

Advisory Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training
K. O. Rayburn Training Center, 2401 Egypt Road, Ada, Oklahoma 74820
REGULAR MEETING
January 9, 2019
MINUTES

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Undersheriff Blake Green, Vice-Chair, Cleveland Co.
Chief Brandon Berryhill, Broken Arrow P.D.
Inspector General Johnny Blevins, D.O.C
Chief Kendra Brown, SWOSU
Chief David Houser, Durant P.D.
Chief JR Kidney, Tecumseh P.D.
Major Don Martin, OKD P.D.
Asst. Chief Kennie Shirey, Elk City P.D. (arrived 10:15 a.m.)
Asst. Chief Josh VanDeburgh, Weatherford P.D.

STAFF PRESENT:

Jesus E. Campa, Executive Director
Charles Gerhart, Asst. Director.
Gerald Konkler, General Counsel
Shannon Butler, Operations Manager
Shelly Lowrance, Recording Secretary
Julie Moore

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Chief Danny Ford, Chairman, Duncan P.D.
Sheriff Jerry Niles, Garfield County S.O.
Sheriff Reuben Parker, Beaver County S.O.
Major Ryan Perkins, Tulsa P.D
Special Agent Kurt Stoner, F.B.I
Major Brent Sugg, Oklahoma Hwy
Patrol Agent Jason Tucker, O.B.N.D.D.

GUESTS:

Captain Jay Clary

1. Call Meeting to Order

Vice-Chairman Undersheriff Blake Green called the meeting to order at 10:15 a.m.

2. Open Meeting Act Compliance

Vice-Chairman, Undersheriff Blake Green verified that this meeting is being held in compliance with the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act. Notice was given to the Secretary of State on October 31, 2018, and the agenda posted July 7, 2019.

3. CLEET New Executive Director

Information: Director “Eddie” Campa gave a brief introduction of himself. He came from El Paso, Texas and retired from the El Paso County Sheriff’s Office after twenty-one years. He was a Chief of Police in Marshall, Texas for three years. He spoke of his family, college degree, CLEET in the future, goals and 21st Century Policing.

4. Roll Call

Information: Roll was called, and 9 members were present, representing a quorum.

5. Approval of Minutes

There was no discussion.

- Minutes from the October 17, 2018

Action Taken: Major Don Martin made a motion to approve the minutes as written. Chief David Houser seconded the motion. Undersheriff Blake Green voted yes. Chief Brandon Berryhill voted yes. Inspector Johnny Blevins voted yes. Chief Kendra Brown voted yes. Chief David Houser voted yes. Chief J.R. Kidney voted yes. Major Don Martin voted yes. Asst. Chief Kennie Shirey voted yes. Asst. Chief Josh VanDeburgh voted yes. The motion carried 9-0.

6. Advisory Council Composition

Discussion: Executive Director Campa stated only one application for the Advisory Council open position has been received, so it will remain open until March 31, 2019 for Region 2 (includes counties: Cherokee, McIntosh, Muskogee, Okmulgee, Sequoyah and Wagoner).

No Action Required.

7. DDAC voted on changes to the Drug Dog Standard and Guidelines

Discussion: Chief David Houser had spoken with their Drug Dog Team and a state certifier. He went over these changes with him. The trainer/handler had no problem with the changes.

Current: Title 3 Target Odors for Certification

New: Title 3 Target and Optional Odors for Certification.

Current: 3.2 Marijuana minimum amount to be used 10 grams, maximum 50 grams.

New: 3.2 Optional target odor of marijuana minimum amount to be used 28 grams.

Current: Title 6, (6.12) Failure to find the minimum hidden four target odors will result in failure to certify the team.

New: 6.12 a. Failure to find the minimum hidden target odors consisting of cocaine, heroin, and methamphetamine will result in failure to certify the team.

6.12 b When choosing optional odors, failure to find the minimum hidden optional target odors will result in failure to certify the team.

New:

12. Vehicles Transporting a Police Dog

12.1 A vehicle used to transport a police dog should be equipped with a heat sensor monitoring device.

12.2 The device should monitor the internal temperature of the vehicle in which the police dog is being transported.

12.3 The device should provide an audible and visual notification in the vehicle of the interior temperature reaches 85 degrees Fahrenheit which notifies the law enforcement officer or agency responsible for the police dog.

12.4 The vehicle should have a safety mechanism to reduce the interior temperature of the vehicle.

Action Taken: Chief David Houser made a motion to send all the changes to the Council for approval. Chief JR Kidney seconded the motion. Undersheriff Blake Green voted yes. Chief Brandon Berryhill voted yes. Inspector Johnny Blevins voted yes. Chief Kendra Brown voted yes. Chief David Houser voted yes. Chief J.R. Kidney voted yes. Major Don Martin voted yes. Asst. Chief Kennie Shirey voted yes. Asst. Chief Josh VanDeburgh voted yes. The motion carried 9-0.

8. Divisional Reports

There was no discussion.

No Action Required

9. Rule Update

Discussion: Asst. Director Gerhart answered questions concerning the new rule being proposed for Chapter 15, subchapter 4 (Non-Commissioned or Appointed Officer program). It was compiled by CLEET staff and is based closely to the COPS program. Forms are being updated for this program.

The proposed rule changes are supported by CLEET.

No Action Required

10. Director/Legislative Report

Discussion: Executive Director Campa and Asst. Director Gerhart gave an update on upcoming legislative changes.

- Requesting Law Enforcement Education and Training Fund designated as a CLEET fund to be a Continuing Fund.
- Requesting an amendment to a bill concerning Military Police officers becoming certified as Oklahoma Peace officers. There is major differences in the training. A meeting is scheduled with the Senator running the bill to clarify the language. Shannon Butler and Keith Miller will be preparing a proposed curriculum for this purpose. Chief Houser asked if it would be helpful if any of the Advisory Council have officers that were MPs in their agencies and could give a testimonial of what they received in the military and what they received at CLEET. Shannon

Butler answered yes.

A discussion continued concerning support for military police becoming Oklahoma Peace officers and moving forward to set the training goals needed. It would increase recruitment across the state.

No Action required.

11. Board Comments

Discussion: Chief Houser commented that he has a senator from southeast Oklahoma running a bill concerning transporting Emergency Order of Detention Transports. This would allow an agency to be able to negotiate with the Department of Mental Health services for mileage and salaries. After it has been accepted, I'm asking the senator to add the definition of the word "found", as the location of the initial contact. The goal would be to increase the bed space for Department of Mental Health. Agencies have a lot of mental health transports. Chief Houser appreciates any support.

No Action required.

12. Public Comments

There was no discussion.

No Action Required

13. New Business

There was no discussion.

No Action Taken

14. Adjournment

Action Taken: Chief JR Kidney made a motion to adjourn. Major Don Martin seconded the motion. Undersheriff Blake Green voted yes. Chief Brandon Berryhill voted yes. Inspector Johnny Blevins voted yes. Chief Kendra Brown voted yes. Chief David Houser voted yes. Chief J.R. Kidney voted yes. Major Don Martin voted yes. Asst. Chief Kennie Shirey voted yes. Asst. Chief Josh VanDeburgh voted yes. The motion carried 9-0.

Vice-Chairman, Undersheriff Blake Green adjourned the meeting at 10:38 a.m.