

## ***Public Safety Citizen's Review Panel Minutes***

Monday, September 21, 2020

Meeting called to order: 4:01 PM

Approval of the Minutes for September 14, 2020. Motion by Herb Carpenter. Second by Wilbel Brewer. All in favor: 9 All opposed: 0 Abstain: 1. Motion carried.

Old Business:

Executive Order 203: Discussion regarding the Executive Order and what sections have been discussed and what sections still need to be discussed. Members discussed whether or not to form working groups. Some members concerned that we will not be able to complete directives before the December 31, 2020 deadline. Members discussed the plan moving forward, and the areas that are interconnected for discussion and proposals. Members discussed meeting every week instead of the current schedule, using the handbook, having a Q&A with experts on certain topics, such as de-escalation and a forum with law enforcement officers and community members.

Motion by Herb Carpenter to table Executive Order 203 discussion. Second by Maxine Perry. All in Favor: 10. All opposed: 0 Abstain: 0. Motion carried.

Survey Update: Amanda Bulris-Allen went over the raw data from the survey. 736 responses. Thanked the Press Republican for running ad because we received 200 additional survey responses after Press Republican published the information about the survey. Survey shows diversity relative to age, class, pronouns. 87% white, 13% American Indian, Black, African American, Asian. Responses from all income levels. Not every person answered every question. 42% felt very safe, 52% felt safe (733/736 responses). Profiling/discrimination identified – 20% by race, 12% by gender, 9% by sexual orientation, 11% by age. For those who answered yes, 51% by police, 61% by civilian. Discussion about how the 51% was broken down. 132 responses to open-ended. Amanda Bulris-Allen and Michelle Cromwell will work together to analyze raw data.

Law Enforcement Focus Group and Public Forum: Members discussed having a public forum and details of where to have it and the format of the forum. Members also discussed a focus group for law enforcement and the format of such a group. Bonnie Black offered to chair the focus group for law enforcement.

Motion by Maxine Perry to create two focus groups – law enforcement and public forum. Second by Emily Stacey. All in Favor: 10 All opposed: 0 Abstain: 0 Motion carries

Motion to adjourn meeting by Emily Stacey. Second by Wilbel Brewer. All in favor: 10 All opposed: 0 Abstain: 0 Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned 5:15 PM. Next meeting is October 5, 2020 at 4:00 PM.