CIVILIAN POLICE REVIEW BOARD DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA MONDAY, JUNE 21, 2021 5:00 p.m.

The Civilian Police Review Board held a special meeting virtually on the above date with the following members present: Chair DeWarren Langley and Vice Chair Cassandra Johnson and Board Members: Kelli Dugan, Myra Griffin, Kendra Pressley, Donald Salmon, Jr., David Smith and Jeffrey Thomas. Absent: None.

City Staff Present: Assistant to the City Manager Karmisha Wallace, Assistant City Attorney Anna Davis and Assistant City Clerk Tonette Amos (Secretary to the Board).

Chair Langley called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

The Secretary to the Board performed roll call.

## **Subject: Action on Agenda**

The agenda was adopted as printed. (Thomas/Smith at 5:04 p.m. 8/0)

## Subject: Action on Minutes – May 26, 2021

The May 26, 2021 special meeting minutes were approved as printed. (Smith/Salmon at 5:05 p.m. 8/0)

## <u>Subject: Closed Session – Continuation of Discussion of Determinations and Recommendations on Hearing Findings – Ashley Harris</u>

Motion by Board Member Thomas, seconded by Board Member Pressley, to adjourn into Closed Session to continue the discussion of determinations and recommendations on Hearing Findings for Ashley Harris complaint was approved at 5:06 p.m. (8/0)

The Board returned to open session at 6:43p.m.

## Subject: Announcement of Board's Findings and Recommendations regarding the Ashley Harris Hearing

Chair Langley announced in public session that the Civilian Police Review Board found that the Police Department was deficient in their investigation because of an abuse of its discretion; and also found that the findings of the investigation were deficient because of an abuse of discretion. He stated that the Board has developed recommendations based on the testimony and evidence presented during the Ashley Harris Hearing held on June 16, 2021, and will forward those recommendations to City Manager Page no later than Friday, June 25, 2021.

With no further business to discuss, the Board adjourned at 6:43 p.m. (Thomas/Salmon 8/0)

Respectfully submitted,

Tonette Amos Secretary to the Board Office of the City Clerk