



# City of Columbia, Missouri

## Meeting Minutes

### Columbia Interim Police Chief's Vehicle Stop Committee

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Tuesday, May 14, 2019  
5:30 PM

City Hall - Mezzanine  
Conference Room, 701  
E. Broadway

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#### I. CALL TO ORDER

**Present:** 9 - Robert Aulgur, Andre Cook, Toni Dukes, Pamela Hardin, Don Love, Matthew Nichols, Eric Parsons, Dale Roberts and Jerome Sally

**Excused:** 1 - Tara Warne-Griggs

#### II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion passed unanimously.

**Approve the agenda as submitted.**

**Yes:** 9 - Aulgur, Cook, Dukes, Hardin, Love, Nichols, Parsons, Roberts and Sally

**Excused:** 1 - Warne-Griggs

#### III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Committee Minutes - April 23, 2019

Motion passed unanimously.

**Accept the Committee's April 23, 2019 minutes as amended to accurately reflect the name of Brittany Hughes**

**Yes:** 9 - Aulgur, Cook, Dukes, Hardin, Love, Nichols, Parsons, Roberts and Sally

**Excused:** 1 - Warne-Griggs

#### IV. ATTENDANCE POLICY

##### Meeting Schedule and Attendance Policy

Members discussed adopting an attendance policy to encourage regular participation. Members agreed that they all understand the expectations associated with the Committee's charge and that it is their responsibility to let the Chair know, in advance, of their absence. Andre motion and Bob Aulgur second to not adopt a formal attendance policy at this time, with the ability to revisit the decision, if needed. Motion passed unanimously.

**Not to adopt a formal attendance policy at this time, with the ability to revisit the decision, if needed.**

**Yes:** 9 - Aulgur, Cook, Dukes, Hardin, Love, Nichols, Parsons, Roberts and Sally

**Excused:** 1 - Warne-Griggs

Members discussed allowing alternate representatives to sit with and serve in the absence of Committee members appointed by Interim Police Chief Geoff Jones. Pamela Hardin motion and Eric second to allow someone selected by an absent member to attend a Committee meeting, sit with the public, take notes and speak during the public comment period but *not* speak, vote or serve on behalf of the absent member. Motion passed unanimously.

**Allow someone selected by an absent member to attend a Committee meeting, sit with the public, take notes and speak during the public comment period but not speak, vote or serve on behalf of the absent member.**

**Yes:** 9 - Aulgur, Cook, Dukes, Hardin, Love, Nichols, Parsons, Roberts and Sally

**Excused:** 1 - Warne-Griggs

## V. VEHICLE STOP DATA

Acting Interim Police Chief Jeremiah Hunter said that Committee members would receive CPD's report on local 2018 vehicle stop data on Friday, May 10. Although Interim Chief Geoff Jones is out-of-state this week, he wants members to get a head start on reviewing the data. The report draws no conclusions, includes some new data fields that were not present the previous year and agrees with 2018 raw data posted on CPD's website.

## VI. COMMITTEE APPROACH AND TIMELINE

Chart: Timeline with Steps

Members reviewed a suggested timeline for the Committee's study, review and consensus process. To allow members time to consider the data and develop questions, Toni proposed bringing the timeline back on the June 11 agenda. Members expressed interest in naming a subcommittee to take a first look at Columbia's vehicle stop data and report to the full Committee on June 11. Toni motion and Bob second to form a data subcommittee composed of Pamela, Tara, Eric, Jerome Sally and Don Love. Motion passed unanimously. CPD Crime Analyst Jerry East will serve as a subcommittee resource.

**Form a data subcommittee composed of Pamela, Tara, Eric, Jerome Sally and Don Love.**

**Yes:** 9 - Aulgur, Cook, Dukes, Hardin, Love, Nichols, Parsons, Roberts and Sally

**Excused:** 1 - Warne-Griggs

Chart: Blank Timeline

Members agreed that it would be helpful to have a timeline with the flexibility to accommodate additional meetings and extend work deadlines. Pamela motion and Dale second to accept the timeline and adjust it, if needed. Motion passed unanimously.

**Accept the timeline and adjust it, if needed**

**Yes:** 9 - Aulgur, Cook, Dukes, Hardin, Love, Nichols, Parsons, Roberts and Sally

**Excused:** 1 - Warne-Griggs

## VII. GENERAL COMMENTS BY PUBLIC, MEMBERS AND STAFF

To allow all who wish to speak to do so, Toni said each speaker could have one question and one follow-up.

- Martin Hardin - will Committee compare 2018 data to earlier years (Don: recent data are most important)
- Barbara Jefferson - difficult to hear discussion in this room - members should have name cards to identify them
- Bob Aulgur - use Toni Messina as a resource to put documents on a website accessible to all (Toni Messina: commits to working with CPD and Community Relations Department to create a website)
- Pamela Hardin - likes the idea of comparing data over several years
- Toni Messina - will poll data subcommittee members for meeting dates

## VIII. NEXT MEETING DATE - JUNE 11, 2019

## IX. ADJOURNMENT

Motion passed unanimously.

### **Move to adjourn**

**Yes:** 9 - Aulgur, Cook, Dukes, Hardin, Love, Nichols, Parsons, Roberts and Sally

**Excused:** 1 - Warne-Griggs

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