



City of Sunrise Law Enforcement Review and Advisory Board

Date: Monday, January 10, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM – 10:00 PM

Location: Community Room

Address: 10440 W. Oakland Park Blvd., Sunrise, FL 33351

Meeting Minutes

A. Call to Order

Marco Bohorquez made the motion to start the meeting at 6:01 PM.

B. Roll Call

Board Members Present: Rona Levitt, Linda Agnew, Gary Gordon, Tremaine Hemans, Sandra Filla, Marco Bohorquez, Jerome Di Girolamo, Jason Kruszka, Ricardo Moreno, Monique Dalien (non-resident). **Absent:** Berbeth Taylor (excused)

C. Approval Minutes

A motion to approve the minutes from December 6, 2021 Law Enforcement Review and Advisory Board meeting carried without board opposition by Marco Bohorquez and agreed by Jerome Di Girolamo and seconded by Sandra Filla.

D. New Business

Chairperson Marco Bohorquez added to agenda Moment of Silence/Pledge of Allegiance. The board agreed without opposition. The Board opened up public discussion. Two members from the public introduced themselves. Revisited discussion from December 6, 2021 meeting regarding social workers in the police department. Also discussed the public micromanaging the police department. How can the public tell the police officers what to do if they are not in their shoes? Discussed the goals of the law enforcement board and law enforcement officers.

Major Ransone started by reviewing first Internal Affairs body worn camera footage.

- **42-2107-029792**

Officer pulled a gentleman for illegal turn. Discussed body camera footage vs dashcam footage.

Commended Officers N. Smith and Officer R. Williams for their professionalism and courtesy during the call.

Suggestion: Dashcams in police officers' vehicles. If a dashcam was present would it have caught the infraction of the gentleman. Also mentioned about

stating race implied black officers can't profile black citizens on page 3 of the Internal Affairs Investigation

Board Members decided to take a break at 7:06 PM. Resumed from break at 7:16 PM.

Board members started reviewing Response to Resistance Report case and body camera footage.

- **42-2109-036086**

Gentleman walks toward a marked police vehicle and noticed it the same officer that arrested him. The gentleman was baker acted by officers.

Commended Sergeant Pullease for controlling the situation and trying to refocus the gentleman's attention and to calm him down by talking about interests such as baseball.

Suggestion: During the call, Sergeant Pullease was screaming and cursing at the gentleman to calm down. Suggestion from the board was to change the delivery/tone and cursing may not be appropriate. We don't know what the gentleman was suffering from and yelling and cursing could not be effective in other cases. Discussed if the officers had C.I.T. training-dealing with mental health crisis.

Board Members agreed that the officers were in compliance with standards and policies.

E. Open Public Forum

Community Outreach

F. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Marco Bohorquez and agreed by Jerome Di Girolamo and seconded by Ricardo Moreno. The motion passed without opposition and the meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM.