POLICE BOARD
PUBLIC MEETING
December 11, 2014
6:30 p.m.

PRESENT:

Demetrius Carney, President;
Ghian Foreman, Vice President;
William Conlon;
Michael Eaddy (telephonic)
Rita Fry;
Susan McKeever;
Elisa Rodriguez;
Rhoda Davis Sweeney;

William E. Bazarek, First Assistant General Counsel Office of Legal Affairs;
Alfonza Wysinger, First Deputy Superintendent of Police.

Bruce Dean, Independent Police Review Authority
We're calling the public meeting of the Police Board to order for December the 11th. Board members -- one of our members is not here and we need to take final action on cases. He is going to call in.

We're just starting the meeting.

Thank you for calling in and participating.

Board member Mike Eaddy is unable to attend this meeting in person and wishes to attend via audio conference and he just dialed in, so he is on the phone. Is there a motion to permit him to do so?

MR. FOREMAN: So moved.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Motion passes. First item of business is approval of the minutes of the public meeting of November the 20th, 2014.

Is there a motion to approve the minutes?

MS. FRY: So moved.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)
PRESIDENT CARNEY: The motion passes. I've been told the schedule of the Board's regular monthly public meeting of 2015 is made available at tonight's meeting and also posted on the Board's website.

Our next regular public meeting will be Thursday, January 15th, at 7:30 at 35th and Michigan at the Office of Chicago Public Safety.

At this time, I ask for a motion to go over a series of executive sessions for the purposes of considering litigation and other personnel matters as authorized by the Open Meetings Act. Is there such a motion?

MR. FOREMAN: So moved.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: A report of disciplinary actions taken by the Board during the previous month has been made available at this evening's meeting.

This report and the Board's findings are posted on the Board's website.

Now, we move to the section of
the meeting where we take final action on our vote at our last meeting in November for the cases we considered in executive session.

We meet an hour early, and when we meet an hour early we are in executive session, and that's where we entertain the cases and our hearing officers are present.

The Police Board, as authorized by the Open Meetings Act, has considered in closed meeting several disciplinary cases. The Board will now take final action on these cases.

Regarding case number 13 PB 2846, is there a motion to find Police Officer Adis Klincevic not guilty of using illegal steroids? Any Board member?

MR. EADDY: So moved.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Second.

MS. FRY: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Raise your hands. Any opposed?

MR. FOREMAN: Aye.
MR. CONLON: Aye.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Voting in favor are Board members Ballate, Eaddy, Fry, McKeever -- voting in favor are Board members Eaddy, Fry, McKeever, Rodriguez, Sweeney and myself. Opposed are Board members Foreman and Conlon. The motion passes.

Is there a motion to adopt written findings and decisions and dissent that have been reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case? Any Board member?

MR. CONLON: So moved.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any Board member?

MS. FRY: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? The motion passes by unanimous consent.

Regarding case number 14 Police Board 2854, is there a motion to find Police Officer Matthew Ripley not guilty of violating the law and Department rules by taking Valium?

MR. FOREMAN: So moved.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any Board member?
MR. CONLON: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? No response.

Voting in favor are Board members Foreman, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, McKeever, Rodriguez, Sweeney and myself. Motion passes.

Is there a motion to adopt the written findings and decisions that have been reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case?

MS. FRY: So moved.

MR. FOREMAN: Second?

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? The motion passes by unanimous consent.

Regarding case number 14 Police Board 2859, is there a motion to reprimand Sergeant Jesse Terrazas for failing to properly supervise his subordinates during a narcotics investigation?

MR. FOREMAN: So moved.
MR. CONLON: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? Opposed are Conlon, Eaddy and McKeever.

Voting in favor are Board members Foreman, Fry, Rodriguez, Sweeney and myself.

Opposed are Board members Conlon, Eaddy, McKeever -- and McKeever. The motion passes.

Is there a motion to adopt written findings and decisions and dissent that have been reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case?

MS. FRY: So moved.

