



## Northwest

### Community Policing Council

#### Zoom Meeting: 04-19-2023

Approximately 15 members of the public attended, including APD civilians and council members on zoom.

In-Person attendees – 14 CPC members, APD, and community

CPC members present: Karen Schwartz, Terra Bernheisel, Jeff Miller, Jacqueline Cooke, Edward Butner, Michael Brewer, Phillip Ramirez, Paul Mondragon,

CPC members not present: Marcella Duarte

1. **Call to Order:** 6:00 PM
2. **Approval of April Agenda:** Approved
3. **Approval of March minutes:** Approved
4. **NW Area Commander David Saladin update**
  - Every two weeks The Area Commanders present stats at the Duke City stats meeting.
  - Down in auto theft and auto burglaries/burglaries/aggravated assaults/sex crimes/ and robbery.
  - There is a 1% increase in shoplifting due to more stores reporting the shoplifting
  - The use of force is down in fraction of percentage.
  - Community discussion
5. **Pete Gelabert NW Area Command Crime Prevention Specialist**
  - On April 6, 2023 coffee with a cop at Walgreens
  - On April 12, 2023 there was a de-escalation training for businesses at Cottonwood mall.
  - This week there is a city-wide block captain conference at the APD academy from 8AM to 12 PM
6. **SW Area Commander Renee Baraza**
  - Decrease in property crime, and down in double digits compared to last year.
  - Violent crime trending in aggravated assaults. There is a spike in robbery.
  - The special operations to catch the individual who is rising the robbery statistics.
  - Auto theft are down compared to last year.
  - Officers are using less force as compared to last year.
  - Community discussion / recruiting
7. **Albuquerque Police Department K-9 Squad**

- Staff – there are five handlers
  - One K-9 controller
- The K-9 unit are on call 24-7
- Dog goes home with the officer
- City compensates officers with dog food/ lodging
- Duration of training to be a K-9 Officer
- K-9 unit requires at least three years' service
- Applicants go through a 5-step process to become K-9
- Once accepted there is a 4-step training process

**8. Ken Cox, Sr. Area Loss Prevention Manager for Ross Dress for Less PowerPoint presentation (1:16:00)**

- In 2006 ARAPA (Abuquerque Retail Asset Protection Association) got created.
- They meet every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month with law enforcement.
- Most retailers no longer apprehend because of the reliability
- Focus on creating deterrence now
- Felony shoplifting is \$500 or above
- House Bill 234 aggregates shoplifting offenses.
- Difference between robbery, shoplifting and aggravated assault.
- Community discussion

**9. Meeting Adjourned 7:55 PM**

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