

COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

Meeting Minutes
January 09, 2020

OPENING:

The first quarterly meeting of the Community Advisory Board of Madison County, Mississippi was called to order at 6:02 p.m. by Sheriff Randall Tucker. The meeting was held in the Board Room on the first floor of the Madison County Office Complex, 125 West North Street, Canton, Mississippi.

PRESENT:

Calvin Guyton (District 1)
Ray Carter (District 2)
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 (Legal Director of the ACLU)
Landon Thames (ACLU)
Heath Hall
LeeAnn Sanders

Chief Williams opened the meeting with a prayer.

Sheriff Tucker explained how the Community Advisory Board (CAB) was formed by agreement between the Madison County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) and the ACLU due to a lawsuit and how the board is designed to work. Sheriff Tucker explained that the first hour of the meeting will be available to the public to make any complaints or comments. MCSO will have 45 days to respond to any complaints or concerns. MCSO is to provide information to the Board regarding checkpoints and pedestrian stops to the board each quarter.

Packets were provided to each Board member that included the order and consent decree and all information requested by the consent decree.

Joshua Tom briefly spoke to the CAB about his role.

The members of the CAB agreed to have the next meeting on April 9th at 6:00 p.m.

Sheriff Tucker asked Mr. Tom if he was in agreement that no one was in attendance to speak to the CAB, which he agreed to.

Ray Carter was elected the CAB secretary to keep all future minutes.

George Cole stated that his address is incorrect on the website and asked that it be corrected to 1332 Way Road.

Everyone present agreed that there was no further business to come before the CAB of Madison County, Mississippi, so the meeting was adjourned at 6:42 p.m. by Sheriff Tucker until Thursday, April 9, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.

LeeAnn Sanders was allowed to prepare the minutes for the first meeting until the CAB appointed a secretary.

Minutes drafted by:
LeeAnn Sanders

Approved by:

Calvin Guyton – approved via email
Ray Carter – approved via email
Jimmy Houston – approved via email
Clifton Nelson – approved via email
George Cole