

MINUTES
CITIZENS LAW ENFORCEMENT ADVISORY BOARD
ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Ormond Beach Police Department
Conference Room
170 W. Granada Blvd.
Ormond Beach, Florida 32174

Date Wednesday, Tuesday, February 27, 2013

7:00PM

ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Chairwoman Margaret Sharifi. Those present were Ed Shumaker, Kevin Tilley, Lt. Kenny Hayes, Chief Henry Osterkamp, Acting Lieutenant James Crimins and recording secretary Chris Beatty. Frank Pezzimente was absent and Chairwoman Margaret announced that he had resigned.

Prior to the start of the formal meeting, annual elections were conducted. Current Chairwoman Margaret Sharifi was nominated by Rev. Willie Branch to remain in her position as Chairwoman. No other nominations were received and Margaret Sharifi accepted the position for another year.

CLEAB member Ed Shumaker nominated Rev. Willie Branch as Vice Chairman with no other nominations presented. Rev. Willie Branch agreed to continue to serve as Vice Chairman for another year.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Regular business meeting continued as Chairwoman Sharifi asked if there were any changes or additions to the minutes of the November 13. meeting. Mr. Tilley made a motion to accept the minutes as written. The motion was seconded by Rev. Branch and the November Minutes were accepted as written.

Review of Files:

No pending files

IA # 12-015

SR# 12-016, 017

UF# 12-026, 027, 028, 029, 030, 031, 032, 033, 034

UF# 13-001, 002, 003, 004, 005, 006

VP# 12-001, 002

VP# 13-001

PSI# NONE

All files were individually reviewed with questions and concerns from board members discussed and addressed by Chief Osterkamp, Lt. Kenny Hayes and Acting Lieutenant Crimins.

Pending Files from May 8, 2012

There were no pending files

Internal Affairs Investigations:

IA 12-015 – Complaint allegation that fellow officers were coerced into being interviewed regarding an anonymous complaint and that the Police Bill of Rights had not been followed appropriately. Complaint was unfounded. Margaret Sharifi inquired as to whether or not sensitive interviews could be video taped. Chief Osterkamp stated that it is not usually warranted but could be done if requested by involved parties.

Supervisory Inquiries

SR 12-016 – Rudeness by an officer during a traffic stop – not sustained

SR 12-017 – Hand cuffed complainant alleged the cuffs were too tight and officer said “too bad” – no indication that cuffs were too tight – unfounded

Use of Force Reports

All use of force reports were reviewed and actions taken were found to be acceptable by the board.

UF 12-026 Verbal – Taser
UF 12-027 Verbal – OC spray – physical – taser
UF 12-028 Verbal - physical – restraint chair
UF 12-029 Verbal – physical – report of a gun
UF 12-030 Verbal – physical – gun shown
UF 12-031 Verbal – physical – resisting without violence
UF 12-032 Verbal – Taser
UF 12-033 Verbal – physical – Taser
UF 12-034 Verbal – physical – Taser - suicidal suspect with knife
UF 13-001 Verbal – OC spray
UF 13-002 Verbal - battery on a law enforcement officer
UF 13-003 Verbal – gun located in suspects vehicle
UF 13-004 Verbal – spit sock
UF 13-005 Verbal – weapon fired – suspect attempted to hit officer w/vehicle
UF 13-006 Verbal – fleeing suspect

Vehicle Pursuits

VP 12-001 Car Jacking – resisting – short pursuit – crash – tried to escape
VP 12-002 Assault – firearm pulled – suspect left at high speed – VP called off
VP 13-001 Traffic stop – suspect took off – observed at new location– foot pursuit

Professional Standards Inquiry

There were no Professional Standards Inquiries to review

DISCUSSION/ADJOURNMENT

Acting Lieutenant J. Crimins inquired as to whether or not the packets could be delivered to the members through the use of thumb drives. Ed Shumaker stated that he did not have a computer and would still need to have a hard copy delivered to him. All other members were OK with the packets being delivered by thumb drive.

This was the last CLEAB meeting to be attended by retiring Lieutenant Kenny Hayes. Chairwoman Margaret Sharifi thanked him on behalf of the board for his service and all members wished him well in his retirement.

The next scheduled meeting was tentatively set for Wednesday, May 15, 2013. There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was called to a close at 7:31 PM on Wednesday, February 27, 2012.

Margaret Sharifi, Chairwoman

Transcribed by Chris Beatty