

Southwest Community Policing Council Patrick J. Baca Library, 8081 Central Ave NW Minutes - November 6, 2019

Call to Order at 6:00 p.m. by Vice Chair Chris Sedillo - Chair Steve Schmidt away on business; Council members present: Wanda Harrison, Stephanie Griego

Pledge to the flag; Minutes of October 2, 2019 approved; Agenda approved

Introduction of Council members

Nic Sedillo, Clinical Director of the Rape Crisis Center discussed steps to take when stress due to the encounters with family over the holidays becomes overwhelming.

Sgt. Diane Dosal, Crisis Intervention Unit explained the structure of the unit and her responsibilities. Celina Lopez explained her unit responsibilities.

Amir Chapel, APD Policy Manager explained what the SW CPC is supposed to be doing regarding recommendations to APD for ways to improve the relationship between the residents and Officers.

Lt. Matt Dietzel, CIU filled in other information about the Crisis Intervention Unit and talked about the Use of Force statistics. SW AC only had one Use of Force incident for the month of October. GREAT WORK SW AC!

Deputy Chief Harold Media discussed steps the APD is taking to improve constitutional community policing.

Commander Timothy Espinosa relayed the burglary & auto theft statistics for the SW AC.

SLACK recommendation tabled indefinitely; request to APD that we get onto the calendar of guest speakers as soon as possible.

ADJOURNED: 7:50 p.m. Attendance: 1 guest speaker; 7 representatives of APD; 6 residents/business owners; three council members

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