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Public Safety Committee Meeting
October 21, 2020
Zoom

MINUTES

PRESENT: Yahay, Chair; Veronica Castro, Co-chair; Tasneem Aljayyousi; and Eliezer Rodriguez

ABSENT: Maleny Lahoz; and Joseph Schaenzler

GUESTS: Paula Creary; Kenneth Gelnick; Naomi Pemberton; Sandra Unger; Sgt. Salce-Aleman, NYPD; Tonya Brooks; Robert Press; and Vanessa Ruiz

The meeting started with a summary of the crime stats from NCO Sargent Salce-Aleman. He stated that crime overall is up 5% in the 49th precinct. He said that noise complaints lead the quality of life issues. He briefed about the new YCO program.

Motion by Yahay Obeid, second by Veronica Castro to approve last month's committee minutes.

UNANIMOUSLY PASSED.

Bob Press mentioned that the he has been trying to reach the precinct but he no one is picking up. The Sargent said he will look into it. A couple of members of the public mentioned issues but they were all in the 47th precinct jurisdiction.

A community member mentioned the smell of Marijuana near his house. The Sargent stated that they can only issue summons, can no longer make arrests for it.

Yahay Obeid advised everyone about an NYPD Bronx webinar that was taking place on Wednesday at 7pm. Yahay also briefed about the NYPD survey that was available to get the community's input on police reform.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m..