Minutes Police Committee Meeting Tuesday, March 1, 2022

The special meeting of the Police Committee was held Tuesday, March 1, 2022 at 4:00 P.M. The following were notified of the time, date, and place of the meeting: Chairwoman Carolyn Wilson and Members of the Police Committee, the City Staff, and the press. Present at the meeting were the following: Chairwoman Carolyn Wilson, Mayor Pro Tem Pat Phillips, Council Member Andre Campbell, Police Chief Michael Bethea, Captain Phil Mostowski, City Clerk Felicia Sawyer.

- 1. Call Meeting To Order & Welcome: Chairwoman Carolyn Wilson called the meeting to order and welcomed all present.
- 2. Disclosure that local media has been informed of meeting pursuant to South Carolina Freedom of Information Act: Chairwoman Carolyn Wilson stated the local media had been contacted regarding the time, date, and place of the special meeting for March 1, 2022.

Mayor Pro Tem Phillips gave the invocation.

3. Re: Community Concerns

Chairwoman Carolyn Wilson discussed the speeding problems on East End, Wine, and Mullins Streets. Wilson stated there are many children that play in those streets and it was very dangerous.

Captain Mostowski stated the City wide speed limit is 25 mph unless otherwise posted. The Police Department can't write tickets from a speed limit machine.

Captain Mostoski stated the department has one office that will soon be going to the Sheriff's Department.

There was discussion for officer incentives for recruitment. Council Member Campbell recommended more social media, including video recruitment.

Council Member Campbell mentioned incorporating Re-imagine Mullins into the recruitment of officers.

4. Adjournment:

Mayor Pro Tem Phillips made a motion to adjourn. Council Member Andre Campbell seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned.

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	Chairwoman Carolyn Wilson, Police Committee
ATTEST:	
Felicia J. Sawyer, City Clerk	