



City Council
June 16, 2020

Addendum #2
Items Received at the Meeting

From: [Frances Ryan](#)
To: [City Council](#)
Cc: [Dave Hayes](#); [Heather Balser](#); [Megan Pierce](#)
Subject: Louisville Police Department
Date: Tuesday, June 16, 2020 2:00:03 PM

Good Afternoon!

I would like the following statement entered into the minutes for today's Council meeting. My statement is in reference to the agenda item: Louisville Police Department presentation.

I have had the good opportunity to work with Chief Hayes and his staff on a number of issues pertaining to safety, code enforcement and policing. The Department has acted professionally, appropriately and with great responsibility towards meeting their oath of office and vision for the department. I met the Chief over a code enforcement mandate that I was in disagreement with the implementation. The Chief was responsive, collaborative and listened with sincerity. From that beginning, I have had to engage his officers and detectives in a dispute with a violent renter, a neighborhood situation with a drug dealer living amongst us, and a domestic violent situation. In all situations, the Chief and his staff handled the complexities of the situation with professional intent, empathy towards the individuals and clarity on approach to a successful non-violent outcome. Through my observations, the force always gave me confidence in being safe and confidence in using the best policing practices available. I believe Chief Hayes and his staff seek creative solutions to complicated situations and act towards the best resolution for all individuals.

I am proud to be a Louisville Old Town resident and I am equally proud to have a Police Department with high standards and expectations towards their code of conduct, oath of office, and goals for the department. In our current national situation that spotlights the bad and inappropriate police practices, I want to share my positive interactions on serious situations with our police department. We are lucky to have this group of individuals protecting us, helping us, and being responsible members of our community.

If you would like to discuss this statement with me I can be reached at 303-748-2137

Regards,
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From: [Chris](#)
To: [City Council](#)
Subject: Item 7.D, Council Agenda, 16 June 2020
Date: Tuesday, June 16, 2020 4:25:54 PM

Honorable Mayor and Council Members,

I learned today, 16 June 2020, that the Council will be reviewing potential ballot measures during the 16 June 2020 meeting. So, this is coming to you quite late.

However, as it happens, the Colorado Legislature just passed HB20-1427, Cigarette Tobacco And Nicotine Products Tax. This bill will now go to the Governor, where it is expected to be signed. Assuming it is signed, a ballot measure will be placed on the November ballot, statewide.

Given this, I ask that the Council table item 7.D.2, since HB20-1427 seems to address all of the issues which had been raised by Council.

Thank you for your consideration.

Regards,
Chris

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