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AMES RESIDENT POLICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ARPAC

Conference Room 235
City Hall, 515 Clark Avenue

Wednesday, July 13, 2022

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 5:45 p.m. by Chief Huff.

Members present: Robert Dubiel, Emily Rebollozo, Virginia Speight, Chunhui Xiang, William Arce, Edna Clinton, Tim Rasmussen. City of Ames Staff City Manager Steve Schainker, and Ames Police Chief Geoff Huff.

Approval of Minutes: As this was the first meeting of the ARPAC, there were no minutes to approve.

Welcome and Introductions: Each member of the ARPAC introduced themselves to the group and shared why they were interested in being a member of the group.

Elections: Emily Rebollozo was chosen as the Chair of the committee with Edna Clinton as the Vice-Chari. Roberto Dubiel was chosen as the minute's taker.

Police Chief Report: Chief Huff gave an overview of the police department and divisions and staffing.

Future Meeting Logistics: The committee discussed future meetings and frequency. It was decided to continue to meet on Wednesday evenings with a start time of 5:30 p.m. Chief Huff will be responsible for booking a room for the meetings. The committee also decided to meet more frequently during the orientation and training phase. The next 3 meetings will be August 3, August 17, and August 31.

Committee Member Comments: the concept of name tags and or shirts was discussed. Chief Huff will come back to the group with some ideas for them to decide. The committee was also invited to do ridealongs with officers in the future.

Upcoming Events: Chief Huff invited the committee members to National Night Out to be held on August 2, 2022 from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Friendship Baptist Church at Mortensen and Gateway Hills Park Drive. Chief Huff also spoke about Cyclone Welcome Weekend and discussed the possibility of ridealongs during the event.

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, August 3, 2022, at 5:30 p.m.