



Valley

Community Policing Council

July 25, 2024

Approximately 13 members of the public attended, including APD civilians and council members on Zoom

In-person – 14 members including council members, APD, and CPC staff.

CPC members present Tom O’Keefe, Edwina Kiro, Jaqueline Ritz, Philip Jameson, Deirdre Ewing, Dick Winterbottom,

CPC members not present:

- 1. Call to order- 6:00 PM**
- 2. Approval of July Agenda- Approved**
- 3. Approval of May & June Minutes – Approved**
- 4. Old/New Business**
 - Karinna Solares
 - School donation drive for Pre-K to 12th grade
 - Clothes and school supplies
 - Drop off can be made at the Locker 505 on Tuesdays from 9 to 5 or the main law enforcement center located on 400 Roma Ave Monday through Friday from 8:30 – to 3:30
 - 2nd annual end-of-summer fair on July 27 from 3-7 at Hyder Park 700 Richmond Dr. SE
 - They are accepting school supply donations until the day of the event.
- 5. Mental health, local resources, and the judicial system in Bernalillo County: Sarah Millspaugh, PhD. Psychologist, Tess Williams, Law Offices of the Public Defender, mental health attorney, and Karl Swanson 2nd Judicial district, Staff Attorney**
 - Introductions
 - Four prongs of competency to be charged.
 - Incompetency doesn’t automatically mean a case is dismissed.
 - New Mexico severely lacks competency evaluation/ restoration services.
 - Dangerousness hearings of mentally impacted suspects.
 - Determining Competency
 - Treating the incompetent back to competency.
 - The 2nd Judicial Court Clinic – huge wait list
 - It can take 3 to 4 years to be seen on an out-of-custody competency case
 - Mental health issues and the way MDC’s way of handling mental health.

- 300 felony cases pending competency
 - Community discussion
- 6. Valley Area Command crime update**
- Aggravated assaults are down by 30%
 - Robberies are down 50%
 - Sex crimes no reports in the last seven days, and only two in the last 28 days.
 - Auto burglary is down 84%
 - Shoplifting is down 57%
 - Burglaries are up – most are residential burglaries which may be because people are going on vacation.
 - The substation off 2nd street will be closed on the upcoming Monday and Tuesday for building repairs.
 - Crime prevention pop up possibly in August in the Northwest
- 7. The role of ACS in response to mental health issues.**
- Police response to mentally-ill repeat offenders.
- 8. Next meeting August 22, 2024**
- 9. Meeting adjourned – 7:44 PM**

To watch the Valley CPC July Council Meeting, please click the link below:

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Date: July 25, 2024, 06:00 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)

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