

CITIZENS PUBLIC SAFETY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE MINUTES
May 12, 2022

The Citizens Public Safety Oversight Committee of the City of Norman, Cleveland County, State of Oklahoma, met at 4 p.m. via 201 W. Gray St. City Council Chambers, on the 12th day of May 2022, and notice and agenda of the meeting were posted at City Hall located at 201 W. Gray Street 24 hours prior to the beginning of the meeting.

PRESENT: Chair Linda Price, Members Kenny Orr, Lea Greenleaf, Jim Costello, and Russell Rice

ABSENT: Members Ann Gallagher, Kyle Hurley, Mike Rainer, and Greg Gilkey

COMMITTEE LIAISONS: FOP (position vacant)
OU (position vacant)
IAFF (position vacant)

STAFF PRESENT: Ashley Evans, Administrative Technician
Kim Coffman, Budget Manager
Russell Anderson, Communication Systems Manager
Major Barbour, NPD
Jacob Huckabaa, Budget Technician
Chad Humphrey, NFD

Item 1, being

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Price called the meeting to order at 4:27 pm. She welcomed staff and guests to the meeting and asked them to introduce themselves.

Item 2, being

APPROVAL OF THE CITIZENS PUBLIC SAFETY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE MINUTES
OF March 10, 2022.

Member Rice made a motion to approve the Citizens Public Safety Oversight Committee minutes, of the March 10, 2022 meeting, which motion was duly seconded by Member Costello; and the question being to approve the Citizens Public Safety Oversight Committee minutes of March 10, 2022, a vote was taken with the following result:

YEAS:

Chair Linda Price, Members Kenny Orr, Lea Greenleaf, Jim Costello, and Russell Rice

NAYES:

none

Chair Price declared the motion carried and the Citizens Public Safety Oversight Committee minutes of March 10, 2022 approved.

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ITEM 3, being:

MONTHLY UPDATES

Finance Report

Kim Coffman gave the update. She stated that sales tax collection is still going strong and we were 13% over budget target for April.

Fire Department

Chad Humphrey gave the update. He stated that we have 15 recruits starting the Academy in July.

Police Report

Major Barbour gave the update. He stated that there have been a lot of festivals, community events, and game days in which the Police Department have been participating. Next week is Police Week. The budget process for the next fiscal year is ongoing. We are down 18 employees-9 officers and 9-non-commissioned. 3 more potential vacancies are coming up in the near future. 5 cadets are doing well in the Academy and the hiring process for the next Academy is starting at the end of August.

Dispatch

Russell Anderson gave the update. He stated that we are down 5 people, but we have 5 we are hoping to hire.

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ITEM 4, being

UPDATE ON EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER (EOC) PROJECT

Major Barbour gave the update. He stated that we are in the last stage of the design element being completed by the end of June/ beginning of July.

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Item 5, being

ESTABLISH AGENDA TOPICS FOR THE NEXT June 9, 2022 MEETING

All normal topics at the next meeting, including a discussion on meeting attendance.

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Item 6, being

MISCELLANEOUS COMMENTS

None at this time.

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Item 7, being

ADJOURNMENT

Adjourned at 5:08 pm