



MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Police Commissioners
FROM: Linda Bernard, Esq., Chairperson Policy Committee
DATE: September 16, 2025
RE: Policy Committee Meeting Memo

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Board of Police Commissioners Policy (BOPC) Committee, please find the key updates from the committee meeting held on September 16, 2025:

Board Attendees: Committee Chairperson Linda Bernard, BOPC Chairperson Eva Dewaelsche

Community/Committee Attendees: Lydia Garnier – BOPC Secretary, Felecia Tyson – BOPC Executive Policy Manager, Deputy Chief Michael Parrish, Lieutenant Michelle Averill, Sergeant Antonio Walker, Angie Sierra, and Arnie Corlin

Action Items: The Policy Committee, led by Chairperson Linda Bernard, moved and approved the following to be presented before the full Board for a vote on Thursday, September 18, 2025

- **201.5** – Responding to Mental Health Crises
- **203.7** – Vice and Narcotics
- **203.10** – Child Abuse and Safe Delivery of Newborns
- **Purchase Card** – reviewed and discussed; commissioners found no changes needed to the existing City policy
- **45-Day Extension** – Granted for the following directives:
 - **201.11** – Use of Force/Detainee Injury Reporting/Investigation
 - **305.4** – Transportation of Detainees

The next Policy Committee meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, September 23, 2025 at 5:00 pm.**