

Approved Minutes Detroit Board of Police Commissioners
Date of Meeting: Thursday, March 20, 2025 – 3:00 PM
Location: Detroit Public Safety Headquarters, 1301 Third Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226

1. **Vice Chairperson Smith** called the BOPC Board Meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.
 - A. **Invocation. Deputy Chief Chaplain James Powell** provided the invocation.
2. **Oral Communication / Public Comments:** Lieutenant Mark Young, Minster Eric Blount, and Ms. Bernice Smith.
3. **Introduction of Police Commissioners. A roll call was held, and a quorum was declared.**

Detroit Board of Police Commissioners' Membership / Attendance		
	In Attendance	Not-In Attendance
Darryl Woods, Chairperson	Yes	
Tamara Liberty Smith, Vice Chairperson	Yes	
Linda D. Bernard, Esq.	Yes	
Cedric Banks	Yes	
Willie E. Bell	Yes	
Willie E. Burton	Yes	
Lisa Carter	Yes	
Ricardo Moore	Yes	
Jesus Hernandez	Yes	
QuanTez Pressley	Yes	
Eva Garza Dewaelsche	Yes	
Quorum (Yes)	11	

4. **Vice Chairperson Smith** requested the approval of the Agenda for Thursday, March 20, 2025. **Commissioner Moore** motioned to postpone Item 8C until next week". The Agenda was amended and adopted.
5. **Chairperson Woods** requested the approval of the Meeting Minutes for March 13, 2025. The minutes were adopted as presented.
6. **Introductions of Board administrative and investigative staff, the Chief of Police, Elected Officials or Representatives and Community Leaders.**
7. **BOPC Officers' Report.** No Report
8. **Chief of Police Report.**

Deputy Chief Franklin Hayes reported on current CompStat Crime/Statistical Data for Violent Crime and Property and recent critical incidents impacting the DPD and the community. DC Hayes shared Chief Todd Bettison, Michigan State Police Colonel James Grady, Wayne State Chief Anthony Holt and Dearborn Chief Issa Shahin attending the BOPC Youth Advisory Panel on policing and 21st century initiatives at Wayne State University Law School. DC Hayes mentioned the Responsible Driving Initiative where DPD educates those driving vehicles are operating them within the speed limits, not transporting illegal weapons or narcotics, and that the vehicles are properly licensed.
9. **Oral Communication / Public Comments:** continued Ms. Charnita Williams, Mr. Nate Savino, Former Commissioner William Davis, Mr. Jahdante Smith, Ms. Taura Brown and Mr. Meeko Williams provided public comments.
10. **Presentation to the Board.**
 - A. **Human Resources Bureau – Director Katrina Patillo, DPD Personnel:** Director Katrina Patillo, Human Resources Bureau presented a summary of statistical data and information regarding staffing and hiring of DPD personnel for the month of February 2025.

Commissioner Banks motioned, “to accept the department’s recommendation to place Police Officer Ariana Lewis, Badge 2657, assigned to the Eleventh Precinct on Administrative Leave Without Pay but with Medical Benefits.” The motion passed.

YES: =10

NO: = 1

MOTION: PASSED

15. Adjournment.

Chairperson Woods adjourned the meeting at 5:14 p.m.