



**CITY OF ALBANY
COMMUNITY POLICE REVIEW BOARD MEETING**

*February 13, 2020 at 6:00 P.M.
The Albany Community Development Agency, 200 Henry Johnson Blvd.*

Meeting Minutes

- I. **Call to Order & Roll Call** (I. Morris & V. Harden)
Members present: Ivy Morris, Veneilya Harden, Rev. Collier, Larry Becker, Matt Ingram, Zach Garafalo, and Warren Hamilton
GLC staff present: Ava Ayers and Cristina Alberto
- II. **Approval of the Agenda** (I. Morris)
Approved unanimously
- III. **Approval of January Minutes** (I. Morris)
Approved unanimously
- IV. **Approval of 2019 3rd Quarter Report** (I. Morris)
Approved unanimously
- V. **New Business**
- A. Public Comment (Public)
– No Public Comment
- B. Report from the Office of Professional Standards (Lieutenant M. Decker)
– Hiring a new detective by the end of this month
– Zach questioned if new detective would be permanently assigned?
– Lieutenant: They would be hired for our office
– Hiring more police officers by summer; no exact number of how many yet
– Veneilya brought up concern of OPS back log on cases and how it effects the boards process in viewing cases; Lieutenant mentions: with the new legislation implementation of discovery and bail reform, OPS has been extremely busy
- C. Committee Reports
- i. By-Laws and Rules (M. Ingram)
– Had a meeting with GLC staff two weeks ago discussing issue identification: how are issues classified on complaints
- ii. Outreach and Education (Z. Garafalo)
– No update
- iii. Outreach (I. Morris, V. Harden)
– No update
- iv. Mediation (Rev. V. Collier)
– No update
- v. Police Department Liaison (V. Harden)
– No update
- vi. Monitor Task Force (L. Becker)
– Two applicants who we will be interviewing: Larry, Warren, Ivy, and Veneilya

- vii. Public Official Liaison (I. Morris)
 - *No update*
- D. Report from the Government Law Center (A. Ayers)
 - *New website is live: albanycprb.org*
 - *New marketing materials with new logo will be ordered: pens, banner, table runner, and business cards*
 - *Matt questions if complaint forms can be submitted online—Ava: confidentiality becomes an issue; fillable pdf will be uploaded instead*
 - *Complaint status report will begin to be included in packet for meetings moving forward*
 - *Terms: terms are for 6 years no matter how many reappointments you have within those 6 years—most are eligible for reappointment*
- E. Report from the Chair (I. Morris)
 - *Think about the election*
- F. Adjournment (I. Morris)