CITY OF COCOA
COCOA POLICA COMMUNITY RELATIONS
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

September 24, 2020

The Regular Meeting of the Cocoa Police Community Relations Advisory Committee was held on September 24, 2020 at City Hall, 65 Stone Street Cocoa, FL, as publicly noticed.

I. CALL TO ORDER:

Chairperson Edmond called the meeting to order at 6:12 P.M

Chairperson Edmond led the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. Committee Member Wash provided the invocation.

ROLL CALL:	Alton Edmond	Chairperson
	Al Boettjer	Committee Member
	Aldon Bookhardt	Committee Member
	Marsha Dyal	Committee Member
	Michael Klug	Committee Member
	Jarvis Wash	Committee Member
	Kathy Hamilton-Brown	Committee Member
	Anthony Garganese	City Attorney
PRESENT:	Alton Edmond	Chairperson
	Al Boettjer	Committee Member
	Aldon Bookhardt	Committee Member
	Marsha Dyal	Committee Member
	Jarvis Wash	Committee Member
	Kathy Hamilton-Brown	Committee Member
	Anthony Garganese	City Attorney
ABSENT:	Michael Klug	Committee Member
	Anthony Garganese	City Attorney

STAFF PRESENT:

Lorraine Koss ; Council Member, Pat Dovale ; Commander, John Hankins ; Chief of Police (Commander), Mike Dellatorre ; Lieutenant

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA & MINUTES:

AGENDA: REGUALR MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 24, 2020:

- **MOTION by Committee Member Boettjer; SECONDED by Committee Member Dyal to approve the agenda from the regular meeting of September 24, 2020.**

  AYES: EDMOND, BOETTJER, BOOKHARDT, DYAL, WASH, BROWN

  MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY (6-0)

MINUTES: REGUALR MEETING OF JULY 23, 2020:

- **MOTION by Committee Member Boettjer; SECONDED by Committee Member Dyal to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of July 23, 2020.**

  AYES: EDMOND, BOETTJER, BOOKHARDT, DYAL, WASH, BROWN

  MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY (6-0)

III. COMMITTEE DISCUSSION OF CLOSED CITIZEN COMPLAINT CASES:

Chairperson Edmond and Committee Member Boettjer both agreed on the decision made for complaint 20-11-cc and 20-12-cc since the complainant didn't leave any contact information, there was no way to get ahold of him to hear his side of the complaint.

Chairperson Edmond opened the floor to complainant Johnny Dennis to speak on complaint 20-13-cc .

Johnny Dennis shared his concerns and beliefs on his complaint.

Commander Dovale shared how he spoke to complainant Johnny Dennis about this incident and explained the officer's side of the story giving reasoning on why things happened the way they did.

Committee Member Boettjer and Commander Dovale held a short discussion on case 20-13-cc

Committee Member Boettjer stated that this is a case where body cameras show exactly what happened and the comments from the complainant were inaccurate. He agrees on the Decision made by Cocoa PD.

IV. CITIZEN PARTICIPATION:

Chairperson Edmond opened the floor to Citizens for open discussion.

Citizens spoke and participated in the open discussion with The Police Advisory Board.

V. ADJOURMENT:

With no further business to discuss, the Police Advisory Committee Meeting of September 24, 2020 was adjourned.

- **MOTION by Committee Member Boettjer; SECONDED by Committee Member Wash to adjourn the Regular Meeting of September 24, 2020.**

  AYES: EDMOND, BOETTJER, BOOKHARDT, DYAL, WASH, BROWN

  MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY (6-0)

THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:07 P.M.

Alton Edmond, Chairperson

Kadi M. Carver

Kadi Carver, Recording Secretary