

**Citizens' Police Complaint Board  
Meeting Minutes**

February 12, 2024

6:00 p.m.

Meeting Held in Room 260  
Of the City-County Building

**Members Present:**

Patrice Abdullah  
Kortney-Lauren Bond  
Ranissa Dycus  
Brett Thomas  
Kelly Doucet  
Craig Cordi

**Members Absent:**

Kenneth Riggins  
Evan Shearin

**Ex-Officio Members Present:**

Ofc. David Bolling

**Ex-Officio Members Absent:**

Sgt. Javed Richards  
Sgt. Scott Carpenter

**Corporation Counsel:**

Ethan Hudson, Assistant Corporation Counsel

**CPCO Staff Present:**

Richard Okello, Executive Director  
TaDonjá Coffey, Investigator

**IMPD Personnel Present:**

**IMPD Personnel Absent:**

Assistant Chief Catherine Cummings  
Captain Jim Roehrig  
Sgt. Sara Lamkin

**Others Present:**

Kennedy Buyer, Mirror Indy  
Breone L. Dupree, Mirror Indy

**Proceedings:** A quorum of six members being present, Vice President Cordi called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

**Office Report:** Director Okello started with an update on the number of complaint forms received in January. Next, he introduced recent board appointees: Ranissa Dycus, Kortney-Lauren Bond, and Brett Thomas. He then informed the board of Assistant Chief Christopher Bailey's appointment by Mayor Hogsett to Chief of Police and Deputy Chief Catherine Cummings' promotion to Assistant Chief. Director Okello also shared that the CPCO staff attended the graduation ceremony of IMPD's 27th Recruit Class on February 2, 2024, commending Officer Bolling, and the staff at the academy on a job well done. He

then reported that Andy Shank had departed the board to pursue other opportunities. Lastly, Director Okello encouraged the board members to suggest topics they're interested in learning about for the upcoming Civilian Board trainings that IMPD will hold in the spring and fall.

**Approval of the Minutes:** Mr. Abdullah moved to approve the January 2024 minutes. Ms. Doucet seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved (6-0).

**Training:** Master Patrol Officer Bolling conducted an hour-long training on Traffic Stops and Body-Worn Cameras.

**Announcements:** Director Okello informed board members about the 8-hour ICAT training on decision-making, suicide by cop, and communication techniques scheduled for Wednesday, February 14, 2024, at the IMPD Training Academy.

**Adjournment:** Vice President Cordi adjourned the meeting at 7:17 p.m.