



Hampton Police Division

Office of the Chief of Police

CITIZENS POLICE ADVISORY GROUP

December 4, 2025

SUBJECT: Citizens Police Advisory Group Meeting – 1800 hours
held at HPD's Townsend Community Rm, 5th Fl.

MEMBERS & HPD PERSONNEL PRESENT:

Chief Jimmie Wideman
SDCA Brandi Law
Steve Brown, Vice-Mayor
Dr. Ray DeWitt
Chris Grady
Bishop Gail House
Edward B. Keenan, Jr.

Scott Keller
Dr. Anthony Sandifer
Nakia Madry-Smith
Saadia White

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Kwasi Obeng, ACM
James Bailey
Anne Cherry
Linda Curtis
Stephen Deane
Michelle Griffin
Gabriella R. Hayes, Chairperson

Ronald Johnson
Benton Knight
Ronald R. Johnson
Patricia Lacy

OPENING:

- The board was informed that Ms. Gabriella Hayes, Chairperson, would not attend the meeting due to illness, and Mr. Ray DeWitt proceeded to chair the meeting.
- The motion to approve the minutes from the October 2, 2025, meetings was presented, seconded, and approved.

REPORTS:

- The motion to approve the minutes from the April 10th and June 5th, 2025 meetings was presented, seconded, and approved.

DISCUSSION:

Anthony Sandifer initiated the discussion regarding the status of the AXON contract, following the presentation and CPAG's interest in the Hampton Police Division

pursuing the premium contract platform. The members learned that the police were able to expand the contract to the premium platform with the CPAG, Vice Mayor, and City Manager's support.

Mrs. Law provided an update on the formulation of by-laws for CPAG and on aligning the structure with that of existing City of Hampton committees, when feasible. Vice Mayor Brown reminded the members that the scope and purpose of the committee must align with the purpose. A draft for consideration was provided to members for review and discussion at a follow-up meeting.

Mr. Ray DeWitt initiated a discussion to define the CPAG's role further. Mrs. Law presented and read the resolution, and Vice Mayor Brown further elaborated on the council's intent.

Chief Wideman extended an invitation to members to attend the bi-weekly recruiting or COMPSTAT meetings. Several members indicated an interest, provided they received notice and schedules permitted.

MEETING ADJOURNED:

- The meeting was adjourned at 1905 hours.

NEXT MEETING

- Next meeting: Thursday, February 5, 2026, 1800 hours (6:00pm)
 - Location: HPD Townsend Community Room, 5th Fl, 40 Lincoln Street.
- Meeting Topic: To be determined