

CITY OF DENTON AD HOC COMMITTEE ON USE-OF-FORCE MINUTES

Date/Time:Thursday, September 10, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.Location:City Hall – City Council Work Session Room215 E. McKinney St, Denton, TX 76201

After determining that a quorum was present, the City of Denton Ad Hoc Committee on Use-of-Force convened in a Regular Meeting on Thursday, September 10, 2020, at 6:03 p.m. in the Council Work Session Room at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas.

PRESENT: Willie Hudspeth, Sheryl English, Kamyon Conner, Cedric Chambers, Angela Ricks, Beau Hughes, Lilyan Prado-Carrillo, Pam Gutierrez, Yancy Green, Travis Nicholas, Rhonda Love, Gary Henderson, Katina Stone Butler, Jaime Walker Blanton, and Jamell Butler; Ex-Officio Members: Frank Dixon, Dr. Richard Williams, Todd Hileman, Jesse Davis, and Michael Cronig.

ABSENT: Dionte Long, Cameron Combs, Dawna-Diamond Tyson, John Baines, and Chay'vion Moore.

Also present were Sergeant Elisa Howell, Chief of Staff Sarah Kuechler, and Assistant to the City Manager Rachel Balthrop Mendoza.

Note: All committee members and attendees participated in the meeting via video/teleconference under the provisions allowed by the Texas Government Code Section 551.127.

1. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

A. UOF20-031 Receive a report, hold a discussion, and provide recommendations to staff regarding potential options/models for civilian oversight of the City of Denton Police Department.

Sarah Kuechler opened the meeting and introduced Michael Cronig who presented on the potential options/models for civilian oversight. In-depth discussion with several question and answer periods took place with many Committee members.

B. UOF20-033 Review and discuss Committee requests for information and agenda items for next meeting and future meetings.

Sarah Kuechler presented information about the current status of the compiled report of findings and recommendations. Ms. Kuechler discussed Patrick Ibarra's moderator role in the next meeting as the Committee works to vote on recommendations to City Council.

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The meeting adjourned at 8:17 p.m.

1 MINUTES APPROVED ON