

NEIGHBORHOOD SAFETY COMMISSION

Joel called the meeting to order at 8:30 AM

Quorum was established

Joel chaired the meeting in the absence of Glenn and Karen as the both of them were out of town

Joel reminded the group that the Safety Blitz was to be held on May 20, 2017 and passed around a sign up sheet

Glenn, Karen and Joel will meet with Chairman Boyce or his representative and this is scheduled for the following week

Motion to approve the minutes as revised

Public Safety Director Sam Heaton provided his report –

 Safety Blitz – working with Smyrna Public Safety

 Updates – Braves overtime

 Traffic and pedestrian control

 -40 officers traffic County \$ 900 K

 -40 officers inside Braves

Question – County paying for the traffic for other events

May be able to reduce the number of officers need for an event. It will take one year to be able to assess the total costs to the County

Michael Register accepted the offer of the position of the Chief

IACP report was submitted. CCPD reviewed the draft. Commissioners requested a copy of the report. MDJ got a copy of it

IACP report showed no major surprises or shocks

IACP report can be downloaded from the website

As to IACP report, no changes and recommendations. No changes involved making information consistent with giving several authors writing style. Director Heaton spoke with the MDJ

Director Heaton and the County Manager need to develop implementation plans

Plan to invite Michael Register to the June meeting

More officers need to be enrolled in CIT training. May be a priority for the new chief

Some follow up on the Drug Recognition Group

Looking at equipping police cars with NARCAN. Director Heaton will come back with the number of doses given by the PD

Introduction of the new appointees

Committee Reports

Joe Gavalis reported that the Elder Abuse Task Force has grown beyond the NSC and that it has not been a part of NSC for at least five (5) years now. Accordingly he indicated that there was no report

Trish reported that the Wednesday TV program was on the subject of mental health – focus on mental health issues in the jail population and resources for mental health needs

Trish reported that she is working to get all of the videos of the various panel discussions to be placed in all of the libraries

Bob reported on the Opioid Task Force

- wants to get in the school system
- some push back from the PTA and other school affiliated organizations
- wants to work to get better info in local drug stores on opioid abuse

Suggestion to have NSC members do a ride along with police and fire

Action Items:

- (1) Sam find out the number of NARCAM doses
- (2) Having the new police chief to attend the next meeting
- (3) Tour of Braves stadium for NSC members

Bob asked for an event calendar to be added to the NSC page

Meeting adjourned at 9:35 AM