MEETING MINUTES NORTHEAST AREA COMMUNITY POLICING COUNCIL TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2015, 6:30 PM NORTH DOMINGO BACA MULTIGENERATIONAL CENTER, ALBUQUERQUE, NM

In Attendance:

- Annie Onderdonk, Chair
- Officer Christian Baker
- Constance Banuelos
- Darlene Couchman
- Officer Simon Drobik
- Celina Espinoza, APD Communications and Community Outreach Director
- Commander Randy Remiker
- Sergeant Ferris Simmons
- Jessie Lawrence, CABQ Contract Facilitator

Approximately 23 members of the public were in attendance.

1. Call to Order

Chairperson Annie Onderdonk called the meeting to order at 6:31 PM. CPC members introduced themselves to members of the public.

2. Approval of Agenda

Darlene Couchman moved to approve the agenda. Constance Banuelos seconded. The motion passed by voice vote.

3. Approval of January 13, 2015 Meeting Minutes

Constance Banuelos moved to approve the January 23, 2015 meeting minutes. Darlene Couchman seconded. The motion passed by voice vote.

4. CABQ and APD Updates

Celina Espinoza, the Communications and Community Outreach Director for APD, introduced herself and presented ongoing and upcoming public outreach activities, including the www.talkwithacop.com website, PSAs, coffees with a cop, Twitter (@abqpolice), and Facebook (ABQ Police). She invited members of the public to apply to join the CPC at http://www.cabq.gov/mayor/police-outreach. She also shared her contact information (cespinoza@cabq.gov, 505-263-9989).

Northeast Area Commander Randy Remiker also introduced himself and shared his contact information and said that he welcomed communication from the public (remiker@cabg.gov).

Sgt. Ferris Simmons presented information about crime statistics in the Northeast Area Command and officers answered public questions. Sgt. Simmons said that property crimes were slightly down in the last month, and the most prevalent crime both in the Northeast Area Command and citywide was auto theft while cars were warming up.

5. Officer Perspectives on Officer-Related Shootings

Officer Christian Baker shared his experience being involved in an officer-related shooting.

Members of the public asked questions about a variety of issues, including lapel camera technology, APD operations, officer recruitment, and collaboration between APD and other public services.

6. Citizens' Police Academy and APD Ride-alongs

Annie Onderdonk, Darlene Couchman, and Constance Banuelos shared their experiences on APD ride-alongs. Officers encouraged other members of the public to go on ride-alongs, and Sgt. Ferris Simmons said that anyone could request a ride-along by completing a form at the Northeast Area Command Substation. After completing the form, an officer will contact the requester to schedule the ride-along.

7. CPC Communication With Neighborhoods

Annie Onderdonk asked members of the public to share information about these meetings with neighbors and neighborhood associations.

8. Items for Future Meeting Agendas

Nothing new was discussed regarding this agenda item.

9. Public Comment

Members of the public asked questions throughout the meeting. There were no additional public comments.

10. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 PM. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 10, 2015, at 6:30 PM at the North Domingo Baca Multigenerational Center.