

**NEW CASTLE COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING
Tuesday, January 12, 2021 @ 4:00 p.m.
VIRTUAL ZOOM WEBINAR MEETING**

MINUTES

Members Present: Co-Chair Street and Bell, President Hartley-Nagle, Pro-Temp Hollins, Diller, Carter, Smiley, Durham, Cartier, Sheldon, Kilpatrick, Woods, and Tackett

1. **Call to Order:**

- Councilman Street called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

2. **Approval of Minutes from the December 8, 2020 Meeting:**

- A motion to approve the minutes of December 8, 2020 Public Safety Committee Meeting was made by Councilman Smiley, seconded by Councilman Bell, and approved unanimously by the members present.

3. **21-004:**

Introduced by: Mr. Bell, Mr. Street

AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE 33,84.8.79 IN EMERGENCY ILLEGAL DRUG ENFORCEMENT (EIDE) FUNDS FROM THE STATE OF DEAWARE, DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY TO THE EIDE-FY2021 DRUG CONTROL OVERTIME GRANT, TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

- Chief Bond briefly commented that the grant money is used to further investigate drug trafficking.
- No discussion by Council.

4. **Update Police:**

- Chief Bond gave a brief overview of the January 14, 2021 graduating Police Academy and upcoming 48th Police Academy.
- No Q & A

5. **Update EMS Vaccine:**

- Chief Mark Logemann gave a brief overview on the COVID vaccines as it relates to public health and how it would be administered to the public.
- Q & A from Council

6. **Other:**

- Co-Chair Bell advised Council that Chief Bond would be preparing the security policies and procedures of NCC Police Department to Council which may go into executive session.

7. **Public Comment:** None

8. **Adjournment:**

- Motion was made by Councilman Smiley, seconded by Councilwoman Kilpatrick, and unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting at 4:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Charneece Jackson, Legislative Aide to Councilman Street, Co-Chairman Public Safety Committee. This meeting of the Public Safety Committee was also taped, and a recording of the meeting is available upon request.

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