



MEETING MINUTES

Police Accountability Board (PAB)

Public Listening Session

Thursday, March 23, 2023

7:00pm – 9:00pm

*In Person Location: White Oak Recreation Center
(1700 April Lane, Silver Spring, MD 20904) **Social Hall***

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Virtual Option: [Zoom Link](#)

Attendees: Bishop Paul Walker (Chair), Ken Kellner (Vice Chair), George Lluberes (Parliamentarian), Alicia Hudson, Alvin “Greg” McCray, Katharine “Kate” Manning, Chuck Williams, Fatmata Barrie (*staff*), *Lindsay Bolt (Staff, Minute Taker)*

Absent Board Members: Rudy Logan, Chris Zatrutz

of General Public (nonmember) Attendees: Approx 50 ppl between Virtual and In Person

1. Welcome and Introduction from the Police Accountability Board Members

Summary:

- The Chair and each member introduced themselves and what the Police Accountability Board was tasked to do under the legislation

2. Welcome and Introduction of Councilmembers

Summary:

- The Chair recognized each Councilmember or their designee who were in attendance either virtually or in person.

3. Public Listening Session

Summary:

- The Chair recognized general public members (either in person or virtually) to ask their questions, provide comment or feedback related to topics around Police Accountability.

Questions:

1. How long have each of the PAB members lived in the County?
2. Have you (the PAB members) ever been a victim of a crime; if so, do you know the race/ethnicity of the perpetrator?

3. Public member provided concern about an incident that occurred to towards them and wanting to know why they have not received any type of response. What is the process as it relates to complaints submitted to the PAB?
4. Several in person Public members voiced concerns over literature from SSJC that was disseminated in the public meeting tonight, wanting to know if the PAB disseminated this literature and if not, to have it removed
5. Public member voiced experience with poor interaction they and their family had with a member of the police and that after they reached out to the District Commander over that officer, the public member felt they were heard by the Commander and the Commander agreed the officer could have handled the incident better.
6. Public member applauded the mission of the Police Accountability Board, recently moving from another state to Montgomery County.
7. Public member provided comment around Police Reform
8. Public member asked the Board members if they were out to get the police, whether the Board members are compensated for this Board
9. Public members voiced concerns over the School Resource Officers being taken out of the schools and no longer being available for kids
10. Public member inquired about whether the PAB was looking at the investigative process to improve efficiencies

Note: Not every single question, comment or concern is noted within these minutes. For a full record of the listening session, please visit the [Montgomery County Police Accountability Board Facebook](#) (Recording was posted live March 23, 2023 7:30pm)

4. Adjournment

Bishop Paul Walker, Chair

Summary:

- The Chair and the Board members thanked all the general public residents for coming out and providing their questions, comments and feedback regarding Police Accountability

Next PAB Meeting- the Quarterly PAB meeting with Local Law Enforcement Chiefs: Thursday, March 30, 2023 (7pm-9pm)

***In Person Location: Executive Office Building
(101 Monroe Street, Rockville, MD 20850) Auditorium (lobby level)
&
Virtual via Zoom link***