

Citizen's Police Advisory Council
Policy Subcommittee Meeting
March 7, 2024

Meeting Summary

Call to Order

Attending: Subcommittee Chair Doris Grant; CPAC Members-Fielding, Harris, Hollifield, Hummel, McIver, Krause, Lucier, Mack, McIver, Taylor, Thomas; CPD Staff- Captain Cretella, Captain Bruder, Jillian Edison, Ruemelin

Citizen Participation: None

Minutes: Subcommittee Chair Grant introduced 16 January 2024, Policy Subcommittee Meeting Summary that was presented at the last full CPAC meeting.

Identify Subcommittee Members: Council members Feilding, Harris and Krause have volunteered to serve as members of the Policy Subcommittee.

Ranking of 2024 Policies Remaining for Review: General Orders # 8,28,25,27,35,36 and 10 are the remaining policies tasked for review by the Policy Subcommittee.

- GO-10 from this list is reviewed annually and was last reviewed in 2021. According to Captain Cretella, no changes have been made to the policy, however there will be a Spanish version produced.
- The committee was reminded that GO-30 from the 2023 Review List is still pending review.

Review of GO-30: Captain Bruder provided an overview of GO-30, Authority to Exercise Alternatives to Arrest, which outlines what actions officers may use as alternatives to arrest. In his discussion he stated that he is using a couple versions of this policy including the CELEA policy as he make updates the current policy. He has identified the following sections that will be removed from the policy.

- 30.2 will be removed with the listed charges being included in another section.
- 30.4 will be removed due to it being included in other sections of this policy.
- 30.5 – Most of the “Guidance” section of this policy will be removed.
- Updates and changes to the policy are ongoing and will be incorporated into the and will be provided to the Policy Subcommittee for comments once it has filtered through the established Policy Review Process.

CPD Response to GO-81 and GO-82: Captain Cretella discussed the department's response to “Comments and Recommendations” that were made to these General Orders by the Policy Subcommittee. In his discussion he informed the subcommittee that:

- GO-81 three of the nine recommendations to the policy were accepted and adopted.
- GO-82 five of the twenty recommendations to the policy were accepted and adopted.
- There are several recommendations that were not considered because it dealt with departmental internal processes that are sensitive in nature to officers performing duties and not made available to the public.

- A clarification was provided on a “General Order” that provides broad information on process and operating procedure versus a “Field Guide” that provides detailed protocol and guidance on specific police actions that may be sensitive in nature. CPD has 80+ General Orders and 20+ Field Guides.
- There was a discussion on should the department be looking in detail at policies to determine if multiple policies are possibly duplicated or even conflicting that cause confusion and may contribute to disparities in procedures and possibly affect data reporting.

Departmental Policy Updates: None

Meeting Adjourned