

Criminal Justice Advisory Committee Thursday, May 20, 2021

2:30 – 4 p.m. Via Zoom

Meeting Minutes

Faculty Lead Present: Linda Forst

<u>Advisors Present</u>: Chief Al Compaan, Chief *Carol Cummings, Rex Caldwell, Coordinator Tiffany Krusey, Chief Mike Harden, Chief Ken Seuberlich, Glen Koen, Major Michelle Bennett, Manager Elizabeth Tissell

<u>Staff Present</u>: Linda Forst, Lisa Smith, Brigid Nulty, Anura Shah, Chief Jim Lawless *(Doug Jeske couldn't make it)

Welcome, Introductions, Agenda updates:

• Agenda approved

Approval of the February 2021 Meeting Minutes:

• Minutes approved

College updates:

- President retiring
- Dean Wright leaving

Enrollment Updates:

Program update- intro full waitlist; others decent but as typical for more advanced

CJAC update:

- Full classes with waitlist
- Brainstorming on CJAC
- Network with departments to put as a desired qualification on PST.com
- Tuition reimbursement
- Points for hiring

- Testimonials from departments/attendees
- Network with recruiters with departments and explain the program and what it is
- Elizabeth Tiswell indicated it would be something they would hire for in DVS. They have done away with some of the formal requirements and are looking for soft skills/human relations/emotional intelligence etc.

1. General Ed Outcomes for Pathways: desirable traits outside technical skills:

- Problem-solving
- Interpersonal skills
- Communication skills
- Emotional intelligence (empathy, etc.)
- Self-regulation anger management
- Adaptability
- Resilience
- Ethics
- Officer Wellness to be at their best emotionally and physically
- Active listening skills
- Being able to pivot- try a new approach
- Knowing boundaries
- Know what "public trust" means and how to earn it. Earn it every day with every action and interaction that every individual officer does
- 2. Specific examples of when they don't live up to these expectations:
 - None needed/none given
 - The overwhelming response was watching the news/reading the headlines. When things don't go right in LE that is where it ends up.

Other discussion: Incorporating Blue Courage and some new CJTC online programs into our CJ program – internship? Another class? Food for thought – not available yet.

Next meeting is Wednesday Nov 10, 2:30 - 4 p.m. (A deviation due to WASPC and Veterans Day)

Adjourn