Community Policing Advisory Group Meeting Minutes

June 11, 2018

I. Call to Order

Major Mark Jamison called to order the regular meeting of the Community Policing Advisory Group at 4:30 p.m. at the GLTC Meeting Room, 800 Kemper Street.

II. Roll Call

The following persons were present: Christine Kennedy, Ramona Battle, Mark Sheehan and guests (visiting University of Syracuse students Kate Alexis Abogado and Medura Benson), Jay Parker, Larry Taylor, Mark Jamison, Ryan Zuidema, and Ken Edwards.

III. New Business

End Station Theater members gave an overview of their theater productions, and there was group discussion regarding the Br'er Cotton play.

Recruitment and retention was discussed, and Major Jamison gave an overview of what the PD is currently doing in this area.

Results of the survey indicate the majority of the group would like to meet quarterly. Beginning in September, the group will meet quarterly. Notification of the meeting date and an agenda will be provided in advance. Meetings will be called when necessary (e.g., to relay information when the investigations are completed on the shooting incidents, special projects, etc.).

Mark Sheehan thanked the PD for assistance with the Badges for Basketball program at the Boys and Girls Club. Badges for Baseball startsTuesday.

Plan to discuss retention ideas, transparency, and public education at our next meeting. Please contact Major Jamison if you have any ideas/suggestions for new members for the group, or want to add a topic to the agenda for future meetings.

IV. Adjournment

Major Jamison adjourned the meeting at 5:50 p.m. Minutes submitted by V. West Minutes approved by: MLJ