



MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Police Commissioners
FROM: Linda Bernard, Esq., Chairperson Policy Committee
DATE: April 1, 2025
RE: Policy Committee Meeting Memo

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Board of Police Commissioners Policy Committee, please see the key updates from the committee meeting held on April 1, 2025:

Board Attendees: Committee Chairperson Linda Bernard and Commissioner Eva Dewaelsche

Community/Committee Attendees: Drew Fries – BOPC Fiscal Manager, Felecia Tyson – BOPC Executive Policy Manager, Deputy Chief Michael Parrish – DPD Professional Development Division, Lieutenant Michelle Averill – DPD Planning, Research, and Deployment, Victoria Camille – Coalition For Police Transparency and Accountability, Molly Moening – Wayne State Law School

Action Item: The BOPC Committee, through Chairperson Linda Bernard, moved and approved three proposed policy directives for a vote at the next full BOPC Board meeting. Minor revisions were discussed and agreed upon by all parties for the following three directives:

- **Directive 102.12: Duty to Intervene**
 - Section 102.12-3.1 (Intervene) was revised to include "or personal harm to any individual."
- **Directive 201.2: Patrol Related Reports**
 - Section 201.2-4.1, number 3 (Arrest Report), was revised to add "applies."
 - Section 201.2-4.3, number 2 (Other Arrests), was revised to add "any."
- **Directive 401.1: Performance Evaluation Rating**
 - Section 401.1-3.4 (Civil Rights Integrity) was revised to include "and sustained citizen complaint records."
- **Safe Surrender Policy:** Discussions regarding the Safe Surrender Policy were postponed until the next meeting on April 15, 2025.

The next Policy Committee meeting is scheduled for April 15, 2025 at 5pm.

Sincerely,

Atty. Linda D. Bernard, J.D.L.L.M,
Commissioner, District 2
Chairperson, BOPC Policy Committee