



City of Sunrise Law Enforcement Review and Advisory Board

Date: Monday, February 7, 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 6:02 PM.

B. Moment of Silence & Pledge of Allegiance

C. Roll Call

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

D. Approval Minutes

A motion to approve the minutes from January 10, 2022 Law Enforcement Review and Advisory Board meeting carried without board opposition by Marco Bohorquez and agreed by Jerome Di Girolamo and seconded by Ricardo Moreno.

E. New Business

- **42-2110-043140** Resistance to Report
Board watched body camera footage from Officer Douglass regarding shoplifting case.
 - Shouldn't the detainee be isolated from the public?
 - NTA-Notice to Appear
 - When to apply and qualifications?
The qualifications are 1) Driver License needed and 2) Misdemeanor charge.

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

- **42-2111-044984** Resistance to Report
Board discussed the body camera footage from domestic case.
 - Was the girlfriend (victim) checked on or spoken with?
The video showed the officers talking to the subject and during the 25-minute video not once did they check or speak with the victim.

She could have been seriously wounded. – The victim was seen by Fire/Rescue and was ok.

What is the training on handling calls with agitated subjects? The video depicted 2 officers dealing with the male subject. The 2 officers should have detained him sooner and went to check on the victim. Training will address it on future training schedules.

Members commended Officer McCarthy on handling the call with the subject.

The Sergeants and Lieutenants views body cameras and probably addressed it with the officer and in briefing.

- **21-07-01** Internal Affairs Investigation

One issue that was brought up was the retrieval of the video regarding an accident. Why did it take so long for an officer to retrieve the video especially if the video was going to be erased within the next 48 hours?

What was his punishment? The officer was given a written reprimand. A written reprimand wasn't sufficient enough since he missed clear opportunity to retrieve the video to rule out any thing important regarding the case.

Discussed the different types of reprimands given by the Chief.

Verbal Counseling

Written Reprimand

Progressive Reprimand

Officer Nelson didn't follow procedures and policies.

F. Open Public Forum

Discussed Sergeant Pullease

G. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Marco Bohorquez and agreed by Jerome Di Girolamo and seconded by Jason Kruszka. The motion passed without opposition and the meeting adjourned at 6:48 PM