AGENDA

Baltimore City Civilian Review Board **REGULAR MEETING**

June 22, 2022 Place: Enabled by Zoom 6:00-8:00 pm

- I. Welcome & call to order
- II. Review and approval of agenda
- III. Review and approval of minutes
 - March 2022
- IV. Director's Report
- V. New Complaints:
 - A. **CRB2022-0072**: Complaint alleges that on 3/10/21 officers raided his home, during which they did not find anything illegal and confiscated a large sum of money that they did not report. On 10/8/2021, officers again raided his apartment, did not find anything illegal and again confiscated a large amount of money, which they did not report on the inventory list. The Complainant was also charged with attempted murder, even though the evidence did not support the charges and the victim reported that it was someone else. The Complainant is currently charged with a shooting, but there is no evidence to support the charge.

VI. Completed Cases:

- A. **CRB2022-0014 PIB2022-0083**: Filed 1/18/2022 against an identified BPD officer for Harassment and Excessive Force. The complaint alleges that on 1/18/2022 he was driving his vehicle when he was almost sideswiped by a grey Ford F150. The Complainant yelled to the driver asking why he almost hit his car. The other driver gestured towards the Complainant, the Complainant returned the gesture and then the driver pulled up behind the Complainant. At that point, the Complainant exited his vehicle and he approached the driver's vehicle asking the driver "What's up? You have a problem with me? You almost hit me." The other driver responded by pulling a gun out and then showing the Complainant a BPD polo shirt and saying that he was a police officer. The subject officer was also verbally abusive throughout the encounter.
- B. **CRB2022-0002**: Filed 12/30/2021 for Excessive Force against an identified BPD officer. On or about 3/23/2021, the Complainant was arrested by the BPD, during which he was injured. The Complainant was laying on the floor when the officers entered the home and arrested him. They grabbed and picked him up, instead of asking him to stand up on his own. The Complainant suffers from sciatica which was exacerbated during the arrest because the officers aggressively grabbed him which injured his left leg even though he notified the officers about his injury. During the arrest, his personal property was confiscated and he has tried to contact the detective who investigated the case to get the property returned, but he has not been successful. The Complainant believes the investigating detective is biased against Black people.

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- C. CRB2021-0190/PIB 2021-1543: Filed 11/28/2021 for Excessive Force, Abusive Language and Harassment against three identified BPD officers. On 11/10/2021, the Complainant was involved in a car accident and when BPD officers arrived to the scene, one of the subject officers used inappropriate communication with the Complainant while the Complainant was fully compliant with the officers. The Complainant was taken to the hospital to be treated for injuries. After the accident, the Complainant's car was towed and the tow truck driver called the officers to notify them that a firearm was found in the car. Upon her release from the hospital, the Complainant was grabbed by three officers who intended to arrest her for the firearm. The Complainant notified the officers that she is an abuse survivor and requested that she not be touched. The officers grabbed and touched her anyway. For instance, the Complainant alleged that one of the officers placed his penis on her and would not remove himself from her even after she repeatedly told him that she was sexually molested. The BWC shows the Complainant repeatedly telling one of the officers, "Get your dick off of me!" To which the officer replied, "Ok, get in the [police] car and I will." The officer also touched her shoulder in an area that was close to her breasts. The BWC appears to show that the Complainant was triggered by the only female officer at the scene, who stood by and watched the officer touch the Complainant inappropriately during the arrest. Several times the Complainant asked for the other two male officers to intervene, but they stood by and allowed it to continue. The Complainant repeatedly asked the officers not to touch her and to call her mother because she was scared. The officers refused to call her mother at that time. The situation escalated and the Complainant began showing symptoms of a mental health crisis, which were not taken into account by the officers. Further, she was arrested in a manner that did not consider the injuries from the car accident. Finally, the officers would not tell her why she was being arrested.
- D. **CRB2021-0184/PIB 2021-1536**: Complaint filed 11/12/2021 for Harassment against two identified BPD officers. The compliant alleges that on 11/4/2021 the Complainant was driving on Wilkins Ave. when she saw a group of people in the street. She wasn't sure what the group of people were doing in the middle of the street. A man jumped on her car and yelled for her to call the police, but others in the group yelled for her to not call the police. The Complainant pulled over to the side of the road and called the police. When officers arrived to the scene, the Complainant only spoke to them briefly before the left. She was visibly shaken by the incident. She is filing a complaint for harassment and incompetency of the police officers.

VIII. Public Comment

IX. Old Business

Baltimore City PAB legislation – update

X. New Business

• CRB2021-0158 – Complainant appealed CRB's decision

XI. Adjournment