



King County

Office of Law Enforcement Oversight Citizens Committee on Independent Oversight Meeting Summary

Friday, January 27, 2017 - 12:30-2:30PM
Chinook Building Conference Center, Room 126
401 Fifth Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

Committee Members Present:

- Tamika Moss, Position 7
- John Jensen, Position 2
- Abel Pacheco, Position 9 (by phone)
- Reverend Steve Baber, Position 4
- Liz Campbell, Position 11

Committee Members Absent:

- Honorable David Baker, Position 1
- Mia Gregerson, Position 8
- Sili Savusa, Position 5, Co-Chair

King County Staff:

- Deborah Jacobs, Director, Office of Law Enforcement Oversight
- Adrienne Wat, Senior Law Enforcement Analyst, Office of Law Enforcement Oversight
- Lacey Lawrence, Administrative Specialist

- 1. Welcome/Let's Connect.** The meeting was called to order by John Jensen at 12:35pm. Consultant Ann Macfarlane of Jurassic Parliament guided an opportunity for committee members present to get to know each other better by describing mentors who have influenced their lives.
- 2. Review of Minutes.** The committee adopted the minutes from November 4, 2016 meeting by acclamation.
- 3. Review of Proposed 2017 Calendar.** Committee members reviewed the plans for the first six months of meetings and offered suggestions including:
 - a) Taking time to review progress on different issues at each meeting
 - b) Learn more about different approaches to oversight
 - c) Learn about statewide police practices efforts
 - d) Discuss targets for outreach into the community

4. Update on OLEO's Progress

a) Hiring

- Deborah Jacobs introduced new OLEO Senior Law Enforcement Analyst Adrienne Wat to the committee.
- The first search to fill OLEO's open outreach position did not result in a hire and Deborah will revisit it soon.

b) Training

- Deborah thanked those committee members who attended the presentation for the committee at the State Police Training Academy on December 2, 2016.
- Deborah provided information about KCSO's Community Police Academy and encouraged committee members to participate.
- Deborah announced that due to the complexities of scheduling, OLEO would not be organizing other training opportunities for the committee as a whole but staff is happy to help anyone looking to attend specific trainings.

c) Muckleshoot Shooting

- Deborah updated the committee on the status of review of the October 21, 2016 incident which includes reviews by the Sheriff's Administrative Review Team, an Inquest, and the Use of Force Review Board.
- Following up on discussion at the November meeting, Deborah specified that it would be inappropriate for the committee or OLEO to opine about it until all the facts were available.

d) OLEO Ordinance

- Deborah described the posture of the proposed ordinance intended to fulfill the vision of Charter Amendment 1, approved by the King County voters in November 2015. The process involves getting Council approval for the proposal as well as addressing any issues that are mandatory for collective bargaining with the police unions.
- The committee discussed ways to support OLEO as it seeks to establish a system of strong and meaningful oversight.
- For those not familiar with OLEO's history, Deborah provided a brief overview.

5. Role of the Committee

Consultant Ann Macfarlane facilitated a conversation about the role of the committee and received feedback for a draft describing that role. The conversation will continue in February.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30.