

SECURITY & ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE

Meeting Notes
Monday, 18 July 2022
2:00 pm

*Bienville House, Vieux Carré Room
320 Decatur Street
New Orleans, LA 70130*

1. Call to Order, Reading of the Agenda, and Roll Call
The meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm and the agenda was read into the record.

ROLL CALL:

COMMITTEE MEMBERS				VOTES
First Name	Last Name	Present	Absent	Approve mtg notes
Ann	Kesler		X	-
Frances	Hegenberger	X		Yes
Gail	Cavett		X	-
Glade	Bilby	X		Yes
Jane	Cooper	X		Yes
Matthew	Emory		X	-
Steve	Caputo	X		Yes
Joshua	Grippio	X		Yes

INTRODUCTION OF ATTENDEES:

GUESTS		
First	Last	Role
Karley	Frankic	Executive Director
Shannon	Muschalek	Coordinator
Matthew	Pincus	Public Safety Services Corp
Eric	Smith	CNO, CAO
Jessica	Dietz	Resident, Business Owner
Bob	Simms	Commissioner
Ethan	Ellistad	

2. Public Comment:
No public comment was received by the beginning of the meeting.
3. Approval of previous meeting notes

Mr. Caputo made a motion to approve the previous meeting note. Mr. Bilby seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.

4. Committee Chair’s Comments

a. Coordination with the Downtown Development District

- i. Public safety - The set monthly meetings with the Downtown Development District (DDD) and their new Executive Director, Davon Barbour, have produced strong collaboration for the 100 blocks of the Canal Street and Iberville Street corridor.
- ii. Sanitation - The DDD requested to join the quarterly sanitation meetings with FQMD and KBS.
- iii. Homelessness Study - The DDD agreed to send FQMD some metrics on the Travelers Aid Society of Greater New Orleans program they are currently running.
- iv. Code Enforcement - The DDD is working with the City to create a CEA for code enforcement.

5. Presentation – Presentation of Eighth District Crime Statistics and the Supplemental Police Patrol Program. To Present: Sgt. Marc Boudreau

NOPD was not present; Ms. Frankic presented SPPP statistics. See attached report.

6. Presentation – Presentation on the monthly report of the Upper Quarter Patrol. To present: Matthew Pincus

Mr. Pincus presented the UQP statistics for the month of June. See report below. At the request of New Orleans and Company, Mr. Pincus will encourage deputies to fill late night/early morning shifts from 8:00pm-3:00am.

Key Performance Indicators	3/8-3/19	3/20-4/2	4/3-4/30	5/1-5/31	6/1-6/30	Year to Date
Business Checks	249	1,370	1,910	2,063	1407	6,999
Citizen Contacts	158	913	873	897	819	3,660
NOPD Assists	2	23	39	42	27	133
Subjects Moved	15	297	412	452	471	1,647
Medical (EMS Notified Rendered Aid)	2	5	5	9	11	32

7. Presentation – Presentation on City Safety Coordination. To present: Eric Smith, City CAO Analyst

- a. Mr. Smith was not present during this portion of the meeting; Ms. Frankic gave the following update:

- i. French Quarter Improvement Funds (FQIF) - As of July 18th, 2022, the City is in the process of procuring two Ford Escape cruisers with FQIF.
 - ii. French Quarter Management District - The Agreement Monitors in the previous meeting agreed to go ahead with the procurement of one Polaris for NOPD with FQEDD funding.
 - iii. The application request for proposals for the Supplemental Police Patrol Program has not yet been released for bids.
8. Presentation – Presentation on the French Quarter Economic Development District July Agreement Monitors Meeting. To present: Jane Cooper
 - a. Mr. Smith attended a directors meeting on Monday, July 11th, 2022 with the Department of Public Works (DPW). DPW provided the full sign survey and sign assessment that occurred after Hurricane Ida. They are working on revising the survey to have street addresses listed instead of GPS coordinates. Mr. Smith expects the revision to be complete by the end of the week. This survey provides information on what signage is already in place and what signage is missing or in need of replacement. Mr. Smith will update FQMD on a timeline of completion when he receives that information.
 - b. Discussion - Mr. Bilby suggested that “Historic District” be added to speed limit signs in the French Quarter to emphasize the importance of speeding ordinances. He also suggested that speed limit signs be placed in positions that are easier to read and are free from obstruction.
9. Discussion – Discussion by Committee on the French Quarter Economic Development District Fiscal Year 2022 Mid-Year Budget Adjustment
 - a. The FY2022 Mid-Year Budget Adjustment has been approved by the FQMD Board of Commissioners. This adjustment includes about \$1M in “Force Multipliers” such as crime cameras, speeding radar, officer training, case management services, vehicles, license plate readers, mobile lights, and street lights in support of NOPD enforcement.
 - b. FQMD will present these figures in the FY2022 FQEDD Mid-Year Budget Adjustment to the City Council on July 21st, 2022.
10. Discussion – Discussion by Committee on the performance of and consideration of the continuation of the Upper Quarter Patrol
 - a. Contract for the UQP- New Orleans and Company signed an amendment to continue funding the UQP contract for the next six months. This would carry the UQP contract through the 2022 calendar year. All of the Committee members agreed that the UQP should continue and commends its deputies on all the positive feedback they have received from the community.
11. New Business– To consider and take action upon any other matters that may properly come before the French Quarter Management District Security and Enforcement Committee

No new business was discussed.
12. Next meeting date: 15 August 2022
13. Adjournment

Ms. Hegenberger made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Bilby seconded the motion, and the meeting was adjourned at 3:10 pm.