MR. FOREMAN: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? Motion passes by unanimous consent.

Regarding case number 14 Police Board 2865, is there a motion to find Detective Alfredo Vivas, Jr., not guilty of violating the law and Department rules by taking Tylenol 3 with codeine?
MR. CONLON: So moved.

MR. FOREMAN: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? Voting in favor are Board members Foreman, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, McKeever, Rodriguez, Sweeney and myself. The motion passes.

Is there a motion to adopt the written findings and decisions that have been reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case?

MS. FRY: So moved.

MR. CONLON: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? The motion passes by unanimous consent.

Regarding case number 14 Police Board 2868, is there a motion to find Police Officer Daniel Dahill not guilty of shoplifting while on duty?

MS. FRY: So moved.

MR. CONLON: Second.
PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed?

MR. FOREMAN: Aye.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Foreman votes against the motion.

Voting in favor are Board members Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, McKeever, Rodriguez, Sweeney and myself. Opposed is Vice-President Foreman. The motion passes.

Is there a motion to adopt written findings and decisions and dissent that have been reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case?

MS. FRY: So moved.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Second?

MR. CONLON: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? The motion passes by unanimous consent.

Regarding case number 14 SR 2335, this is a suspension review, is there a motion to sustain the allegations of Police Officer
Kevin Beatovic for insubordination and to sustain the 15-day suspension ordered by the Superintendent?

MS. FRY: So moved.

MR. FOREMAN: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed?

Voting in favor are board members Foreman, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, McKeever, Rodriguez, Sweeney and myself. The motion passes.

Is there a motion to adopt the written findings and decisions that have been reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case?

MS. FRY: So moved.

MR. CONLON: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Any opposed? The motion passes by unanimous consent.

The Board's decisions in all the cases in which we took action this evening will
be entered as of today's date and will be issued to the parties.

A copy of the written decisions will be posted on the Board's website within ten business days as required by the municipal code of Chicago.

Pursuant to Rule 52, the Superintendent has requested the Board's permission to solicit funds from sponsors for the police -- for the annual Police Recognition Ceremony and the luncheon to be held in May 2015. Is there a motion to approve the Superintendent's request, conditional upon an accounting of all funds received and expended being provided to the Police Board following the conclusion of this event?

MR. CONLON: So moved.

MS. FRY: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(CHORUS OF AYES.)

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Copies of orders issued by the Superintendent from the previous month are listed in the blue books and will also be available on the Police Board's website.
Next item is the Superintendent's report to the Board. Is there a motion to waive the oral presentation and to receive the report in writing?

MR. FOREMAN: So moved.

MR. CONLON: Second.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Motion passes.

I'll call on those members of the public who signed up to speak in advance. When your name is called, please step up to the microphone. We ask that you limit your comments to two minutes. Andrew Willoughby.

MR. WILLOUGHBY: Thank you. Thanks for allowing me the opportunity to speak today. My statement is brief. It is just a single-page long.

Members of the Board, I am here to present unacceptable actions by the police that resulted in the violation of the First Amendment and CPD policy. On Friday, December 5th, the media reported that a small group of protestors were obstructed by police determined to stop marchers from proceeding north and crossing the Chicago River into River North.
Protestors referenced Vodak V City of Chicago which allows for permit and notice exemptions and presented fliers to officers.

Rightful attempts to further proceed remained opposition and arrest. It was clear the police were purposely preventing the group from accessing specific areas, as we continued to face blockades in opposition at several points along the route.

Requests for explanations and attempts to speak with supervising officers were made. Not a single officer, sergeant or commander was able to articulate which areas were forbidden or for what reason, nor were they able to cite any law that supported the blockades.

According to the City's website and CPD policy, if a member of the public is dissatisfied with the service he or she received, they may register with any CPD supervisor at any district station.

Supervisors are required to register the complaint and submit a written
memorandum of all their information to IPRA.

