

City of Chicago
22nd DISTRICT COUNCIL
COMMUNITY COMMISSION FOR PUBLIC SAFETY AND ACCOUNTABILITY
MEETING MINUTES

Meeting Type: Regular

Meeting Date: 4-10-2024

Meeting Location & Address: 6:30 P.M. Morgan Park Presbyterian Church 2017 W. 110th Place

Meeting Start Time: 18:32

Attendance & Quorum

OMA Meeting cannot take place with 2 out of 3 members present in-person.

District Council Member Name & Attendance

Kennedy- Present

Parker- Present

Bielecki- Present

Public Comment:

Keith- Thanked the community, thanked CPD. On the current police shooting he asked that we keep an open mind and don't jump to conclusions. Spoke about speed cameras in the district. The cameras are for speeders to protect the children. Location of the cameras is key to their success.

Approval of Minutes:

Kennedy- Approved

Parker- Approved

Bielecki- Approved

District Council Member Updates:

Kennedy-

1. Homicides 3/3 - **Even**
2. Shootings 14/13 - **Up 7%**
3. Robberies 37/70 - **Down 47%**
4. Carjackings 10/14 - **Down 28%**
5. Gun recoveries 137/99 - **Up 28%**
6. "Buy back the Block" A crime prevention and wealth building strategy.
Tuesday April 16th 6-8PM at the APC Morgan Park 11401 S. Vincennes Ave:
Learn about
 - a. Deterring Squatters
 - b. Property Fraud Alert
 - c. First Time Home Buying
 - d. Multi-Unit Investing
 - e. Vacant Lot Acquisitions
7. 22nd District Vehicle Safety Day Saturday April 27th 5-7PM. At the Jiffy Lube on 10750 S. Halsted.
 - a. Register and mark your vehicles Catalytic converter
 - b. Learn about the vehicle tracking program.
 - c. Steering Wheel locks are available
 - d. Create a Smart911 Safety Profile

Parker- Spoke about the 5 working groups amongst the DC's. SRO programs, three schools are affected in our district. SRO will end this school year.

Bielecki- Mayor Johnson missed the April 7th deadline to announce the seven new permanent members of the commission. With no definite date of when the announcement will be. As a member of the nominating committee, I feel like this a bit of disrespect toward the nominating committee since we met all our deadlines on time. Spending many long hours in the process. On the topic of ShotSpotter, the District Council public safety group is following the plan is to set up a meeting with head of the Police/Fire committee. To discuss the future of ShotSpotter and the desire for communities to continue the contract. Wards in the city do want to retain the technology.

Discussions:

Commander- The 22nd district continues to take illegal guns off the street, currently at 129 guns this year. Spoke about the SSI parade. Zero arrest and Zero property crime reported this year for a successful parade. 22nd District CPD raised \$10,000 for special Olympics at this year's polar plunge. Upcoming events in our district will include the ridge run and breast cancer walk. Spoke about the homicide on 95th Vanderpoel. Spoke about 111th western self-inflicted gun shot wound in the AirBnB. CPD met with metra to increase safety. Metra social worker will address the homelessness. Marshfield plaza safety concerns- they are adding security gates, CPD will now criminally trespass in that area.

Yvette Loizon- Gave a recap on the ShotSpotter hearing. April 17th it should be voted on by city council. Spoke about the recent police shooting.

Announcement of Next District Council Meeting

MAY 8TH - 6:00 P.M. Morgan Park High School Library 1744 W. Pryor Ave.
Chicago, Il. 60643

District Council ended the meeting at: 19:45