COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

Meeting Minutes July 09, 2020

The combined second and third quarterly meeting of the Community Advisory Board of Madison County, Mississippi was held in the Board Room on the first floor of the Madison County Office Complex, 125 West North Street, Canton, Mississippi.

PRESENT BOARD MEMBERS:

Ray Carter (District 2)
Calvin Guyton (District 1)
Jimmy Houston (District 3)
Clifton Nelson (District 4)
George Cole (District 5)

ALSO PRESENT:

Sheriff Randall Tucker
Chief Deputy Jeremy Williams
Captain Tommy Squires
Becky Cowan
Joshua Tom (Representative from ACLU)

Opening:

Sheriff Tucker opens the meeting. Mentions 23 checkpoints were made during the 2nd quarter, without any complaints to his knowledge. Sheriff Tucker then asked the board if any of us had received a complaint. To which not a single member said yes. Sheriff Tucker also pointed out an incident report. The department responded to a call from a concerned citizen about two juveniles on bicycles displaying handguns in a threatening manner. They were taken into custody without any incident. MCSD called both suspects parents in and the parents were in agreement with the department that both juveniles should not have been in possession of the weapon and the suspects were released to their parents.

Sheriff Tucker mentioned the additional training exercises that have been attended by deputies.

Minutes from the previous meeting were brought up and each member of the board approved them and agreed they were accurate.

Joshua Tom - has questions about the checkpoints, to which Sheriff Tucker responded that those in question would be provided at the next meeting as they were dates not needed at this meeting.

-asked if anyone on the board had received a complaint from a citizen in their district. No member of the board had

- -Mr. Tom mentions a possible issue with Canton PD having checkpoints that could have been provoked by the MCSO
- -Mr. Tom also mentioned that he thinks this board will be an example for other parts of the state to use as a model and even around the country

Sheriff Tucker responds to the Canton PD issue that was mentioned by Mr. Tom and wanted to assure him and the board that there was no wrongdoing and suggest that matter be taken up with the city of Canton and Canton PD.

-no other citizens were in attendance and therefore the meeting closed

Ray Carter

CAB Secretary