

AGENDA Public Safety Commission

Electronic Meeting via Zoom

Monday, January 10, 2022 | 6:30 p.m.

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l.	Call to Order		
II.	Roll Call Chair Geoff Hollimon Vice Chair Karen Wagner Commissioner Robert Boyd Commissioner Amina Ghouse Commissioner Dan Judd		Commissioner Stephanie Kitzhaber Commissioner Leah Kuipers Commissioner Ache Wakai Commissioner Jack Winkels
III.	Approval of Agenda		
IV.	Approval of the December 13, 2021 Minu	tes	
V.	Presentations and Business Items A. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion – DEI Co	oordinator Mar	rk Suggs
VI.	Reports and Updates A. Allina Health – Dave Matteson B. Public Safety Update – Tony Paetznick, C. City Council Update – Graeme Allen, Co		olic Safety
VII.	Adjournment		

^{*} A quorum of the City Council may be present.



MINUTES Public Safety Commission December 13, 2021 City Hall City Conference Room 6:30 p.m.

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Chair Hollimon.

II. Roll Call:

<u>Members Present:</u> Commissioners Robert Boyd, Geoff Hollimon, Dan Judd, Stephanie Kitzhaber, Karen Wagner, and Leah Kuipers.

Members Absent: Commissioner Amina Ghouse, Ache Wakai and Jack Winkels.

<u>Also Present:</u> Director Tony Paetznick, Council Member Graeme Allen and Dave Matteson (Allina Health).

III. Approval of Agenda

Motion by Kuipers, seconded by Judd to approve the December 13, 2021 agenda as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

IV. Approval of Minutes

Motion by Kuipers, seconded by Judd to approve the November 8, 2021 minutes as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

V. Presentations and Business Items

A. Ramsey County Emergency Communications Center (ECC)

Director Paetznick stated Nancy Pass and Joe Dillenburg from the Ramsey County Communications Center were in attendance to provide the Commission with a presentation.

Joe Dillenburg, Manager for the Ramsey County Emergency Communications Center, thanked the Commission for their time. He described who the ECC was and discussed the services provided to the community. The community organizational chart was reviewed along with the partner agencies involved in ECC. He reported approximately one million calls were handled annually by Ramsey County Telecommunicators (TC). He commented on the information TC's collect for each call in order to send the proper help. It was noted 90% of 911 calls were being made from cell phones.

Nancy Pass, Director of the Ramsey County Emergency Communications Center, reported the ECC's technology was always changing and evolving to meet the needs of the community and the community's well-being. She reported the ECC wanted to engage with the community prior to needing to meet with a police officer. The County's Violence Prevention Priority Project was discussed and along with the Appropriate Response Initiative. She commented on how ARPA funding would be used to sustain these new programs through 2024.

Discussion included:

- The Commission appreciated the ECC's efforts to create an Appropriate Response Initiative.
- The Commission requested information regarding staffing, recruitment and retention of employees. Ms. Pass indicated she was down eight employees at this time, but noted she had seven employees in training at this time.
- The stakeholders involved in the ECC's new programs were discussed.
- The Commission asked if social workers would be imbedded in local agencies. Ms.
 Pass reported Maplewood, St. Paul and Roseville have imbedded social workers. She
 commented further on the challenges dispatch would be facing to know what group of
 individuals to send to each 911 call. She reported public education would be valuable
 in the coming months.
- Director Paetznick stated he was excited to see this new programing coming online.
- Data sharing challenges were discussed.
- The Commission believed the new response model would greatly benefit the community.
- The Commission thanked the members of the ECC for their detailed presentation.

VI. Reports and Updates

A. Allina Health – Dave Matteson

Dave Mattson provided the Commission with an update from Allina Health. He discussed the number of COVID cases occurring at this time noting COVID was beginning to impact hospitals. He indicated hospital staff was getting COVID, which was impacting staffing. He reported there was also bed and supply shortages. He discussed how ambulances were taking more time on calls due to the fact they were being diverted to different hospitals. He reported Mercy and Abbott has the most COVID admissions. He reported there were no ICU beds in the Twin Cities at this time. He commented further on how 911 calls are dispatched to Allina. He anticipated that the EMS/EMT emergency call system would change in the near future in order to triage calls and to have the responses made appropriately.

B. Public Safety Update – Director Paetznick

Director Paetznick stated the New Brighton Public Safety Department had an officer involved shooting in conjunction with the Mounds View Police Department last Sunday. He reported he had no comment regarding the information but residents could check in with the BCA for further information. He explained COVID vaccine clinics were being held at the New Brighton Community Center noting those interested would have to schedule an appointment. He indicated 58 children from 21 families would be served through Santa Cop this year. He stated six new firefighters started with the department last week, along with

Public Safety Officer Matthew Moore. He encouraged residents to manage their packages throughout the holiday season. He stated there remains a shortage of licensed peace officers throughout the State of Minnesota. He encouraged residents to keep their fire hydrants free and clear of snow throughout the winter months in the event of an emergency.

