

Community Board 12 - Public Safety Committee Minutes
February 5, 2020
7-9pm

Chair: Curtis D. Young

Committee Members Present

Danielle Jetto, Asst. Chair
Gabrielle Estrella
Yosef Kalinsky
Rud Morales

Committee Members Absent

Francisco Alvarez
Nobles Crawford (Excused)
Katherine Diaz
Ashley Fernandez (Excused)

Board Members Present

Public Member Present

Graham Ciarulo

Public Member Absent

Called to Order : 7:05 pm

I. Welcome and Introductions

II. Crime Stats, Fire Incidents, and Emergency Services Reports and Law Enforcement Initiatives

A. 33rd Precinct Presented by CO Bello

- Over the weekend, officers from the 33rd took to a confirmed shot fired call on 164th and Broadway. CO Bello stated that it could have been an accidental discharge. There wasn't blood and the video has yet to be obtainedA few hours later there was a walk-in at Harlem Hospital (male shot). Unclear is there a correlation as of now. It's currently being considered as a self-inflicted gunshot wound.
- Like most precincts the 33rd continues to experience a spike in burglaries. Currently the precinct is up one for the year (compared to this time last year).
- The 33rd is also spiking in felony assaults. They have arrested an individual who committed multiple stabbings (177th, 176th and stabbing in 2019 on 169th and Audubon). He was apprehended.
- In terms of burglaries: They have established several patterns and are identifying repeat offenders. One individual apprehended on 2/4 had 19 was in the 34th. CO Bello: *"Due Criminal Justice Reform (CJR) he was charged with 9. He was ROI and returned to the community and did 4 additional and came back out and finished out the rest."*
- Residential Burglaries: 20-25% were committed by the same 6 individuals.
- Explained UCR Rapes and how they are tracked by the precincts. (Question based on the CompStat 2.0 report).

B. 34th Precinct

- Spike in robberies and burglaries. Many are packages, storage units. Recommend that residents speak to the supers about protecting packages.
- Shooting: La Floridita - 28-year male shot and the case remains under investigation and they identified the shooter. They have one suspect now. Ongoing Case.
- Q: What to do to protect packages? - (CO Bello) *"Request signature confirmation. Package thefts tend to become burglaries once a video is pulled and it*

determined the person doesn't live in the building. Offered advice to supers to have a storage area with keys but we've had situations where that room also was being burglarized." They've identified the buildings that have been hit the most and have worked with them to have a concierge box but that has only been adopted in 1 building (where the main office is in that case).

- Suggestion: Amazon now has lockers and FedEx where packages can be delivered.
- CO Bellow: *"We can't force the super, but we can make suggestions to them."*

C. Manhattan District Attorney's Office Update Presented by ELY Slyvestre

- Accepting applications for their internship program or summer 2020. Applications shared with the office for eblast.
- Accepting applications for the Gun Violence Fellowship Program for summer 2020. Applications shared with the office for eblast.

D. FDNY: Not present

E. Transit District 3: Not Present

IV. New Business

Bail Reform Public Meeting

- Committee agreed to have the Bail Reform Public Meeting on March 4, 2020. Our regularly scheduled PS Committee meeting will be condensed from 6:30 - 7:00 pm. The Bail Reform meeting will occur at 7pm.

Meeting ended at 8:03pm