



OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS
205 West St. Clair Avenue, Suite 301, Cleveland, Ohio 44113
CIVILIAN POLICE REVIEW BOARD

****ONLINE WEBEX MEETING****

Tuesday, August 10, 2021

MEETING AGENDA

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| I. CALL TO ORDER | Michael Graham, Chair |
| II. ROLL CALL & INTRODUCTIONS | |
| III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES | CPRB |
| IV. PUBLIC COMMENT | |
| V. PRESENTATION OF INVESTIGATIONS | Roger Smith, Administrator
OPS Investigative Staff |
| VI. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS | |
| VII. OPS REPORT | Roger Smith, Administrator |
| A. REVIEW OF CHIEF DISCIPLINARY DECISIONS | |
| VIII. POLICY UPDATES | Michael Graham, Chair |
| IX. COMMITTEE REPORTS | |
| X. UNFINISHED BUSINESS | |
| XI. NEW BUSINESS | Michael Graham, Chair |
| A. CPRB CHARTER AMENDMENT | |
| B. OFFICER ELECTIONS | |
| XII. ADJOURNMENT | |



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V: PRESENTATION OF INVESTIGATIONS

COUNT	OPS#	COMPLAINANT	INVESTIGATOR	ALLEGATION	CPRB DISPOSITION
1	20-021	Wang	Hammons	Lack of Service Unprofessional Conduct Biased Policing	<p>P.O. Flannery #1296</p> Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Biased Policing Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ <p>P.O. Mitchell #9024</p> Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Biased Policing Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____



					<p>Sgt. Ross #9024</p> <p>Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>Biased Policing Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p>
2	20-087	Mustafa	Bowker	Improper Stop/Detention	<p>P.O. McCoy #531</p> <p>Improper Stop/Detention Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>Sgt. Katynski #9302</p> <p>Improper Stop/Detention Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p>
3	20-099	Sheets	Delaney	Lack of Service Unprofessional Conduct	<p>P.O. Johnson #305</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>Sgt. Walker #9234</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p>



4	20-207	White	Wynne	Lack of Service	<p>P.O. Sherlock #1569</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>P.O. Januszewski #807</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p>
5	20-236	Perkins	Delaney	<p>Lack of Service</p> <p>Unprofessional Conduct</p>	<p>P.O. Crane #2108</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>P.O. Johnson #595</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p>



6	20-268	Brown	Williams-Bennett	Lack of Service Unprofessional Conduct	<p>P.O. Rees #193</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>P.O. Andrekovic #1929</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p> <p>Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p>
7	21-026	Anonymous	Merritt	Unprofessional Conduct	<p>P.O. Dunn #2563</p> <p>Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p>
8	21-056	Savacool	Oliver	Lack of Service	<p>Det. Randolph #2372</p> <p>Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____</p>



9	21-060	Klein	Hammons	Unprofessional Conduct Damaged Property Unauthorized Secondary Employment	P.O. Romain #2409 Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Damaged Property Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unauthorized Secondary Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____
10	21-065	Jones	Delaney	Improper Stop WCS Violation Unprofessional Conduct	P.O. Burkhardt #69 Improper Stop Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ WCS Violation Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Lt. Betley #8513 WCS Violation Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____



11	21-068	Reynolds	Oliver	Improper Procedure Unprofessional Conduct	P.O. Wells #556 Improper Procedure Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____
12	21-069	Clements	Merritt	Lack of Service	P.O. Walter #1683 Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____
13	21-075	Dix	Oliver	Lack of Service	P.O. Doerner #2182 Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____
14	21-084	Strickland	Merritt	Lack of Service	P.O. Kozma #566 Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ P.O. Simmerly #1062 Lack of Service Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____



15	21-124	Harris	Richardson	Unprofessional Conduct Improper Stop Improper Citation	P.O. Smith #1615 Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Improper Stop Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Improper Citation Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____
16	21-134	Bringht	Bowker	Improper Arrest Unprofessional Conduct	P.O. Pettry #353 Improper Arrest Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ P.O. Castiglione #261 Improper Arrest Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unprofessional Conduct Recommendation: _____ Motion: _____ Second: _____



IX (A). REVIEW OF CHIEF DISCIPLINARY DECISIONS

COUNT	OPS#	COMPLAINANT	INVESTIGATOR	RECOMMENDATION	CHIEF DECISION
1	20-028	Mason	Hammons	<p>Self-Dispatch and Emergency Response Driving – the CPRB recommended a Group I level of discipline for P.O. Miller #1583 when P.O. Miller self-dispatched to a vehicle pursuit in progress without being directed by or receiving authorization from a supervisor and for failing to consider the nature of the surrounding area while engaged in the vehicle pursuit throughout several residential streets, but particularly when driving 84 miles per hour on Euclid Avenue in East Cleveland.</p>	<p>Chief Williams wrote that P.O. Miller was previously issued a written reprimand on March 30, 2021 for his self-dispatch.</p> <p>Chief Williams departed from CPRB recommendation and dismissed the allegation of Emergency Response Driving, citing that the investigation failed to prove that P.O. Miller “failed to consider the nature of the surrounding area”, especially since P.O. Miller’s patrol car was not involved in an accident during the pursuit.</p>



2	20-073	Walker	Wynne	Lack of Service and Biased Policing – the CPRB recommended a Group I for these allegations against P.O. Strehle #658, in that P.O. Strehle failed to confirm with UCPD as to the scene of the accident upon arrival and concluded that the Complainant was the at-fault party before speaking with her and when his delivery of police services and decisions on scene appeared inconsistent with the policy of procedural justice and was indicative of bias against the Complainant.	Chief Williams departed from CPRB recommendation and dismissed both allegations, citing that P.O. Strehle observed that the Complainant had a "YIELD" sign, and that the sign was the determining factor for finding fault for the accident report, and that P.O. Strehle's delivery of services was not indicative of bias.
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