05 am. He thanked the members and public for attending this retreat. Chair Craver explained the purpose of the Community Review Board on Police Practices (CRB) and what the CRB does.
 - II. **Public Comment:** None

III. **Warm-Up/Ice Breaker:** CRB 2nd Vice Chair Taura Gentry led the ice breaker for the Board members. She provided the Board with instructions for the ice breaker. The goal is for each Team to come up with a meal tied to his/her culture. Members were asked to choose a color slip and then pair up with members with the same color slips. The Teams were tasked with creating a dish that consisted of an appetizer, side dish, entrée, and dessert. Once the meals were created each Team member explained his/her selected choice.

IV. **Community Panel Presentation:** “Collaboration Efforts Between Former Gang Members and Law Enforcement”

- **Arthur Soriano**, Lived Experience Expert – Provided the Board with his life experience as a former gang member and his growth process.
- **Irving Santos**, Community Mentor – Mr. Santos spent most of his life in prison. He shared his personal experiences as a child which led him to a life on the street. Mr. Santos turned his life around after faced with a bad injury. He’s been clean for 5 years. Mr. Santos talked about his positive experience with the Community Wraparound and CAST. He also shared his experiences with law enforcement and how he gives back to the community.
- **Pastor Jesus Sandoval**, Executive Director -Commission on Gang Prevention and Intervention – Pastor Sandoval shared his experiences as a former gang member and interaction with law enforcement and involvement with community wrap around programs. He showed a short video to the Board.

V. **CRB Relations** (Chair Joe Craver & Sharmaine Moseley)
Chair Joe Craver opened the floor to ask his members of the CRB to address any challenges they are having with SDPD and Internal Affairs. Chair Craver and Executive Director Sharmaine Moseley will address them to SDPD.

- Sometime the Teams are not given the complete case file and RAP sheet. The Teams must always double check for information and if it’s missing then request the missing information. Sometimes it takes awhile to receive the missing information which cause delays in the review process.
- Body worn camera video should be labeled especially if the incident involves more than one officer.
- Height and weight categories for the officers are not listed in the reports.

- The wait time to be let into Internal Affairs to retrieve case files is a problem.
- Difficulty in schedule room reservations because no one answers the phone.
- It would be helpful to know who the investigating officers are and what kind of investigative training they have. Request to have a photo collage of investigating officers on the wall in Internal Affairs and what training they have.

- VI. **Work Plan FY 2020** – 2nd Vice Chair Taura Gentry led the discussion on the Work Plan for fiscal year 2020. The attached work plan was created. During the meeting, the board members added and removed some items from the work plan.
- Executive Director Moseley reminded the Board that the Work Plan to be a livable document. Instead of deleting items, she would like the members to Red Line it. It will help members be aware of the changes that are made.

- VII. **CRB Tactical Plan:** Item Tabled

- VIII. **Closing Comments & Adjournment** (Chair Joe Craver)

Executive Director Sharmaine Moseley and Chair Craver thanked the members, guest speakers and community for attending the retreat.