



## Community Relations Board

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### Community Relations Board General Meeting

Thursday, July 9, 2009

3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Conference Room  
5:30pm – 7:00pm

### FINAL Minutes

#### I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:38pm by Mr. Gerike.

#### II. Roll Call

*Members Present:* Nicholas Boyd, Kevin Ford, John Garry, Steven Gerike, Brent Hepp, Jessica Hermann-Wilmarth

*Members Not Present:* Bre Austin (unexcused), Orman Gordon (unexcused)

*Others Present:* Alfrelynn Roberts (City Liaison)

#### III. Public Comment

No Discussion

#### IV. Approval of Agenda – July 9, 2009

Approved without amendment

#### V. Approval of Minutes – March 12, 2009 & April 9, 2009

Approved without amendment

#### Approval of Meeting Notes - May 14, 2009

Approved without amendment

#### VI. Discussion of Agenda Items

##### A. History of CRB

- Group reviewed history provided by the City's Records Department

##### B. Who are we; Where are we going – 2009 Planning

- Discussed options for 2009 including Chief's Advisory Board. However, members expressed disbelief in Chief's intentions to actually utilize the group's expertise and services. Group continued to discuss their role in the community and expressed desire to meet with City Commissioners in hopes that they will either define goals for CRB or relieve them of their services. Group will write a letter to the Commissioners requesting a meeting that will include bios from each member detailing their expertise and ties to the community. Group believes a decision can be made by October

#### VII. On-Going Issues

No Discussion

#### VIII. Community Involvement

No Discussion

#### IX. Other Business/Announcements

Mr. Boyd's address change – 1129 Berkshire Drive (49006)

#### X. Adjournment

Chair Gerike adjourned the meeting at 6:42pm.

#### NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

DATE: Thursday, August 13, 2009 · LOCATION: Community Room (Room 202) – City Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor · TIME: 5:30pm – 7pm