

Canton, Georgia

*110 Academy Street
Canton, Georgia 30114*



Minutes - Final - Final

Tuesday, July 20, 2021

6:30 PM

City Hall Auditorium

110 Academy Street

Public Safety Citizen Advisory Bd

1. Call to Order

Present: Waterman, Busbee, Parham, Padgett-Harrison

Also: Wendell Turner and Billy Peppers

Mr. Waterman called meeting to order.

2. Approval of Minutes

- A. Public Safety Citizen Advisory Board Draft Minutes - April 27, 2021 - Attachment 2A

Attachments: [Minutes - Public Safety Citizen Advisory Board - April 27, 2021](#)

Harrison moved to approve 4/27 minutes, seconded by Parham and unanimously approved.

3. Discussion of Involvement with Police Department Events

Turner gave an update on upcoming PD events. Board asked to be notified in advance so they could attend.

4. Discussion of Involvement with City Events

Board talked about outreach to the community with ideas including magazine article, a pushcard with Board info on one side and Citizens Police Academy info on the other side, adopting a formal mission statement, participating at events, and participation at the upcoming Multi-Cultural event with PD on September 4th at Etowah River Park.

5. Discussion of Specialized Training**6. Board Member Led Discussion****7. Discussion of Next Scheduled Meetings**

The Board decided to have regular meetings on the second Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

The Board talked about grief counseling and assistance programs for PD. The City has a mentor program, peer assistance program and Employee Assistance Program available.

The Board talked about working with CanTeen to be a support to students.

The Board talked about additional safety needs in the City, including call boxes on trails and potentially mobile fingerprint systems to cut down on down time for patrols.

8. Adjourn

Ms. Harrison moved to adjourn. Mr. Waterman seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.