



UNIVERSITY PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MEETING NOTES

May 7, 2019

ATTENDANCE

Present:

Chief John Reid, UPD

Mike Guzzi, FMS

Chris Nicodemus, UPD

Tim Sistrunk, HFA

Jen Ross, Staff Council

Marvin Pratt, EHS

Farshad Azad, Azad's Martial Arts and Kinesiology

Mike Thorpe, Risk Manager

MINUTES

1. Review meeting agenda
 2. Review notes from April 9, 2019
 3. Monthly summary of UPD activities
 - Officer Durl White received a MADD award 4/24/19 for his 41 DUI arrests in 2018, and received the Officer of the Year award at the Chico Noon Exchange Club LE banquet on 4/30/19.
 - UPD hosted the April Koffee & Kudos event on campus in honor of national Dispatcher Appreciation Week. The event also included a badge pinning ceremony and Oath of Honor swearing in for new Sgt's Gridley and Glander, Commander Nicodemus and Officer Gleason.
 - Review of April 2019 activity. In comparison of past 3 years: Part 1 & 2 Crimes are down, citations are up. One Hate Crime reported (1st in at least 3 years).
 - i. **Attachments:** UPD April 2019 Patrol Statistics
 - Discussion of Hate Crime incident at Butte Hall. Chief Reid explained Hate Crime definition and criminal elements involved. Some discussion regarding Hate Speech vs 1st amendment rights.
 - Chief Reid explained that a campus-wide survey was sent out recently regarding UPD services. Results will be shared at next meeting in Sept.
 4. Current issues facing law enforcement throughout the CSU system as well as the state of California
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- UPD officers were requested to assist Sonoma State officers with a provocative/controversial speaker on campus recently, with the potential to cause riots. Same speaker had been scheduled to appear on Chico State campus in May but event was cancelled. Discussed need for Student Affairs and law enforcement to work together to have awareness of these events to be proactively prepared for community response.
 - Police Accountability and Protection act (AB931) is currently working through the House. Chief Reid explained how bill would change how police do their job and train for use of force.
5. Report on any meetings with Academic Senate, Cabinet, various constituency groups
- Chief Reid attended the monthly Human Resources Network (HRN) meeting at Stonewall Alliance with other community representatives to connect with resource providers, as well as attended Courageous Conversations on 4/12 in MLIB.
 - Discussion of Town/Gown Community/Campus Safety Summit 4/19/19. Take-away ideas included working on bolstering existing resources. Guzzi felt the event included good discussion, and is hoping to focus on action items. Chief Reid asked Azad to work with him from a community perspective on follow-up actions/ideas to implement once the report is published.
 - Chief Reid to meet with Chief O'Brien and new CPD PIO, along with Chico State's PIO to discuss how to respond/better share info between depts, especially when incidents overlap jurisdiction.
6. Examine recommendations from the Chief of Police concerning matters of public safety
- Move forward with Phase 2A, 2B, and 3 security enhancements. Discussed Camera implementation, specifically ideas for the new science building. Entry/exit alarms or improper access to activate cameras; possibly include sound activated recording.
 - UPD looking to utilize social media to present informative videos such as explaining what a WRAP is/does. Proactively provide public with info to assist in understanding of dept tools and reasons for use.
 - Knightscope – Chief Reid presented a Silicon Valley company's autonomous robot as a possible aide in patrol and deterring crime. Similar to a drone, it is able to patrol and record video/sound 24/7 in areas such as parking lots and campus. Citizens can interact with it and contact UPD via its communication features. Chief Reid is seeking input from the committee and plans to have the company bring their demo to UPD. Other uses include an opportunity for positive campus engagement and interaction, much in the same way a K-9 creates engagement opportunities for other LE depts. Cost is approx \$60k/yr. Similar robots are being used on corporate campuses in the Silicon Valley, malls, etc.
7. Committee members to provide recommendations concerning matters of public safety
- Sistrunk mentioned Student Assistant CSO's. Chief Reid is interested in utilizing CSO's to actively create a perception of safety on campus, and is committed to putting more work into moving the current CSO program forward through more engagement.
 - Azad asked about a possible software reporting app option. Discussion of ways to use technology to aid in reporting/as a deterrent to crime.
 - Chief Reid will send out the UPD Annual Report once available.
8. Adjourn – Last meeting of 18-19 AY, will resume meetings in September

Next meeting: September 9, 2019

April, 2019 Data

Category	Apr-17	Apr-18	Apr-19	Rate per 1000	3 Year %
Calls for Service	464	470	401		
Felony Reports	9	4	5		-44%
Misdemeanor Reports	45	41	26		-42%
Total Arrests	16	10	16		0%
Total Citations	27	23	40		48%
Part 1 Crime	22	16	10	0.59	-54%
Part 2 Crime	28	25	14	0.82	-50%
Hate Crimes	0	0	1	0.06	100%

Part 1 Crimes: Homicide, Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Vehicle Theft, Arson

Part 2 Crimes: Simple Assault, Drug/Liquor Laws, DUI, Public Intoxication, Disorderly Conduct

Academic Year 2017, 2018, 2019 Data

Category	16 & 17	17 & 18	18 & 19	Rate per 1000	3 Year %
Calls for Service					
Felony Reports					
Misdemeanor Reports					
Total Arrests					
Total Citations					
Part 1 Crime	165	151	105	6.17	-36%
Part 2 Crime					
Hate Crimes					