



Board of Police Commissioners

Accountability through Civilian Oversight

Board of Police Commissioners Public Comments during January 20, 2022 Meeting

Twelve members of the public spoke during the public comments portion of the meeting. See transcript of the meeting posted on the Board's website, for a complete report of each speaker's remarks.

The Board of Police determined that the remarks made by the other speakers did not require a response in addition to that provided in the meeting.

Thursday January 20, 2022 Meeting - Public Comments

Former Police Commissioner William M. Davis discussed last week meeting was inaudible, Sub-Committees should be posted.

Both Media Services and BOPC Staff resolved this issue.

Lieutenant Mark Young discussed challenges officers' face such as COVID, safety, welfare and emotional status. Discussed several recent police incidents.

No response was needed.

Ms. Bernice Smith expressed congratulations to Commander Blackwell; Chief White and DPD are doing a good job. Police need more money.

No response was needed.

Minster Eric Blount discussed Police Budget and corruption.

No response was needed.

Chief Ricky Brown acknowledge retiring Commander Kyra Hope for her dedication, service and congratulations on appointment.

No response was needed.

Ms. Sharon Pannell congratulations to Commander Kyra Hope. 2nd Precinct needs help concerning stolen cars; there may be a chop shop operation.

No response was needed.

Mr. Lavish T. Williams addressed questions to Commissioner Bernard regarding campaign donation and news interview.

Commissioner Bernard stated she would reply in writing.

Ms. Joy expressed thanks for the work of Detroit Police Department.

No response was needed.

Abuse Resident I am not anti-police, I have been falsely arrested, abused at the Detention Center.

The caller information was given to the police department.

Ms. Brenda Butler requested follow-up from DPD.

Chief of Police asked that Ms. Butler speak to a member of his staff.