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Citizens Police Review Board Meeting

June 8, 2011
7:00 p.m.
City Hall Building – New Addition
City Council Chamber
701 East Broadway
Columbia, Missouri

Board members present: Ms. LoCurto-Martinez, Mr. Highbarger, Ms. Smith, Mr. Dean, Ms. Wilson, Dr. Alexander, Mr. Sheltmire, Mr. McClure and Mr. Martin.

Staff Present: Fred Boeckmann, Anthony Brown and Rose Wibbenmeyer.

Members of the public were present.

The regular monthly meeting of the Citizens Police Review Board was held on Wednesday, June 8, 2011, at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chamber. Mr. Martin, Vice Chair, opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m. The draft minutes of the May 11, 2011 meeting were distributed in advance of the meeting and were approved.

Dr. Doxsee and Professor Levin discussed the topic of mediation with the Board. Ms. Smith, Mr. Alexander and Ms. Wilson agreed to serve on a subcommittee to design the mediation program.

The Board discussed subpoena powers. The Chair announced that the general consensus was to not request subpoena powers.

The Board discussed guidelines for executive session. Mr. Sheltmire gave a report on how citizens police review boards use closed sessions in other cities.

Mr. Sheltmire and Ms. LoCurto-Martinez volunteered to provide the Board with a list of cities to contact to further investigate the possible guidelines for going into closed session.

The Board discussed the presentation by Mr. Marshall. Ms. Cuttle, a representative of the Columbia Police Officers Association, agreed to provide information from CPOA and Mr. Marshall regarding CPOA's recommended changes to the ordinances.

The Board discussed the supplemental annual report.

Ms. Smith provided information regarding San Diego's video regarding a sample incident and the entire process. Ms. Smith thought that the Board might want to

produce such a video. In Atlanta, the Board had a nice website with information regarding how the Board functions.

The Board passed on the discussion regarding the Tribune editorials.

The Board discussed the complaint form revisions. Ms. Wilson moved to approve the new complaint form. The motion was seconded by Mr. Alexander. Mr. Alexander, Mr. Scott, Ms. Highbarger, Ms. LoCurto-Martinez, Mr. Martin, Mr. McClure, Mr. Sheltmire, Ms. Smith and Ms. Wilson voted to pass the motion.

The Chair opened the meeting for public comment.

The Board approved the payment for the annual dues. Ms. Smith moved that two new Board members should attend the NACOLE conference. Mr. Martin expressed interest in going and offered to pay his own way. Ms. Smith and Mr. Dean were chosen to attend the conference.

The chair's position will be posted soon. Ms. LoCurto-Martinez anticipates the council will fill the position by July 18, 2011.

Ms. Wilson moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Alexander seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.