

## Valley

## **Community Policing Council**

May 25, 2023

Approximately 12 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: Tom O'Keefe, Edwina Kiro, Jaqueline Ritz, Philip Jameson, Dick Winterbottom, Rudy Garcia, Deidra Ewing

- 1. Call to order- 6:00 PM
- 2. Approval of May Agenda- Approved
- 3. Approval of April Minutes Approved
- 4. New business VA Chair Philip Jameson
  - VA Vice Chair Deidra Ewing
- 5. COC update
  - Revision on the CPC guidelines. The guidelines were not approved at the last COC meeting. There were many changes in the wording and language.
  - There was a vote for a new COC chair and COC Vice chair
  - The first Youth CPC had their meeting on May 19, 2023
- 6. Commander Scott Norris Discusses use of force incidents and people with mental health issues. Continuation of last month's Valley CPC meeting on APD Use of Force.
  - Different options for use of force, including Tazers, 40mm impact weapons, beanbag shock weapons, mace, rifles and firearms.
  - APD tries to use non-confrontational techniques to diffuse situations such as allowing a suspect to leave to pick him up later.
  - Passive vs. Active Resistance regarding armed suspects
  - Force is encouraged to prevent a higher level of force
  - Use of force is fluid and changes, APD cannot prepare for every situation.
  - The APD increase in Officer Involved Shootings

## 7. Valley Area Commander Nick Wheeler –

- Auto theft 5% down YTD
- Sex Crimes down 35%
- Robbery down 43%
- Violent crime 16% reduction
- Arm robbery down 26%
- Burglary down 36%

• Shoplifting – down 5% the trouble areas are Walgreens, Lowes home improvement and sportswear stores.

## 8. Meeting Adjourned 7:52

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

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Date: May 25, 2023 06:00 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

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