

Public Safety & Community Relations Board
YWCA, 1201 N. Hershey Rd., Bloomington, IL 61704
Wednesday, May 29, 2019; 3:30 pm

1. Call to Order

The meeting was convened at 3:30 pm by Chairman Arthur Taylor.

2. Roll Call

Mr. Taylor called the roll. Member Woodard was absent. All other members present.
Staff present: Nora Dukowitz, Clay Wheeler, Chad Wamsley, Greg Moredock, Tim Gleason

3. Public Comment

None.

4. Consideration of Approving Meeting Minutes

Member Fish made a motion to approve the 3/20/19 minutes, seconded by Member Lancaster. Motion passed unopposed.

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5. City Manager Update

City Manager Gleason shared next steps for the recruitment and hiring of the City's next Police Chief and asked for the PSCRB's assistance with gathering community feedback as one of the first parts of the process. Discussion ensued. It was proposed that the PSCRB's next Quarterly Meeting be an opportunity to gather this feedback. City Manager Gleason thanked the Board for their work and willingness to participate in the Chief process.

6. Discussion of Complaints Received

The BPD has received four complaints so far this year. Three have been closed and one is still pending. The PSCRB has no pending complaints.

7. Board Elections

Nominations were accepted from the floor. Member Fish expressed a desire to leave the current Chair and Vice Chair in place. Member Rudolph made a motion to reelect Art Taylor as Chairman and Jan Lancaster as Vice Chair, which Member Fish seconded. Motion passed unopposed.

8. Discussion of Future Meeting Dates, Times, and Location

The next Regular Meeting will be June 12 at 5 pm, directly preceding the Quarterly Meeting at 6 pm. Community feedback regarding the selection of the next Police Chief will be the main topic of the Quarterly Meeting. Both the June Regular and Quarterly Meetings will take place at the City of Refuge Church. The July 10 Regular Meeting is anticipated to take place at the West Bloomington Revitalization Project.

9. Adjourn (approximately 4:30 pm)

Motion to adjourn was made by Member Rudolph, seconded by Member Fish. The motion passed unopposed, and the meeting adjourned at 4:32 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Nora Dukowitz, Communication Manager