Commissioner Wagner stated she understood Director Paetznick could not discuss the recent officer involved shooting, but requested he provide the Commission with an overview of how the public safety department addresses an officer involved shooting.

C. City Council Update - Graeme Allen, Councilmember

Councilmember Allen provided the Commission with an update from the City Council. He stated he attended the employee appreciation event last week. He reported he also attended the ground breaking ceremony for the new apartments being constructed on the US Bank site. He explained the Council would be approving contracts with the sergeants and patrol officers at its meeting tomorrow, along with reviewing a spending plan for the ARPA funding. He then discussed the levy and budget that would be considered by the Council for 2022 and commented on the programs available to help residents in need of assistance.

VII. Adjournment

Motion by Boyd, seconded by Judd to adjourn the meeting at 8:12 p.m. Motion carried 6-0.

Respectfully submitted,

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Tony Paetznick

Director of Public Safety

CRIMINAL ACTIVITY PART I OFFENSES (Actual and Attempts)

MONTH OF: November 2021	Cases This Month	This Month Clearances	Cases Year-to-Date	Cases Last Year-to-Date
Homicide	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	3	2
Robbery	1	0	5	11
Agg. Assault	0	0	12	15
Burglary	4	1	62	61
Theft (includes shoplifting and bike)	48	3	497	415
Auto Theft	5	0	50	43
Arson	0	0	2	0
TOTALS	58	4	631	547

TRAFFIC ACTIVITY

	This Month	Year-to-Date	Last Year-to-Date
Motor Vehicle Crashes:	18	286	241
Property Damage	16	264	220
Personal Injury	2	22	21
Fatal	0	0	0
DWI	7	94	101
Parking Violations	292	979	173
Hazardous Moving Violations	9	295	367
Non-Hazardous Moving Violations	21	288	411
Traffic Stops – No Citation	99	1,194	1,272

MISCELLANEOUS POLICE ACTIVITY

	This Month	This Month Last Year	Year-to-Date	Last Year-to-Date
CFS by Complaint Number	824	782	9,234	8,622
CFS by Officers' Response	1,290	1,240	15,023	14,352
Adult Arrests (not including traffic)	21	28	299	322
Juvenile Arrests (not including traffic)	3	0	7	7
Warrant Arrests	3	3	47	38
Non-Traffic Citations	11	11	119	132

2021 Use of Force - By Month

	<u>#</u>	<u>YTD</u>
January	11	11
February	7	18
March	4	22
April	8	30
May	11	41
June	9	50
July	4	54
August	3	57
September	7	64
October	3	67
November	10	77
December		

Use of Force Statistics

November

<u>Year</u>	# for Month	Year-to-Date
2021	10	77
2020	5	63
2019	5	62
2018	3	46
2017	3	51



Preliminary Crime Stats for:

December 2021

Homicide	0
Rape	0
Robbery	0
Agg Assault	1
Burglary	8
Theft	61
Auto Theft	5
Arson	0
Total	75

Incident Type Report (Summary)

Incident Type	Total Incidents	Total Incidents % of Incidents	Total Property Loss	Total Content Loss	Total Loss
Incident Type Category: 1 - Fire					
111 - Building fire	2	7.1%	30,000	5,000	35,000
113 - Cooking fire, confined to container	3	10.7%			
131 - Passenger vehicle fire	1	3.6%	1,500		1,500
	Total: 6	Total: 21.4%	Total: 31,500	Total: 5,000	Total: 36,500
Incident Type Category: 3 - Rescue & Emerge	ency Medical Serv	rice Incident			
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1	3.6%			
324 - Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	1	3.6%			
352 - Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle	1	3.6%			
360 - Water & ice-related rescue, other	1	3.6%			
	Total: 4	Total: 14.3%	Total: 0	Total: 0	Total: 0
Incident Type Category: 4 - Hazardous Condi	tion (No Fire)				
400 - Hazardous condition, other	1	3.6%			
412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	2	7.1%			
424 - Carbon monoxide incident	2	7.1%			
444 - Power line down	1	3.6%			
	Total: 6	Total: 21.4%	Total: 0	Total: 0	Total: 0
Incident Type Category: 5 - Service Call					
531 - Smoke or odor removal	1	3.6%			
561 - Unauthorized burning	1	3.6%			
	Total: 2	Total: 7.1%	Total: 0	Total: 0	Total: 0
Incident Type Category: 6 - Good Intent Call					
611 - Dispatched and cancelled en route	1	3.6%			
651 - Smoke scare, odor of smoke	3	10.7%			
	Total: 4	Total: 14.3%	Total: 0	Total: 0	Total: 0
Incident Type Category: 7 - False Alarm & False	se Call				
735 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	2	7.1%			
745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	4	14.3%			
	Total: 6	Total: 21.4%	Total: 0	Total: 0	Total: 0
	Total: 28	Total: 100.0%	Total: 31,500	Total: 5,000	Total: 36,500

Report Filters

Basic Incident Date Time: is between '11/01/2021' and '11/30/2021'

Agency Name: is equal to 'NEW BRIGHTON'

Report Criteria

Incident Type (Fd1.21): Is Not Blank

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