



Committee On Training

Patrick Henry Building – West Reading Room
Richmond, VA 23219

MINUTES

May 9, 2019

Members Present

Chief Kelvin Wright
Sheriff Anthony Roper
Lieutenant Cliff Kincaid (Proxy for Captain R. Holland)
Mr. Edward Macon
Chief James E. Williams
Mr. Luke Black
Superintendent William Smith
Ms. Mary Biggs
Mr. Bryan Porter
Mayor Carolyn Dull

Members Absent

Mr. Patrick Bridge
Chief Tonya Chapman
Sheriff Vanessa Crawford
Chief James Cervera
Ms. Angie Carrera
Mr. Robert Soles

1. **Call to Order.**

Chief Wright called the meeting of the Committee on Training (COT) to order at 10:00 A.M.

2. **Approval of past minutes.**

Mr. Luke Black made a motion, seconded by Ms. Mary Biggs, to accept the minutes from the meeting on December 6th, 2018. The motion was passed unanimously.

3. **Division Update.**

Ms. Teresa Gooch, Division Director, Division of Law Enforcement, provided a summary of the Law Enforcement Curriculum Review Committee program, its duties, progress, use of various subject matter experts, and planned next steps. Information was also provided to highlight DCJS Website access of Town Hall content, member information and CRC content links.

4. **Old Business.**

Chief Wright provided a statement in regard to Law Enforcement Field Training Group updates. A work group, as established during the December 6, 2018 COT Meeting, met several times to provide a

solution in regard to LE Field Training concerns for several agencies. The work group did not reach a consensus on the issue. Since that time, DCJS and affected agencies have resolved this issue ensuring compliance with the requirement of 100 hours of law enforcement field training.

5. New Business.

- a. **Recertification as a Certified Crime Prevention Community- City of Christiansburg**– Mr. Erik Smith, DCJS Law Enforcement Standards and Policy Manager, presented information on the recertification of the City of Christiansburg as a Certified Crime Prevention Community. He provided a history of efforts the city had made to become certified and noted the success of the town’s Domestic Violence initiatives. Mr. Smith recommended the committee approve recertification. Mayor Dull made a motion, seconded Chief Williams, to approve the recertification. The motion passed with Ms. Biggs abstaining from the vote due to regional affiliation concerns. Ms. Biggs did reiterate that the content of the presentation was accurate.

6. Next Meeting.

The next meeting of the COT was tentatively scheduled for Thursday, August 15th, 2019 at 10:00AM.

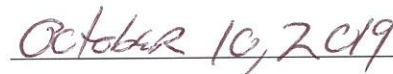
7. Adjournment.

Ms. Biggs made a motion, seconded by Mr. Macon, to adjourn at 10:20 a.m. The motion passed unanimously.

Approved:



Chair



Date