Northwest
Community Policing Council
Zoom Meeting: 4/21/21

Approximately 44 members of the public attended, including APD civilians and sworn

CPC member present: Eric Jackson, Gionne Ralph, Tom Borst, Jill Greene, Jeff Miller

1. Call to order – 6:01 pm
2. Cmdr. Sanchez Presents the Area Report
3. Questions on Area Report:
   • Is it true that APD has suspended citations for expired tags do to Covid-19?
4. Lt. David Saladin, Recruiting Update; Recruiting going well taking Covid-19 into
   account, the latest recruiting class was 57 and we had low attrition coming toward then
   end of the Academy.
5. Questions on Recruiting from the Panelists/ Attendees:
   • What sort of cultural training do recruits receive?
   • How many recruits are bi-lingual?
   • Does the Academy do de-escalation training?
   • Does the Office of Equity and Inclusion address the cadets?
6. Chief Medina Presents the New Breakdown of Work Division Between Himself and
   Supt. Sylvester Stanley: Also speaks about the Ambassador Program.
7. Supt. Stanley Introduces Himself and Speaks on His Role with APD
8. Questions from Panelists/ Attendees for Stanley and Medina:
   • What is the hiring status for the New Senior Police Advisor position?
   • What are plans to counter APD loss of Morale?
   • What can the community do to show support to APD?
• What is the status of strength of the Emergency Response Team?
• What sort of training does the ERT get in the Academy?
• What can be done about the increase of homicides and car-jackings?
• Is the increase in homicides at Albuquerque hotels and Motels driven by residents or outsiders?
• Have you seen a major transport of drugs through Albuquerque, considering that we are at the crossroad of two major freeways?

9. **Supt. Stanley speaks on how his position allows the Chief to concentrate on Crime Prevention**

10. **Questions for Stanley/ Medina:**
    • What is being done about drunk driving on feeder routes as opposed to major throughfares?
    • Do we still have civilian field investigation units?

11. **Chief Medina Speaks on the Certain Units Changing from a 5 Day to a 7 Day Workweek;** Also on the help of civilian alumni associations helping APD, and units that need more presence.

12. **Cmdr. Sanchez Speaks on NW Area Response Times**

13. **Chief Medina Speaks on Distribution of Officers within the Commands**

14. **Supt. Stanley Speaks about the Citizen’s Policing Academy;** also if his job is interim or permanent and reactive or preventative.

15. **Chief Medina Talks About Homeless issues with APD;** and how the department tracks numbers, and what is meant by “discipline within the matrix.”

16. **Supt. Stanley Speaks on Disciplinary Action**

17. **Chief Medina Speaks on “The Thin Blue Line” and the City’s APD App**

18. **Announcements:**
    • Councilmember Gionne Ralph is moving to the CPOA.
    • Secretary Isaac Padilla is leaving the CPC.

19. **Preview of Next Mont’s Agenda**

20. **Meeting Adjourned - 7:55**
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