

City of Aurora

*44 E. Downer Place
Aurora, IL 60507*



Meeting Minutes - Final

Thursday, November 16, 2023

6:00 PM

City Hall - Fifth Floor

Civilian Review Board

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Wilson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. and the roll was called.

ROLL CALL

Members present: Kim Bright, Timothy Brown, Rajesh Char, Ginger Ingram, Andrea McMillian, Curtis Wilson (6).

Members absent: (0).

OTHERS PRESENT

Others present: Ward 7 Alderman Brandon Tolliver and Nydia Molina, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

23-0934

Approval of the Minutes of the Thursday, October 19, 2023, Civilian Review Board Meeting.

Vice Chair Brown made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Member Ingram.

The motion was carried by a roll vote as follows:

Ayes: 6 - Kim Bright, Timothy Brown, Rajesh Char, Ginger Ingram, Andrea McMillian, Curtis Wilson.

Nayes: 0.

Abstain: 0.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

PRESENTATION / GUEST SPEAKER

Ward 7 Alderman Brandon Tolliver introduced himself to the Board.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

22-1033

Review and Approval of Closed Session Meeting Minutes

Vice Chair Brown made a motion to approve the closed session minutes, seconded by Member McMillian.

The motion was carried by a roll vote as follows:

Ayes: 6 - Kim Bright, Timothy Brown, Rajesh Char, Ginger Ingram, Andrea McMillian, Curtis Wilson.

Nayes: 0.

Abstain: 0.

23-0853

Review and Release of Closed Session Meeting Minutes

Vice Chair Brown made a motion to open the Schedule B Closed Session Minutes, seconded by Member Char.

The motion was carried by a roll vote as follows:

Ayes: 6 - Kim Bright, Timothy Brown, Rajesh Char, Ginger Ingram, Andrea McMillian, Curtis Wilson.

Nayes: 0.

Abstain: 0.

Vice Chair Brown made a motion to keep the Schedule A Closed Session Minutes closed, seconded by Member Bright.

The motion was carried by a roll vote as follows:

Ayes: 5 - Kim Bright, Timothy Brown, Rajesh Char, Ginger Ingram, Curtis Wilson.

Nayes: 1 - Andrea McMillian.

Abstain: 0.

NEW BUSINESS

23-0937

APD and CRB Initiative Brainstorming

Chair Wilson and Vice Chair Brown discussed the meeting that was held on Wednesday, November 1, 2023 at 9:30am with APD Chief Cross, Deputy Chief Thomas, Commander Stemmet, Commander Flowers, Commander Eppard and Lieutenant Handell (Acting Commander).

23-0941

December 21, 2023 Meeting Agenda

Member McMillian made a motion to cancel the December 21, 2023 meeting, seconded by Member Bright.

The motion carried by voice vote.

23-0935

2023-0050-D(1) - Chief's Disposition

Member Ingram made a motion to approve 2023-0050-D(1) - Chief's Disposition,

seconded by Vice Chair Brown.

The motion was carried by a roll vote as follows:

Ayes: 4 - Timothy Brown, Ginger Ingram, Andrea McMillian, Curtis Wilson.

Nays: 0.

Abstain: 2 - Kim Bright, Rajesh Char.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Member Ingram announced to the Board that there is an Annual Unity Dinner being held on Friday, November 17, 2023 from 5:30pm-8:30pm at the Prisco Center hosted by Community Advocacy Awareness Network (CAAN).

Assistant Corporation Counsel Nydia Molina announced to the Board that APD Command Staff are working with Advisory Commission on Disabilities' Elana Newkirk on collaborative training and once completed, it will be released to all officers during in-service training.

Member Char has announced his resignation from the Civilian Review Board.

CLOSED SESSION

Consideration and Adoption of the Board's Recommendations to the Chief of Police Regarding Pending Civilian Complaints

None.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Member McMillian, seconded by Member Char to adjourn the meeting.

The motion carried by voice vote. The meeting adjourned at 6:51 p.m.

Submitted by:

Chanel Kassis, Board Secretary