

Sheriff's Citizens Advisory Board
February 9, 2015
Minutes

Attendees:

Knezovich, Ozzie (SCSO)	Tower, Jeff (SCSO)	VanLeuvan, Rick (SCSO)	Bergman, John
West, Bob	DeCaro, Renae	Crockett, Kelly	Marlett, Larry
Johnson, Skip	Winn, Kenneth L.	Samadi, Mehrdad	O'Neill, Leigh
Mackenzie, Tom	Parker, Chuck	Palachuk, Geoffrey	

The meeting was called to order at 6:38pm.

The minutes of the January 12, 2015 meeting were approved.

We welcomed a new member Geoffrey Palachuk to the board.

We were handed a new Officer involved death case to review. Following are the project deadlines:

- April meeting, all questions turned into either Leigh or Julie (to send to Leigh)
- May meeting, subject matter experts will answer all of our questions.
- June meeting, create letter explaining our findings as a group.

The Sheriff briefly discussed the officer involved shooting in the Spokane Valley on January 30th: Officer Thurman made a traffic stop in the Spokane Valley. While questioning the suspect, the suspect took off running, and then shot at Deputy Thurman. Deputy Thurman shot and wounded the suspect. This case is still under review.

Ombudsman Discussion:

The group reviewed the letter written by Bob West regarding our position on an Ombudsman working with or overseeing our group. The letter was approved with no further changes unanimously by the group and will be sent to the Sheriff and County Commissioners.

Future Meeting:

- The Sheriff will show a Power Point on the MRAP and Police Militarization.
- Bob West will send out a Power Point on the criminal justice system in Spokane from 1960 to present.
- Bob West will be inviting Jacqueline van Wormer, Criminal Justice Administrator to our September meeting. She will explain her role and functions of the SCLJC.

Meeting adjourned at 7:49 pm

Next Meeting:

March 9, 2015 at 6:30 pm at the Valley Precinct

Minutes Submitted by
Leigh O'Neill