
July 7, 2021, 8:30 a.m.

MINUTES

**Council Chambers, City Hall, 2nd Floor and
Virtual Meeting via Zoom Webinar**

Members Present:

Caila Coleman, Chair [9/0]
Nimit Kapoor [7/2] – via Zoom – disconnected at 10:41 a.m.
Tom Keen [9/0]
Antoinette Giles [7/1]
Julio Guerrero [6/3]
Raul Perez, Vice Chair [8/1] – via Zoom
Linda Reaves [8/1] – via Zoom

Members Absent:

Loren Cusati [7/2]
Korey Engel [7/2]

Others Present:

Natasha Williams, Chief Assistant City Attorney
Dwain Rivers, OPD Internal Affairs Manager
Alina Rivera-Campo, Board Coordinator
Sergeant Chet Culley, OPD
Captain Alex Caro, OPD
Sergeant Ryan McConnell, OPD
Lieutenant Jean Gabriel, OPD
Kevin Moreland, Complainant
April McKenzie

1. Call to Order

Caila Coleman, Chair, called the meeting to order at 8:39 a.m.

2. Roll Call

Alina Rivera-Campo, Board Coordinator, took attendance and determined that a quorum was present.

3. Consideration of Minutes

- a. Approval of the Meeting Minutes from June 6, 2021
Tom Keen moved to approve the Meeting Minutes from June 6, 2021 and Antoinette Giles seconded the motion. The Board voted to approve the motion, 7-0.

4. Public Comment

None.

5. Old Business

a. Report to Chief Rolón Regarding IR 20-61

The Citizens' Police Review Board reviewed and finalized the recommendation letter to Chief Orlando Rolón regarding IR 20-61.

Antoinette Giles moved to approve the finalized recommendation letter to Chief Rolón regarding IR 20-61, Julio Guerrero seconded the motion. The Board voted to approve the motion, 7-0.

b. Report to Chief Rolón Regarding IR 20-4

The Citizens' Police Review Board reviewed and finalized the recommendation letter to Chief Orlando Rolón regarding IR 20-4.

Antoinette Giles moved to approve the finalized recommendation letter to Chief Rolón regarding IR 20-4, Tom Keen seconded the motion. The Board voted to approve the motion, 7-0.

c. Recruiting Q&A with Captain Caro

The Citizens' Police Review Board asked Captain Alejandro Caro, OPD, questions regarding recruiting at the Orlando Police Department's and he gave the board some insight on OPD's Recruiting practices.

d. School Resource Officers Presentation

Lieutenant Jean Gabriel, OPD, provided a presentation on Orlando Police Department's School Resource Officers. The Citizens' Police Review Board asked questions regarding his presentation and Lieutenant Gabriel responded to the Board.

6. New Business

a. Consent Agenda

i. IR 20-15, Internal Investigation (Officers Chisari and Madison)

1. RM 200-8, Obedience to Laws and Department Procedures (A)

Obedience to Laws and (B) Obedience to Policies and Procedures and Other Written Directives, as it relates to Policy and Procedure 1128.16, Response to Resistance and Apprehension Techniques (Officer Benjamin Chisari) - EXONERATED

2. RM 800-5, Deadly Force (Officer Benjamin Chisari) - EXONERATED

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4. RM 800-5, Deadly Force (Officer Jeffery Madison) –
EXONERATED

Caila Coleman, Chair, requested that IR 20-33 be moved to 6, section b “Review of Investigation and Appearances” for presentation by Internal Affairs.

- ii. IR 20-33, Internal Investigation (Officer Keith Hernandez)
 1. RM 800-2, Arrests (B) Use of Force, Members shall use only the degree of force necessary to affect lawful objectives -
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- b. Review of Investigations and Appearances
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EXONERATED

IR 20-15 was presented first due to the in person attendance of the Complainant.

IR 20-15 was presented by Sergeant Ryan McConnell, OPD. Board members asked questions to Internal Affairs and Sergeant McConnell responded to the Board.

Tom Keen made a motion to approve IR 20-15 as presented and Antoinette Giles seconded the motion. The Citizens’ Police Review Board voted to approve the motion, 6-0. Nimit Kapoor was not present for this vote.

- ii. IR 20-33, Internal Investigation (Officer Keith Hernandez)
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IR 20-33 was presented by Dwain Rivers, Internal Affairs Manager. Board members asked questions to Internal Affairs and Mr. Rivers responded to the Board. Kevin Moreland, Complainant, presented testimony under oath. The Citizen's Police Review Board asked Mr. Moreland questions regarding his experience and Mr. Moreland answered.

Raul Perez, Vice Chair, made a motion to approve IR 20-33 as presented and Julio Guerrero seconded the motion. The Citizen's Police Review Board voted to approve the motion, 7-0.

c. Board Administration

i. Report to Chief Rolón Regarding IR 20-15 and 20-33

The Citizens' Police Review Board discussed recommendations and requests to include in the report to Chief Rolón regarding IR 20-15 and 20-33. Caila Coleman, Chair, will draft the report and it will be presented to the Board for approval at the next Citizen's Police Review Board meeting.

7. Presentation of New Inquiries

Dwain Rivers, Internal Affairs Manager, indicated that new inquiries for the August 2021 Citizens' Police Review Board meeting would be provided to Alina Rivera-Campo, Board Coordinator, for distribution to the Board.

8. Other Business

a. Chair's Report
None.

b. Board Attorney's Report
Natasha Williams, Board Attorney, confirmed that Board members prefer to receive IA videos both with and without redaction.

c. Internal Affairs' Report
None.

d. Administrator's Report
None.

9. Adjourn

a. Caila Coleman, Chair, adjourned the meeting at 11:10 a.m.



Caila Coleman
Chair



Alina Rivera-Campo
Board Coordinator