

REPORT TO THE CITY COUNCIL FROM
PUBLIC SAFETY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
June 21, 2018

A regular meeting of the committee was convened at 1:34 pm on this date.

Members Present: Steve Fletcher (Vice-Chair), Phillipe Cunningham, Jeremiah Ellison, Andrea Jenkins, and Linea Palmisano (Quorum - 4)

Members Absent: Alondra Cano (Chair)

Matters listed below are hereby submitted with the following recommendations; to-wit:

1. Contract amendment with Patricia Hellen for continued special event planning ([2018-00674](#))

Authorizing an increase to Contract No. C-41254 with Patricia Hellen in the amount of \$65,000, for a total amount not to exceed \$195,000, and extending the contract through April 30, 2019, for continued special event planning with the Minneapolis Police Department (MPD).

Fletcher moved to approve and refer to WM meeting of Jun 26, 2018. On voice vote, the motion passed.

2. Grant Application for the US Department of Justice - Office of Justice Programs 2018 Body-Worn Cameras Grant ([2018-00679](#))

Approving the May 31, 2018, application to the US Department of Justice - Office of Justice Programs 2018 Body-Worn Cameras grant program, in the amount of \$600,000, for additional body-worn cameras to equip all sworn personnel.

Fletcher moved to approve and refer to WM meeting of Jun 26, 2018. On voice vote, the motion passed.

3. Contract amendment with Minnesota Homeland Security and Emergency Management for Bomb Disposal Unit ([2018-00680](#))

Authorizing an increase to Contract No. C-40510 with the Minnesota Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management in the amount of \$75,000, for a total amount not to exceed \$164,500, and extending the contract through June 30, 2020, for additional costs related to outstate bomb disposal services by the Minneapolis Police Bomb Disposal Unit.

Fletcher moved to approve and refer to WM meeting of Jun 26, 2018. On voice vote, the motion passed.

4. Co-Responder Pilot Project Report ([2018-00681](#))

Receiving and filing a report about the Minneapolis Police Department's (MPD's) Co-Responder Program to discuss the purpose, resources, and goals for expanding the program.

Report given by First Precinct Inspector Kathy Waite.

Fletcher moved to receive and file. On voice vote, the motion passed.

5. Status report on Ketamine use ([2018-00754](#))

Receiving and filing a status report on the response by the Minneapolis Police Department (MPD) to the draft report on use of ketamine prepared by the Office of Police Conduct Review (OPCR).

Fletcher moved to allow a public comment period of up to 30 minutes. On a voice vote, the motion passed.

Fletcher opened the public comment period.

The following persons spoke:

1. Michelle Gross, 4200 Cedar Ave, Minneapolis
2. Dave Bicking, 4200 Cedar Ave, Minneapolis
3. Tamara Russell, 4200 Cedar Ave, Minneapolis
4. Loretta VanPelt, Minneapolis
5. Keith McCarron, 4321 1st N, Minneapolis
6. Kathy Czech, 1313 44th Ave #204, Minneapolis
7. Minister Toya Woodland, 9143 Olson Memorial Highway, Minneapolis
8. Marice Floyd, Minneapolis
9. Curtis Avent, 530 Jenks, Minneapolis
10. Maddie Harrison, 3201 32nd Ave, Minneapolis

Council Member Cunningham moved for additional time when the 30 minutes expired. On a voice vote, the motion passed.

The following persons spoke:

11. Mollie Wetherall, 1823 13th Ave S, Minneapolis
12. Nekima Levy-Pounds, Minneapolis
13. Linda Ji, 10530 Pinnacle Way, Woodbury
14. Jeff Lakala, St. Paul

Fletcher closed the public comment period.

Report given by Velma Korbelt, Director of Civil Rights, and Deputy Chief Halvorson, Minneapolis Police Department. Deputy Chief Halvorson also read a statement from Chief Medaria Arradondo, available in the attachments section of File No. ([2018-00754](#)).

Fletcher moved to receive and file. On voice vote, the motion passed.

With no further business to transact, the meeting adjourned at 3:38 pm.

Reported by Kelly Geistler, Council Committee Coordinator