



Meeting Minutes

Date: 6/19/2024

Time: 6:00 pm

Attendees:

- Commissioner Wilson Riles (Chair)
- LT. Steve Toribio
- Sgt. Alain Manguy

1. Welcome and Introductions:

- The meeting commenced with Commissioner Riles welcoming all attendees and thanking them for their participation.

2. Review of Previous Meeting Minutes:

- The minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved without any changes.

3. Discussion on GPS Tracking and Camera Networks:

- Commissioner Riles initiated a discussion on comparing various technical mechanisms for vehicle tracking and pursuit alternatives.
- Commissioner Riles suggested requesting a presentation from the Inspector General's office to compare these mechanisms and to explore other options in an upcoming meeting in August.
- LT. Steve Toribio shared the department's experience with a GPS tracking system from Star Chase, which was ultimately found to be unsuitable due to practical limitations and lack of flexibility.
- The idea of using networked cameras on major thoroughfares to track vehicles was discussed, with the need to consult the Privacy Commission on privacy concerns and community sentiment.

4. Measure Z Replacement and its Impact:

- Commissioner Riles highlighted the new Measure Z replacement and its potential impact on the distribution of funds within the police department, particularly on the Community Service Officers.
- It was suggested that this topic be discussed in future meetings to understand its implications on the community policing program.

5. Expansion of Neighborhood Councils:

- The expansion of neighborhood councils in East Oakland, funded by grant money from the City Administrator's Office, was discussed.
- Commissioner Riles raised concerns about whether the current budget being discussed by the Council would affect the Community Resource Officer program.
- LT. Steve Toribio and Sgt. Alain Manguy were unsure about the budget impacts and suggested consulting Captain Alan for more information.

6. Next Steps and Future Agenda Items:

- Commissioner Riles proposed discussing new issues such as the Measure Z replacement and neighborhood council expansions in future meetings.
- It was suggested to reconvene on July 17th to further inform the community and prepare a report for the Council by early September.
- Commissioner Riles also suggested that future ad hoc meetings might include new department members actively working in the community policing unit for diverse perspectives.
- The idea of reassessing and possibly resetting the ad hoc committee members to better represent both the community and the department was brought up.

7. Adjournment:

- The meeting concluded with Commissioner Riles thanking everyone for their time and participation, especially on a holiday.
- **The next meeting was tentatively scheduled for July 17th.**

Questions:

- How can we compare various technical mechanisms for vehicle tracking effectively?
- What are the impacts of the new Measure Z replacement on community policing funds?
- How will the expansion of neighborhood councils affect the Community Resource Officer program?

Recommendations:

- Request a presentation from the Inspector General's office to compare technical mechanisms.
- Consult with Captain Alan regarding the budget impacts on the Community Resource Officer program.
- Include new department members in future ad hoc meetings for diverse perspectives.

Suggestions:

- Consider discussing the Measure Z replacement and neighborhood council expansions in future meetings.

- Reassess the ad hoc committee members to ensure balanced representation.

Next Steps:

- Schedule the next meeting for July 17th.
- Gather and review the report from Jesse Hseis's work.
- Consult with Captain Alan on budget impacts.
- Prepare for a report to the Council in early September.