



UNIVERSITY PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MEETING NOTES

December 19, 2019

ATTENDANCE

Present:

Chief John Reid, UPD, Tim Sistrunk, HFA, Marvin Pratt, EHS, Mary Wallmark, Student Life & Leadership, Farshad Azad, Azad's Martial Arts and Kinesiology, Durbin Sayers (For Mike Guzzi), FMS, Allyah Perez, Associated Students, Curtis Pahlka, Staff Council, Karen Acker (Chief's Assistant), UPD

MINUTES

1. Review meeting agenda
2. Review notes from October meeting (available online)
3. Monthly summary of UPD activities
 - Annual Security Report available online
 - UCR comparison of reported crime data
 - #1: theft (non-felony), such as bikes
 - i. Chief Reid advised the bike racks are being analyzed to work on securing those areas in line with the campus-wide sustainability project
 - National Crime Victims survey in process
 - Approx 30-40% of crime is actually reported
 - i. Some things are never reported to UPD such as incidents occurring in Housing or other depts
 - ii. Some data is sent to UPD, but UPD does not necessarily receive details to follow up or investigate incidents
 - Calls for service were up
 - i. Officer initiated calls more than doubled
 - ii. Building-checks were about five times higher; new way of capturing this data in RIMS
 - Two new UPD officers completed FTO and are on patrol
 - Officer Marc Reed retired after 14 years
 - Recruitment under way for new officer; hoping to have hired by March
 - Sgt Bird will transition to Admin Sgt role in Jan; Sgt Davison will transition back to patrol sgt
 - Planning to promote an officer to Detective along with Det Kolb
 - Body Cameras will roll out in spring semester; CSU mandate – UPD one of the last campus's to implement program

- i. Chief Reid anticipates public records requests will increase
 - Question from committee re IA complaints: Who reviews citizen complaints/requests
 - Per Chief Reid: Chief, Commander & Lieutenant handle IA
 - Chief Reid announced arrival of Less-Lethal 40mm launchers; still working on training/policy before implementation
 - Launchers are more accurate than shotgun w/beanbags and can be used from further distance than tasers
 - Chief Reid explained these do not replace deadly force
 - 911 phone system upgrade and Comm Center remodel
 - State funded project will add workstation and system upgrades
 - Tip411: Anonymous reporting system via text or email
 - Working on integrating with the campus app
 - Can share tips w/other campus dept
4. Current issues facing law enforcement throughout the CSU system as well as the state of California
 - NVCF funded \$1 million towards a public safety wellness app in conjunction with allied Butte County agencies
 - i. Includes access to EAP, campus resources, among other features
 - Senate Bill 978 requires all PD's to post training materials and general orders online by 01/01/20
 - Assembly Bill 392: changes to "use of force" laws effective 1/01/20
 - i. POST is developing guidelines
 - Basic LE academy is adding procedural justice, de-escalation of force and tactical first-aid; will require additional training for our officers
 - POST to develop mental health training for dispatchers
 - Force options simulators at Butte LE academy; for tactics and comm related to de-escalation and force options
 5. Report on any meetings with Academic Senate, Cabinet, various constituency groups
 - CIRT is now CART; Mary Wallmark will have a large role in the upcoming election year
 - Orion: UPD/UCOMM meeting w/editor; Chief Reid wrote a letter to the editor in response to recent inaccuracies in reporting
 - "Meet the Heat:" Chief Reid, Commander Nicodemus, Sgt Bird and Officer Gilham recently met with students of color to discuss relations; Chief hopes these meetings will continue and hopes to bring back "Coco with the Popo" and other events
 - Chief Reid to meet with AS President Trevor Guthrie re students feelings of safety on campus; looking for ways to build trust with the community
 6. Examine recommendations from the Chief of Police concerning matters of public safety
 - Chief Reid is reviewing campus regulations
 7. Committee members to provide recommendations concerning matters of public safety
 - Mary Wallmark recommends viewing the recent free speech webinar to help prepare for the 2020 election
 - Sistrunk recommends outreach to students to help understand the process of SJA
 - i. Chief Reid suggested reaching out to Sandy Parsons and Emily Peart
 - Curtis Pahlka recommended Green Dot training for faculty/staff on Dec 12
 8. Adjourn – next meeting is February 11, 2020