

**CITY OF LOVELAND, COLORADO
MEETING NOTICE**

WHO: LOVELAND POLICE CITIZEN ADVISORY BOARD

**WHERE: LOVELAND POLICE DEPARTMENT POLICE TRAINING ROOM @ 5:30
810 E. 10TH STREET**

WHEN: MONDAY, 9-10-18

WHY: AGENDA AS FOLLOWS

- 1. Chief Ticer – Update on Police Regional Training Center and Shield 616**
- 2. Council Reports – Councilor Don Overcash**
- 3. Other reports and discussions.**

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POLICE CITIZENS' ADVISORY BOARD MINUTES

MONDAY, JUNE 4, 2018

POLICE TRAINING ROOM

Attendance: Chief Ticer, Chairperson Pat Kistler, Councilor Don Overcash, John Tindall, Kathy Mitchell, Dennis Soucek, Erin Frisch, Bev Cardarelli, Roger Troph, Dick Hunsaker, and Sara Wiggett

Special Guests: Deputy Chief Stewart and CSO Nate Schadewald

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Pat Kistler at 5:45 p.m. on June 4. A motion was made by Dennis Soucek and seconded by Roger Troph to approve the May minutes.

CSO Nate Schadewald

CSO Nate Schadewald presented to the PCAB members the new code for dealing with large vehicles. The new code changes the pound issue to reflect size instead of weight for vehicles.

Permitted tow trucks as amended from time to time are exempt from this section for public safety purposes. The exception or exemption for tow trucks is to keep the current process. During the day a tow truck has 20 minutes to arrive on scene and in the evening hours 30 minutes to arrive on scene. Chief Ticer mentioned that we have 2100 car crashes a year and over 3,000 arrests a year. The delay effects public safety. The consequence of not exempting tow trucks means longer response times and a bigger backup.

Dennis Soucek asked about a mobile home/unattached. Will they get an hour? He is concerned about the HOA. CSO Nate Schadewald advised him that the City code goes above the HOA. Unattached trailers equal 1 hour.

Bev Cardarelli asked who would explain it to the citizens when they call to complain. CSO Nate Schadewald said either a CSO or an Officer.

Dennis Soucek gave a motion to approve the new code and Roger Troph seconded the motion. All members approved the motion.

- ✓ The arbitrary weight limit was removed to reflect size of the vehicles.
- ✓ Tow trucks are exempt.

Deputy Chief Stewart

Deputy Chief Stewart proposed body cameras to the PCAB members. Chief Ticer has wanted to implement body cameras ever since Ferguson. Sgt. Pyle (Training Sgt.) and Jeff Burgess (Accreditation Manager) worked with Vince Junglas to come up with a temporary policy. Sgt. Pyle has contacted Axon, WatchGuard, and Panasonic (currently we have tablets from Panasonic) We get to test all three brands for 30 days. We have to decide if we would use cloud technology or indoor storage to save video footage. Bev Cardarelli asked how long we need to keep video coverage. Deputy Chief Stewart

said we don't know specifically. We will need to work with the District Attorney. The body cameras won't depict everything perfectly. Axon does provide cloud based storage. The estimate cost is \$150,000 a year to outfit every officer. It covers breakage and storage. We have a lot of things to look into before actually making a bid. Bev Cardarelli wanted to know how secure the cloud storage was from hacking. Deputy Chief Stewart said he felt it was very secure, although nothing is secured a 100%. Dick Hunsaker asked how easy is it to turn the camera on and off. Deputy Chief Stewart said it all depends on where the switches are located. Also, the Officers need to remember to turn them on. Chief Ticer mentioned the following:

- 1) The community does not like to be videotaped.
- 2) The community does need to know that we already have in car cameras and interview rooms have audio.
- 3) There are so many benefits for body worn cameras. Officers end up loving them.
- 4) Body cameras are today's technology in American Law Enforcement.
- 5) We want to roll out the body cameras but we want to do it right.
- 6) July 10th is the Study Session. We will have three thirty day windows to try each brand out.
- 7) It could be on the 2020 decision budget. The evaluation process will start as soon as we have the Study Session.

Bev Cardarelli mentioned that the full-time PIO position could help with body camera footage.

A motion was made by John Tindall to proceed with the body cameras and Dick Hunsaker seconded it. All members approved the motion.

Deputy Chief Stewart

He discussed appropriation of Grant money from Colorado State Patrol for automated license plate recognition. The Police Department can purchase a state-of-the-art ALPR system that will aid in reducing crime, particularly as it relates to stolen vehicles. It would have positive impact on the Police Department's ability to efficiently fight crime. It can help find missing people if they have the ALPR system. Chief Ticer shared that years ago a serial rapist was in and out of a variety of jurisdictions. The agencies that had the ALPR system were able to get a license plate number. They arrested him and he spent life in jail. The Colorado State Patrol and the Auto Theft Task Force will reimburse us for an ALPR system.

A motion was made by Dick Hunsaker to move forward with the purchase of the ALPR system. Dennis Soucek seconded the motion and all members approved the motion.

Chief Ticer

He presented some crime/traffic statistics.

- He have had a 24% decrease in Part I Crimes
- Motor vehicles thefts are up.
- Arrests are up 4%.
- We have had an increase in the number of DUI arrests.
- Traffic violations are up 38%.

Officer Jennifer Hines is one motivated Officer. During our Click it or Ticket details she wrote 300 tickets, found one stolen firearm, and one ounce of meth. This is great Police work!!

Blue Suite Day is once a quarter. This is a chance to work with the troops.

- **Community Night Out** is scheduled for June 20th.
- **Kathy Mitchell** advised everyone that the Police Citizens' Advisory Board Facebook Page is up and running. She asked what information should be put on the Facebook Page. It was mentioned to display names of people who have received awards.
- **There will be no PCAB meetings in July and August. We will meet again in September.**
- **Dick Hunsaker** advised everyone that scammers are out there.

John Tindall gave the motion to close the meeting and Dennis Soucek seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:16 p.m.

Minutes submitted by: Sara Wiggett

Approved by: Chief Ticer

Approved by: Chairperson Pat Kistler