

MINUTES - Community Advisory Committee

Jon Reaud, Chairperson

Sandra Womack, Vice Chairperson

Meeting Date: November 16, 2017

Rev. Dwight Benoit

Mr. John Stafford

Ms. Alma Hodge

Mr. Jesus Abrego

Mr. Karl Duerr

Mr. Roy McGrath

Mr. Mark Simon, Jr.

Mr. Roy Steinhagen

Mr. Shawn Javed

Mr. Glen Johnson

Mr. Norman Bellard

Rev. Vernon Tubbs

Mr. James Reed

Call to order by Community Advisory Committee Chairperson Jon Reaud: A regular meeting of the Community Advisory Committee was held at **Beaumont Police Department Training Room**, 255 College Street, Beaumont, Texas on **November 16, 2017**. The meeting convened at **1:00 p.m.**

Members in attendance: Rev. Vernon Tubbs, Mr. James Reed, Ms. Sandra Womack, Mr. Glen Johnson, Mr. Karl Duerr and Mr. Jon Reaud.

Members not in attendance: Rev. Dwight Benoit, Ms. Alma Hodge, Mr. Jesus Abrego, Mr. Roy McGrath, Mr. Mark Simon, Mr. Roy Steinhagen, Mr. Shawn Javed, Mr. John Stafford and Mr. Norman Bellard.

City and Police Department personnel in attendance: Cindy Jeanis, Judi Rawls, Assistant Chief Jim Clay, Captain Chris Schuldt, Chief of Police James Singletary, Assistant Chief Wayne Jeffcoat and Councilperson Virginia Jordan.

Invocation: Rev. Vernon Tubbs

Pledge of Allegiance

Moment of Silence

Minutes for October 2017 were approved via acclamation.

We have some new board members: Mr. Shawn Javed, Mr. Norman Bellard and Mr. James Reed. Everyone should have received their letters of renewal to the Board.

Chief Singletary introduced the speakers, Amber Woods and Tommy Smith. They spoke about our partnership with MHMR and that we have an assigned mental health liaison. Their Cell #s were provided along with the Houston Crisis Center # 800-937-8097. Board members asked questions.

Cindy Jeanis-is sending out an invitation for the Police Chief's Appreciation Banquet that will be coming up in January. She also spoke about the benefit to help raise funds for the Cops and Kids

program, since there is no dedicated budget. Halloween Carnival was incredible and we will combine the Cops and Kids Carnival with Trunk or Treat again next year. Over 4,500 people attended.

Chief Clay spoke about the Clergy (CAPP) graduation where we have 7 new pastors.

Mr. Reaud thanked Board Member Karl Duerr for chairing the committee last month.

Mr. Reaud said that we will here from our new board members next time.

Board voted to Skip the December 21, 2017 meeting.

Benediction: Rev. Vernon Tubbs

Meeting ended at 2:15 p.m.

Next Meeting: Thursday, January 18, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.

Minutes Taken by: Laurie Witterstaeter
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