



The regular monthly meeting of the *Southwest Community Policing Council* was held on *Wednesday, September 3, 2025*, beginning at *6:00 p.m.* via Zoom. The minutes were made part of the record. The meeting was called to order and led by Ernest Esquibel

Welcome from Council members.

Albert Chavez
Gilberta Miera
Ernest Esquibel

Members absent

Elaina Rose Aucion
Keri Freeman
Michelle Torres
Christine Becker

- 1. Call to order – 6:00 PM**
- 2. Approval of agenda – No quorum**
- 3. Approval of minutes – No quorum**
- 4. Code of conduct**
- 5. Albuquerque Police Department Chief of Police Harold Medina Bi-Annual Presentation**
 - Crime—Every crime category is down this year. Last year, there were 65 homicides; YTD, there have been 50 homicides. Productivity is up. Felony arrests are up double digits, and felony warrants are being cleared by double digits.
 - Recruiting—There are currently 901 officers, with 35 in training, which would increase to about 935-936. An additional forty starting in about a month would bring them to about 980 officers. APD is funded for 1,000 officers. They have over fifty PSAs.
 - DOJ – Dismissed, and significant accomplishments to get in compliance with the DOJ consent decree.
 - Community engagement – more public viewing, dashboards for the community. Homicides' clearing rate.
- 6. NW Crime Prevention Specialist Ron Kemp**
 - Residential robbery – 14
 - Auto burglary – 21
 - Auto theft – 20
 - These are crimes of opportunity.
 - Spike in auto burglary in summer. Officers spoke with neighbors and did a canvas. The cases went to the burglary detectives. One specific detective did the investigation. The detective conducted a thorough investigation, getting video from neighbors, even though they were not connected with the auto burglary. The detective identified a juvenile associated with that group and connected with another juvenile.
 - Shift resources – high active patrols and field briefings in that area.
- 7. Next meeting is October 1, 2025, at Unser and central**
- 8. Meeting adjourned 7:27 PM**

To watch the Southwest CPC September Council Meeting, please click the link below:

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Date: September 3, 2025, 6:00 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

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