

City of Tacoma Citizen Police Advisory Committee Minutes

Monday, January 11, 2021
Virtual Zoom Meeting
6:00 p.m.

The CPAC is comprised of Chair Stephen Hagberg, Vice Chair Krystle Edwards, and Committee Members Louis Cooper, Kiara Daniels, Dana Coggon, Jennifer Vasilez, Shayna Raphael, Jill Jackson, Elizabeth Altamimy, Jeffery Sargent, and Terah Gruber

6:11pm meeting begins

TPD Briefing on incident

Committee member comments and questions

Kiara: Need to increase transparency and speed to expedite when meetings can be called together.

Dana: I want to know the policies around use of force with a vehicle. We are still waiting on information from Manuel Ellis case, we want to see TPD take action now and not wait for decisions to come. At its inception CPAC wanted to be an oversight body, that was denied to them. We cannot wait any longer to give CPAC real oversight authority.

Does TPD utilize dash cams or plan to?

There are some complaints about officers not being from this community, how many officers in TPD are from Tacoma?

We need to be reviewing the use of force policies now.

6:55pm

Next steps

- -want to see update on the rollout of body cameras
- -policy committee needs to meet and start on use of force review immediately.
- -what is the policy on street racing and actions to be taken
- -get to oversight authority
- -CPAC members want to observe the use f force training officers receive

- -Staff will get a cheat sheet URL to all CPAC members
- -Identify next steps and timeline for movement to oversight committee
- -Review of large crowd policy, timeline for development of one of one doesn't exist
- -Set up meeting with chaplaincy and subcommittee and figure out if they can support now or identify timeline for support to begin.

Meeting adjourned 7:20pm

Stephen We Hagberg

Stephen Hagberg, Chair

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Bucoda Warren, Staff Liaison, City Manager's Office