

Minutes of the Community Police Advisory Committee Meeting
 September 01, 2020 – 7:00 p.m.
 Law Enforcement Center 501 Faraon St.

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Members' Term Attendance</u> (mtgs attended-mtgs absent)	<u>End of Current Term of Office</u>
MEMBERS PRESENT:	Sheila Murray	(19-01)	10/12/21
	Dennis Adams	(07-00)	03/26/22
	Dennis Dornhoffer	(06-02)	11/26/21
	Charles Hayes	(03-00)	03/03/22
	Charles Davis	(04-02)	03/11/22
	Karen Petree	(08-00)	10/12/21
	Pat Jones	(05-02)	12/10/21
	Eric Harris	(18-05)	02/19/22
	Carol Dunn	(02-00)	03/17/23

MEMBERS ABSENT : none

STAFF PRESENT: Acting City Manager Connally
 Acting Chief Protzman
 Commander Hart
 Captain Sweiger

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ITEM #1 Call to Order.

Chairman Sheila Murray called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

ITEM #2 Approval of minutes

Sheila Murray asked for a motion to approve the minutes of the June 2 meeting and asked for discussion. Motion made by Dennis Dornhoffer and seconded by Eric Harris. The motion carried 9-0

ITEM #3 Discussion on community concerns

Eric Harris asked about theft from cars and stolen vehicles related to suspect type and prevention methods. ACM Connally discussed our campaigns to raise public awareness regarding locking vehicles, removing valuables, and not leaving the keys in them. It was further discussed that many of the thefts from cars are juvenile offenders and decreases and increases related to this crime can be directly tied to when these suspects are in custody or when they are released. A large majority of our stolen cars either are loaned out and not returned or have the keys in them. There is a mix of offenders between the juvenile groups who steal locally and dump locally and an older group who steal locally and then transport the cars to Kansas City.

Eric Harris asked about our intel gathering efforts especially related to the most recent shooting death of a juvenile. AC Protzman explained that we received a lot of information and had the suspects identified very early in the investigation, however there is a difference between knowing who did something and being able to prove who did it in court. While community response with anonymous

information is important, we need people to stand up and become witnesses to be able to make arrests and get charges filed.

ITEM #4 Interaction with Police Department

ACM Connally discussed crime numbers with the committee. Except for aggravated assaults, crime is over all down for the year. We continue to have concerns and work with our partners to identify and address victims affected by COVID 19 who have lost the ability to report.

ACM Connally and AC Protzman discussed the recent deputization of several officer with the US Marshalls Service and what this brings to our community in additional resources.

Captain Sweiger discussed the most recent helicopter operation, and the challenges and successes we observed.

ITEM #5 Old Business

None

ITEM #6 Unfinished Business

None

ITEM #7 Adjourn

8:07 P.M.

Minutes respectfully submitted,



Commander David Hart