



**Northwest**

**Community Policing Council**

**November 20, 2024**

Approximately 10 public members attended, including APD civilians and council members on Zoom.

In-person attendance –9 community members, APD, and council members

CPC members present: Terra Bernheisel, Edward Buttner, Susan Jennings-Schwinn, Jacquelyn Cooke, Jeff Miller,

CPC members not present: Paul Johnson

- 1. Call to Order:** 6:00 PM
- 2. Approval of November Agenda:** Approved
- 3. Approval of October minutes:**
- 4. APD Chief Harold Medina**
  - Settlement agreement – Currently if everything goes the way it is going, on January 31<sup>st</sup>, there could be about five to seven paragraphs that could be dropped. These paragraphs are actively being monitored.
  - Crime – Two major crime categories are in the plus: residential and commercial burglaries city-wide, auto theft is down, shoplifting is down, and auto burglary is down. Homicides and assaults are down from last August. By the end of the year, they should finish in homicides with a negative. Felony warrants are getting cleared.
  - Recruiting – There is a possibility of 100 officers by next year.
  - Officer engagement – Partnership with tribal communities around the state is going well. They assisted with a feast day in Jemez and Taos. The department continues to have monthly meetings with the tribal communities in the metro and statewide to share information.
  - Recent – There have been three officers involved shooting within the last five months and did a media briefing.
  - Operations on central from San Pedro to Wyoming getting resources in that area and arresting individuals with felony warrants.
- 5. NW Area Commander Chris Patterson crime update**
  - Traffic update this month and last month
  - Additional 720 citations
  - 5758 citations with one arrest.

- 1454 traffic stops up 182 from last month, with an average of 3.8 citations per stop.
- Coors to Montano
  - 1784 citations
  - 470 stops YTD
- Golf course to Paseo to Taylor Ranch
  - 120 citations
  - 132 stops
- Westside
  - 1303 citations
  - 39 traffic stops
- Ladera Blvd
  - 1127 citations
  - 285 traffic stops
- Rainbow
  - 725 citations
  - 84 traffic stops
- McMahan to Golf Course to Unser
  - 463 citations
  - 122 traffic stops
- Montano Blvd the whole length of Coors to Unser
  - 214 citations
  - 55 traffic stops
- Aggravated assaults are up 5% related to road rage
  - Robberies down 30%
  - Sex crime down 2%
  - Auto burglary down 19%
  - Burglaries down 4%
  - Shoplifting up 30% - in June they had a spike it was 70%.
- The NW area command is getting ready for their holiday tact plan.
- Staffing – The graveyard shifts for the Lt. positions are filled. There are about fifty officers in the NW area command. An additional thirty-two will be added after the officers complete OJT, and are currently on their last week.

#### **6. Pete Gelabert NW Crime Prevention Specialist**

- APD website link for the NW Area Command resources page
  - Crime information
  - Crime prevention brochures
  - Events for the month
  - November – they met with all Cottonwood Mall management, businesses, and employees to provide a prevention safety holiday plan.
- Keep car doors locked, and residential homes locked, be vigilant. If you do become a victim call 911/ 242-cops or online reporting.

**7. Recommendation 27-7 NW Area Command officers have other options for fueling.**

- The first option is to install gas pumps
- The second option is to provide gas cards
- The recommendation response was denied

**8. The meeting next month on 12/18 is cancelled; and will return in January 2025**

- New NW Chair and Vice Chair voting in January.

**9. December 7<sup>th</sup> at 5 PM CPC dinner at the Albuquerque museum**

**10. The meeting adjourned at 7:15 PM**

To watch the Northwest CPC November Council Meeting, please click the link below:

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Date: November 20, 2024, 6:00 PM Mountain Time (U.S. and Canada)

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