Chief’s Citizen Advisory Council June 8, 2016 Meeting Notes

Chief’s Citizen Advisory Council
Minneapolis Police Department
350 South 5th Street, Room 130
Minneapolis, MN 55415

Attending
Chief Janeé Harteau  Mark Anderson Dominick Bouza
Harry Davis, Jr. Renee Jenson Father Dale Korogi
Jana Metge Doris Overby Sherman Patterson
Michael Rainville Don Samuels Rebecca Waggoner
Long Yang Shane Zahn

Not Attending
Reverend Joan Austin Leo Espinoza Pastor Charles Graham
Bishop Richard Howell Dr. Heather Huseby Joanne Kaufman
Kate Lee Robert Lilligren William Means
Dr. Avelino Mills-Novoa Joe Minjares-Senkyr Arnetta Phillips
VJ Smith Claudia Waring Eva Wood

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1. Welcome - Chief Janeé Harteau
2. Introduction of Father Dale Korogi
3. Gun Violence / June 4th North Minneapolis Community Safety March
4. National Initiative
5. Personnel Updates
6. Summer CCAC Meeting Schedule
7. Round Table
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1. Welcome

• Chief Harteau welcomed everyone.
• Body Cameras – draft policy is on line. Chief meeting with the Police Conduct Oversight Committee next week. Discussed the ability of an officer to review video prior to making their statement and the requirement for an officer to advise their supervisor in and when they turned off their camera. MN Legislature passed their bill which has most video classified as non-public.
• Safe Zone – JET Patrol – Sheriff, Transit and State Patrol
• P4 getting 12 new officers’ mid-June. Other precincts sending officers to P4 and back filling with overtime.

2. Introduction of Father Dale Korogi

• Father Korogi, Church of the Ascension – grew up in North Minneapolis – looking forward to being part of the group
3. Gun Violence / June 4th North Minneapolis Community Safety March

- 3-4 females involved in an incident on Olson Memorial Highway which was carry over from earlier confrontations. Mrs. Beeks was shot and killed on 21/Penn N and Pastor Brian Herron’s sister struck by a round while at a business on West Broadway & Irving. Some gang related, people too quick to react using a gun, some victims and witnesses uncooperative
- Operation Ceasefire – presentation on Thursday to our law enforcement partners – goal is to reach out to those involved in criminal activities.
- Need to provide care for the victim’s extended family. What is the economic impact when due to trauma you are unable to get up and go to work. Families need to be connected with social service agencies that can assist with their needs.
- Need training for officers and their families as they see violence every day.

4. National Initiative

- Listening Sessions being held next week. Some CCAC members were invited to participate by the Initiative.
- David Kennedy, John Jay College, presenting Ceasefire program to MPD and their Law Enforcement partners.
- Chief is looking to the NI to assist with communicating with the community

5. Personnel Updates

- There will be personnel changes in the upcoming weeks and the group will be advised via email.
- US Attorney’s office ruled no Civil Rights Violations in the Jamar Clark case. Internal view now underway.

6. Summer CCAC Meeting Schedule

- July meeting will be held at Powderhorn Park Neighborhood Association, 821 E 35th Street. Thank you Doris for arranging.
- No August meeting.
- Members will begin receiving emails asking for agenda items.

7. Round Table

- Circle of Discipline partnering with the Department of Natural Resources working with inner city kids teaching them how to fish providing gun safety sessions. Engaging the kids outside of their norm.
- Beginning in 2017 MCTC and DNR will be sponsor students going into the field of Science
- Have been inviting Beat Officers to lunch and asking how they and their families are doing.
- Youth Council – will be restructuring it to include 6-8 graders.
- Community is working on prostitution issues affecting the neighborhood.
- 600 Internet Bloggers were in town – good reviews. Events related to Princes passing all went well.
- Attending P1 roll calls – thanking officers
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• Their group has been working with the Native Community in South Dakota regarding youth suicide. All Nations Church will be hosting a Suicide Awareness program. What is forgotten is the effect the event has on the surviving family.

• Hmong Soccer Tournament, June 18 at Farview Park and the much larger one in St. Paul in July.

• Encouraging the Hmong business community to work with the Police. Also trying to connect the community with agencies to assist with mental health issues.

• Pride Festival in Loring Park

• New Mpls Public Schools Superintendent Ed Graff. Parents were teachers on a reservation so lived there as a child and moved back when he began teaching on it.

• What’s happening with the School Resource Officers? What’s it like to be a SRO? Who selects the SRO’s. Is there an interview process?

• 5th Precinct has assigned more Beat Officers to Lake Street.

• Metro Transit is becoming more involved in the community.

• Neighborhood organization held their 14th Annual Garage Sale and raised $35,000 for community projects.

• Church of Ascension is going thru a major renovation.

• Thank you for the additional P4 officers, including the new Beat officers

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