

The regular monthly meeting of the *Southwest Community Policing Council* was held on *Wednesday, September 6, 2023*, beginning at *6:30 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.

Members absent

Ernest Esquibel Albert Chavez

- **1. Call to order** 6:34 PM
- 2. Introduction of Topic/Guests and Introduction of Council Members
- 3. Approval of September Agenda Approved
- 4. Approval of August Minutes Approved
- 5. Southwest Area Commander Renee Barraza
  - Every week executive staff goes through crime stats
  - There are two main categories: Violent crimes and Property Crimes
  - Violent crimes: Aggravated assaults YTD up 3%
    - Domestic violence related 30%
    - Non-domestic violence related 70%
      - 1. Any deadly weapon to firearm being used.
    - o Sex crimes YTD -33% in the twenty eight days no sex crimes in 2022
    - Robberies TYD trending down in double digits. In 2023 there were six incidents and in 2022 they were -45%
  - Big events- State fair and balloon fiesta, increase patrol in the SW area command near the hotels and motels.
  - Staffing in the SW area there are forty-five officers, ten Sgt's, and three watch commanders overseeing the graveyard/Day/Swing shift.
  - End of August a class graduating from on-the-job training and joining the forces.
    - o There are thirty PSAs and on OJT (on-the-job training) for two months.
  - Questions and discussions with Community members

## 6. EFIT (External Force Investigation Team) Bill Hurlock

- There are two teams
  - EFIT 1 Investigate current cases
  - EFIT 2 Investigate backlog cases
- The transition is going well.
- Drafting the eighth quarterly report

- o EFIT 1 eight report
- o EFIT 2 fifth quarterly report
- The goal is to complete the EFIT assignment by January 2024
- The teams consist of detectives and investigators from APD and IAFD, including civilian investigators.
- The quarterly reports are uploaded to the website
- Questions and discussions with community members

## 7. Meeting adjourned at 7:56 PM

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

Topic: Southwest Community Policing Council

Date: September 6, 2023, 6:30 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

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