Sheriff’s Citizens Advisory Board Meeting Minutes
November 12, 2018

Attendees:
Nowels, John (SCSO)  O’Neill, Leigh  King, Verne  Johnson, Skip  Winn, Kenneth L.
James, Steve  Parker, Chuck  Pavani, VJ  Samadi, Mehrdad  Marlett, Larry
Mackenzie, Tom  Standow, Brian

Guests:
Jack Rosenthal  Bob West  Brandi Peetz

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 pm.

Minutes were not approved (missed agenda item), we will approve both October and November minutes in December.

New Business –
Crimes Against Persons by Jack Rosenthal:

- Sgt Rosenthal is the Supervisor of the Crimes Against Persons Unit (22 years with the agency)
- Commissions Personnel
  - Major Crimes
  - Sex Crimes
  - Domestic Violence
- Non-Commissioned Personnel
  - Forensics/Identification
  - Medical Examiner’s Office
  - Washington State Patrol Crime Lab
- Responsibilities
  - Seek Truth
  - Arrests & Suspect Contacts
  - Cold Cases
  - Interviews and Interrogations
  - Compile criminal case referral to prosecutors
  - Case detective sits with prosecutor during trial
  - Deciding what evidence to collect and what evidence to send for further processing
- Major Crimes
  - Homicide
  - Officer involved critical incidents
  - Robbery / Kidnapping
  - Suspicious deaths
  - Serious Assaults
  - Cold Case Homicides
• Sex Crimes
  o Sexual Assault
  o Incest
  o Human Trafficking
  o Child luring
  o Child Physical Abuse
  o Sex Offender Registration
• Domestic Violence Unit
  o Homicide
  o Intimate Partner Assault
  o Protection Order Violations
  o Child Assaults
  o Stalking
• Spokane Investigative Regional Response Team
  o Rob Sherar heads this unit
  o Comprised of 16 Agencies
    ▪ Spokane City Crimes Against Persons
    ▪ Spokane Police Major Crimes
    ▪ Washington State Patrol
• Drone Program
  o Compliant with FAA flying laws and regulations within Spokane
  o All legalities have been worked out with the legal department
  o Paid for by a grant

Old Business –
• NACOLE Convention:
  o Ken gave a brief overview of his time at the NACOLE conference:
    ▪ ~450 attendees
    ▪ Oversight committees are expanding across the nation
    ▪ Ken & Mike went to separate meetings in order to cover as many topics as possible.
    ▪ Spokane was the only unfunded, volunteer group as convention
• Removed Ty Warner as a member from the group, attendance issues.

Future Meeting Locations:
  January 14 – CenterPlace at Mirabeau Point Park
  February 11 - Spokane Regional Health District Bldg.
  March 11 – CenterPlace at Mirabeau Point Park
  April 8 - Spokane Regional Health District Bldg.
  May 13 – CenterPlace at Mirabeau Point Park
  June 10 - Spokane Regional Health District Bldg.
  July – Break
  August – Break
  September 9 – CenterPlace at Mirabeau Point Park
  October 14 - SCSO Large Conference Room
  November 11 - CenterPlace at Mirabeau Point Park
  December 9 - Spokane Regional Health District Bldg.
Future Meeting Topics:
- Invite a legislator to a meeting and advocate for additional funds for the sheriff’s department and the CAB.
- Recognition program (online valley City Council website) for a CAB member.

Meeting adjourned 7:07pm.

Next Meeting:
December 10, 2018 at 5:30 pm at the 911 Dispatch Center (1620 N. Rebecca, Spokane, WA 99217)

Minutes Submitted by
Leigh O’Neill, Secretary