

Community Police Review Commission Memorandum

City of Arts & Innovation

TO: COMMUNITY POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION DATE: JUNE 24, 2020

FROM: CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE WARDS: ALL

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF CRIMINAL CASE BOOK FOR AN OFFICER INVOLVED DEATH

FOR P17032034 - M. GARCIA

ISSUE:

Independent Consultant Frank Hauptmann will assist the Commission with the review of the Criminal Case Book for an Officer Involved Death case for P17032034 – M. Garcia.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the Community Police Review Commission:

- 1. Discuss any findings or recommendations for the Riverside Police Chief for Criminal Case Book for P17032034 M. Garcia;
- 2. Discuss the Commissioner Rationale Worksheets needed for Independent Consultant Frank Hauptmann's preparation of the Commission's Public Report which will be returned to the Commission for approval; and
- 3. Determine, or defer the vote to a future meeting, the final findings and or recommendations for the Riverside Police Chief for Criminal Case Book for P17032034 M. Garcia.

DISCUSSION:

The Commission opened the review of the Criminal Case Book for an Officer Involved Death, P17032034, at the December 19, 2019 meeting and unanimously voted to continue the discussion of findings or recommendations to the January 22, 2020 meeting in order to receive further information from the Police Department regarding SWAT training on Burn Safe deployment and any policies, practices or procedures related to the tool. On January 22, 2020, the Commission, with eight (8) members present, unanimously voted to continue the discussion of findings or recommendations to the February 26, 2020 meeting so as to include Commissioner Teichert in the discussion. On February 26, 2020, the Commission, with eight (8) members present, unanimously voted to continue the discussion of findings or recommendations to the March 25, 2020 meeting. The March, April and May meeting were cancelled and therefore, the item is scheduled for the June 24, 2020 meeting.

The publicly available redacted case file is not attached to this agenda due to the volume of information. All records for this case are available on the City's website, on the Community Police Review Commission page, under the Officer-Involved Deaths (OID) tab. The full address is: https://www.riversideca.gov/cityclerk/boards-commissions/community-police-review-commission/officer-involved-deaths-oid/officer-involved.

During the meeting, Commissioners have the option to discuss any findings or recommendations for the Riverside Police Chief. The final findings and/or recommendations require a majority vote of the commissioners and will be compiled into a written report from the Community Police Review Commission, which will be published at the same website, page, and tab as mentioned in the above paragraph.

Approved by: Brandi Becker, Principal Management Analyst/CPRC Manager