In chanting to the nearest police station to file complaints, one officer said directly to me, "I'll make you a deal. If I file your paper and promise you won't shoot anyone tonight, will you promise to go away."

This was the general attitude of Commander Nagode, Sergeant Glenn and officers of the first, seventh and eighth district who commented that our protest was welcomed because it contributed to their overtime pay.

Upon reaching the station, citizens were obstructed with the police blockade. The group requested for a single individual, even under escort, to be allowed to enter inside to file a complaint. The request was repeatedly ignored and denied. Requests to speak with officers' supervisors were met with I don't know who they are, or I don't know where they, look over there, or we're not taking complaints, and lastly call 311. Not a single supervisor's name was given or any attempts made to present a means for citizens to file a complaint.
It is worth noting that CPD's own website actually has an incorrect number and location for IPRA. And as of this moment the City's online complaint form is down. It is clear that the complaints are not taken seriously.

In summary, police created blockades to prevent a legal demonstration from taking place with no ability to justify their action other than because I said so.

As a result, the officers made unlawful arrests of citizens. And furthermore, officers failed to accept or report citizen complaints despite many requests to do so.

In addition to the We Charge Genocide allegations, the recent Steamer (phonetic) lawsuit and the shooting of Naquon McDonald (phonetic), it appears that there is a systematic pattern of issues with police personnel that needs to be seriously addressed.

Please hold Commander Nagode, Sergeant Glenn and the officers who were complicit in the December 5th interaction accountable under the law which I believe they
and others like them aren't fit to uphold.

Thank you.


MR. MORE: It is December 12th, 2014. I never will get through what I got here. I did come to the November meeting. I got here after the meeting already started.

This is the component of the Rothschild Lucifer enslavement and extermination apparatus known as the Police Board for the City of Chicago.

I do acknowledge that there are certain members on this who have demonstrated a commitment to a comrade and general alliances, but this institute, City of Chicago Police Department, is simply an extension at this point of the Rothschild enslavement extermination apparatus.

And the objective why I keep coming to these meetings, I've got numerous lawsuits against the City of Chicago and trying to get indictments, and I will continue to do that, as long as I have to go through a common
law court evidently.

But we are very busy with Oath Keepers, Constitutional Sheriffs to just correct the problem, which is to kill The New World Order and drive Jewish supremacism, which is a de facto religion of the world at this juncture, off the face of this earth or enter into eternity dieing trying.

I'm sicked by what this man just said, but it's the ordinary customary activity of the deeply sinful, appalling, corruptive priorities of all these governmental institutions, which are just -- that should be obliterated from the face of the earth. It is not an antigovernment. It is antigovernment cannibalism.

Here's the point. Go to this website, http backslash dot whatever it is, users, 14 dot JAVRI.com slash dolphin, C-P-B-O-L-B-D-M-T-G 121114 -- 121114 HTML, that's the link in which I was trying to say if I had enough time today to get all these issues.

Where is McCarthy? First
question, where is the chief neo-Nazi McCarthy
the Superintendent? He wasn't here November.
Where is he today? What's the basis upon which
he is not present?

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Mr. More, we don't have
any personal accusations.

MR. MORE: What?

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Keep going. You are
crossing the boundary here.

MR. MORE: The public is entitled to every
man's evidence. The public is entitled. Why
is he not here again?

PRESIDENT CARNEY: Two minutes are up. All
those who signed up to speak in advance have
been recognized. Is there a motion to adjourn?

MR. CONCON: So moved.

PRESIDENT CARNEY: All in favor?

(chorus of AYES.)

(whereupon, the proceedings were
adjourned at 6:45 p.m.)
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COUNTY OF C O O K )

MAUREEN A. WOODMAN, C.S.R., being first duly sworn, says that she is a court reporter doing business in the City of Chicago; that she reported in shorthand the proceedings had at the hearing of said cause; that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of her shorthand notes, so taken as aforesaid, and contains all the proceedings of said hearing.

MAUREEN A. WOODMAN