



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

CITIZENS' REVIEW BOARD ON POLICE PRACTICES

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 28, 2014
Valencia Park / Malcolm X Library
5148 Market Street, San Diego, CA 92115

Members Present:

Angela Alvarez	Jason Kaplan	Nancy Vaughn, 2 nd Vice Chair
William Beck	Yuki Marsden, Chair	Pamela White
Benetta Buell-Wilson	Ken Martone	Martin Workman
Douglas Case	Lucy Pearson	
Ruben Garcia	Pauline Theodore	
Jim Herrera, 1st Vice Chair	Alexis Torrey	
Godwin Higa	Ernestine Smith	
Jim Hurl	Lisa Sorce	

Prospective Members Present:

Rickie Brown, Bryon Garner,
Christina Griffin, Dennis Perry

Members Excused:

Dennis Vincent

Staff Present:

Danell Scarborough, Executive Director, CRB
Darrin Schwabe, Senior Manager, CRB
William Gersten, Deputy City Attorney, City Attorney's Office
Gregory Halsey, Deputy City Attorney, City Attorney's Office
David Ramirez, Executive Assistant Chief, San Diego Police Department
Bernie Colon, Lieutenant, San Diego Police Department
Tim Saelens, Lieutenant, San Diego Police Department
Vernon Peterson, Detective, Internal Affairs, San Diego Police Department
Denise Sandoval, Executive Secretary, CRB

-
- I. CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME TO BOARD MEMBERS
 - II. PURPOSE OF THE CITIZENS' REVIEW BOARD ON POLICE PRACTICES
 - III. MINUTES APPROVAL: CRB Open Meeting Minutes of November 26, 2013, approved unanimously

- IV. NON-AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT : None
- V. RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION: Commendation presented to Darrin Schwabe for service to the CRB.
- VI. TRAINING PRESENTATION
Case Report Writing
Yuki Marsden, CRB Chair
- VII. BOARD MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS/COMMENTS
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS (DISCUSSION/ACTION)
- By-Laws Review Committee
A form was distributed to use to propose suggestions for Special Rules of Order to be considered by the committee for proposal to the board.
 - Policy Committee
Motion: To recommend to the Chief of Police that language be added to the existing San Diego Police Department Policy 6.20 Mental Health Procedures, Section 4, M.4 which would say that an Officer should articulate, in the detention report, why they didn't transport the subject to CMH with two officers in the car if they are using the 'when practical' exception. Motion withdrawn. SDPD will change to clarify and make application of this transportation policy consistent in all situations.
 - Training Committee
 - Outreach Committee
 - Recruitment & Retention Committee
- IX. CHAIR'S REPORT – Yuki Marsden, Chair
- Motion: To add a closed session meeting to reduce the backlog of cases to be presented. Motion withdrawn. An electronic survey will be sent to determine board's wishes on this.
- X. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT – Danell Scarborough
- Reminder to all Board Members and Prospective Members to call or email the Executive Director if you will not be attending the Closed and/or Open Session meeting to be considered excused. Otherwise, it will be considered an unexcused absence.
- XI. SAN DIEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT
- Discussed Tracking Cards.
- XII. CITY ATTORNEY REPORT
- XIII. OLD BUSINESS
- XIV. NEW BUSINESS
- XV. ADJOURN

Materials Provided:

- Minutes from CRB Open Meeting of November 26, 2013
- Special Rules of Order Amendment Form