

CITIZEN POLICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING

December 21, 2010

7:00 p.m.

The Citizen Police Advisory Committee met in special session on Tuesday, December 21, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the Executive Conference Room, Municipal Building, 800 Municipal Drive, Farmington, New Mexico.

Members Present: Deb Dumont, Acting Chairman; Chuck Culpepper, Steve Grey, Brent Ray, Rosalie Maez Joel Irvin, Raymond Renaud

Members Absent: None

City Staff Present: Rob Mayes, City Manager; Scott Rounds, Director of Public Safety; Kyle Westall, Deputy Police Chief; Terry Page, Fire Chief; Jennifer Breakell, Assistant City Attorney; Lisa Hutchens, Executive Assistant

Guests: Donna Cadena, Tri-City Tribune; Ryan Boetel, Daily Times; Carol Mayes; Amalia Westall

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Deb Dumont at 7:01 p.m., and there being a quorum of members present, the following proceedings were duly had and taken.

II. POLICE CHIEF CANDIDATE—KYLE WESTALL, DEPUTY POLICE CHIEF

City Manager Rob Mayes gave the Committee an overview of the process to hire a new Police Chief. Mr. Mayes explained that he has asked Deputy Chief Westall to share his experience and background that makes him qualified for the position. Mr. Mayes stated Deputy Chief Westall will also share his vision for the Police Department and then entertain questions from the Committee and the audience. Deputy Chief Westall shared the highlights of his resume and his vision for the Police Department. He then answered questions from Committee members. There were no questions from audience members.

At the conclusion of the presentation, the Committee reached a unanimous consensus to recommend Deputy Chief Westall as Police Chief to the City Manager.

III. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Committee, and, upon motion duly made and seconded, the meeting was adjourned.

Deb Dumont, Acting Chairman

Lisa Hutchens, Secretary