# Police Civilian Review Panel

## Subcommittee Meeting Agenda

Location: Room 7, 12000 Government Center Parkway Fairfax, VA 22035

Date: November 1, 2023

Time: 7:00 pm

### Agenda details:

I. Call to Order

II. Agenda Items

a. Initial Review of CRP-22-15

III. Adjournment

## Fairfax County Police Civilian Review Panel Subcommittee Initial Review Report

### Request for Review - Basic Information

**CRP Complaint Number:** CRP-22-15

**Subcommittee Meeting Date:** November 1, 2023

#### **Subcommittee Members:**

- Todd Cranford, Subcommittee Chair (Panel Chair)
- Bryon Garner, Subcommittee Member
- William Ware, Subcommittee Member

**Complaint Submission Date:** Review Request received on 9/19/2022. Other Key Dates: Complaint to FCPD: 3/31/2022; FCPD Disposition letter: 8/16/2022

This report is subject to Federal and Virginia Freedom of Information Acts. Panel members will maintain to the greatest extent possible under the law and in accordance with the Bylaws all sensitive and confidential information not intended for a public release.

#### **Purpose**

The Subcommittee Initial Review Report sets forth the Subcommittee's recommendation on whether the Complainant's allegation(s) meet the standard for review provided in the Panel's Bylaws. The Panel may accept or not accept the Subcommittee's recommendation on whether to review a complaint.

#### **Findings**

The Panel's review authority states in Article VI (A)(1) of its Bylaws: "The Panel shall review Investigations to ensure their thoroughness, completeness, accuracy, objectivity and impartiality where (1) the subject matter of an Investigation is an allegation of 'abuse of authority' or 'serious misconduct' by a FCPD officer, and (2) a Review Request is filed."

The subject matter of this investigation concerns allegations by the Complainant that a Fairfax County Police Department (FCPD) officer had been combative, unprofessional, and untruthful when producing paperwork associated with the incident.

The Subcommittee finds that the subject matter of the investigation, as stated in the allegations, meets/does not meet the threshold requirement for "abuse of authority" and "serious misconduct."

#### Recommendation

The Subcommittee recommends that the Panel undertake/not undertake a review of CRP-23-08 because the complaint meets/does not meet the scope of review criteria set forth in its Bylaws.

Panel Bylaws Abuse of Authority and Serious Misconduct Checklist		
Criteria Met?	Abuse of Authority and/or Serious Misconduct	Complainant Details*
	Use of abusive racial, ethnic or sexual	
	language or gestures.	
	Harassment or discrimination based	
	on race, color, sexual orientation,	
	gender, religion, national origin,	
	marital status, age, familial status,	
	immigration status or disability.	
	Acting in a rude, careless, angry,	
	retaliatory or threatening manner not	
	necessary for self-defense.	
	Reckless endangerment of detainee	
	or person in custody.	
	Violation of laws or ordinances.	
	Other serious violations of Fairfax	
	County or FCPD policies or	
	procedures, including the FCPD Canon	
	of Ethics, that occur both on or off	
	duty.	

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