

City of Chicago
DISTRICT COUNCIL # 016
COMMUNITY COMMISSION FOR PUBLIC SAFETY AND ACCOUNTABILITY

MEETING MINUTES

MEETING TYPE: Regular Special Closed

MEETING DATE: 3/12/2024

MEETING LOCATION & ADDRESS: 6656 N Avondale

MEETING START TIME: 6:38 pm

Attendance & Quorum

OMA Meeting cannot take place without 2 out of 3 members present in-person.

District Council Member Name	Attendance
Chair: Daniel Martin	Present: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remote: <input type="checkbox"/> Absent: <input type="checkbox"/>
Community Engagement: Colleen Murphy	Present: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remote: <input type="checkbox"/> Absent: <input type="checkbox"/>
Nominating Committee: Colleen Dillon	Present: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remote: <input type="checkbox"/> Absent: <input type="checkbox"/>

Quorum (2 out of 3 Members): Yes: No:

Public Comment

Pete Czosnyka, provided a recap from last months meeting when John Catanzara attended. Discussed CPD releasing 40 page draft policies for public comments.

They were for response to crowds, protest ,civil disturbances and declaration of a coordnated multiple arrest incidents. He expressed concern that these issues were not discussed during last months meeting.

Approval of Minutes

Minutes are approved by the second regular meeting after they are taken.

Approved minutes are posted online within 10 days after approval.

Approval of Meeting Minutes.

1. 2/13/2024.
2. No Corrections.
3. DC-Daniel Martin made motion to approve minutes.
4. No debate.
5. Daniel Martin, Colleen Dillon and Colleen Murphy all voted yes to approve the minutes.
6. Vote 3-0.

District Council Member Updates

Nominator: Colleen Dillon provided updates on how the 15 nominees were picked and the process after Mayor Johnson receives the names.

Community Engagement: Colleen Murphy provided updates on location and speaker for next months meeting.

Chair: Daniel Martin: Discussed he will be reaching out to the 16 district police department about summer planning around public safety.

Discussions

Summary of discussions

Guest Speaker: Current Interim President Anthony Driver- Provided history on the ordinance and his passion for why he wanted to continue on as commissioner.

Speaker: Provided a brief summary about how he has grown to view mental health and officer wellness differently after a ride along with CPD.

Discussed some powers of a commissioner, budget authority and policies ect.

Guest Speaker answered questions for attendees.

Q: Did you wear plain clothes during police ride along?

A: No, I wore regular clothing. The call was a person with a gun having a manic episode.

Q: What are some of the main policy recommendations that commission has made in the last year ?

A: Associations order and elimination of gang database. He defined both policies.

Votes

Votes taken to approve meeting minutes for 2/13/2024.

Announcement of Next District Council Meeting

NEXT MEETING DATE: 4/9/2024

NEXT MEETING LOCATION (if available): Dunham Park, 4638 N Melvina

District Council ended the meeting at: 7:29 pm