

Valley

Community Policing Council

February 23, 2022

Approximately 16 members of the public attended, including APD civilians and council members on zoom

In-person – 13 members including council members, APD and CPC staff.

CPC members present: Rowan Wymark, Tom O'Keefe, Edwina Kiro, Jaqueline Ritz, Philip Jameson, Rudy Garcia

Valley CPC members not present: Dick Winterbottom

- 1. Call to order- 6:03 PM
- 2. Approval of February Agenda- Approved
- 3. Approval of January Minutes Approved
- **4. Old business** –Recommendations
 - Writing reports
 - EFIT officer's supervisor goes over the investigation with the officer and adds the investigation report to that officers file.

5. Superintendent of Public Reform, Victor Valdez

- He began his duties in September 2022.
- He started discussing the CASA, mention that APD should be around 90% in operations. He spoke of the City Council reorganization of the CPOA Board into an Advisory Committee with reduced authority. Currently, there is no executive director for the CPOA.
- He provided his educational and professional background, and stated that he's an
 independent contractor, and not a City of Albuquerque employee. He manages the
 office of superintendent and makes recommendations for change and reviews all
 disciplinary actions.
- He reviews cases from the FRB (Force Review Board) for discrepancies.
- One of other job functions is to be a public liaison for groups such as the CPC and Amici.
- Became Superintendent out of concern for the City of Albuquerque.
- Discussed civilian Internal Affairs investigators.
- Other duties as assigned or requested by the mayor.
- Participates in Community discussion about APD changes and policy.
- Conducts monthly de-escalation officer of the month award.

- **6.** Cmdr. Nick Wheeler spoke about APD mental health support and crisis intervention training.
- 7. Valley Area Crime Report by Lamont Davis, Crime Prevention Specialist
 - Month of January
 - Auto burglary 33
 - Commercial burglaries 15
 - o Residential burglaries 16
 - o Auto theft 67
 - Carjacking's 3
 - Robbery against an individual 9
- **8.** Meeting Adjourned 7:45 PM

To watch the Valley CPC February Council Meeting, please click the link below:

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Date: February 23, 2023 06:00 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)