

**CITIZENS POLICE REVIEW BOARD MEETING
 CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
 CITY HALL 8TH FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM
 100 NORTH ANDREWS AVENUE
 FT. LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA 33301
 July 9, 2012 – 6:00 P.M.**

Board Members	Attendance	1/2012 – 12/2012 Cumulative Attendance	
		P	A
Alan Stotsky, Chair	P	6	0
James Jordan, Vice Chair	P	6	0
Lt. John Appel	P	4	2
Marc Dickerman	P	6	0
Ted Fling	P	4	2
Lt. Glenn Galt	P	6	0
Eileen Helfer	P	6	0
Officer Nina Justice	P	3	3
Roosevelt Walters	A	5	1

It was noted that a quorum was present for the meeting.

Staff

Captain Doug MacDougall, Internal Affairs, Fort Lauderdale Police Department
 Sergeant Michael Dodson, Internal Affairs, Fort Lauderdale Police Department
 Sergeant Tim McCarthy, Internal Affairs, Fort Lauderdale Police Department
 Sergeant Mark Renner, Internal Affairs, Fort Lauderdale Police Department
 J. Opperlee, Recording Secretary, Prototype, Inc.

Communications to City Commission

None.

A. Roll Call

Chair Stotsky called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Roll was called and it was noted a quorum was present.

B. Approve Minutes from June 11, 2012

Motion made by Mr. Dickerman, seconded by Ms. Helfer, to approve the minutes of the June 11, 2012 meeting. In a voice vote, the **motion** passed unanimously.

C. General Information

Chair Stotsky noted that there would be no Board meeting in August 2012.

D. Review the following Internal Affairs investigation

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| 1. Complainant: | Chief Franklin C. Adderley (IA Case 11-164) |
| 2. Allegation: | 1. Deadly Force |
| 3. Officer(s): | Jeffrey Riche and Johnathan Jones |
| 4. Disposition: | 1. Not Sustained |

Motion made by Mr. Dickerman, seconded by Lt. Galt, to accept the findings.

Mr. Fling noted that a total of 19 shots were fired in relation to this case, and asked if follow-up was conducted to determine if any of these shots resulted in damage in the neighborhood. Sgt. McCarthy replied that the neighborhood was canvassed at the time, and 18 of the 19 bullets were found in the car.

Chair Stotsky commented that after the incident, the owner of the car stated in an interview that an Officer stopped her and she attempted to leave the car. He pointed out, however, that he did not see a deposition by this individual as part of the report. Sgt. McCarthy said the deposition was made on video, and he had included her comments when writing up the incident.

Chair Stotsky requested that in the future, any such video evidence be included for the Board members to review. He observed that no one had exited the Police vehicle at this point in the incident. Sgt. McCarthy said the owner of the car had stated she made contact with an Officer at that time. He explained that there seemed to be a brief encounter at this point according to both electronic surveillance and the individual's testimony.

Chair Stotsky noted that the individual had testified she encountered a white Police Officer. Officer Justice added that the testimony also states the Officer pointed a gun or Taser at the individual, which reflected a discrepancy between the individual's testimony and the Officer's testimony. Chair Stotsky stated that based on the electronic surveillance, he was prepared to accept that the individual was not being truthful in her account of the incident. Sgt. McCarthy confirmed that the car only stopped for a few seconds.

Chair Stotsky observed that a transcription of the witness's statement would typically be part of the information provided to the Board members. Sgt. McCarthy advised that while Homicide usually provides a transcription of a videotaped statement, it was not done in this particular case.

In a voice vote, the **motion** passed unanimously.

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There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, the meeting was adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

[Minutes prepared by K. McGuire, Prototype, Inc.]