

Community Task Force on Policing – Overview of Deliverables

The Community Task Force on Policing shall serve for a period of six months, with the option for up to 3-month extension pending authorization by the City Council

The Community Task Force on Policing is intended to:

- Examine policy and practices especially those that have negatively impacted community members and relationships to include data collection to identify key racial equity challenges to prioritize
- Research best practices in other jurisdictions and examine possible Alternatives
- Define communication pathways of various stakeholders to include community input as well as progress of the work
- Ensure an environment where members of the public feel safe calling on and interacting with the police; and

The Task Force shall provide a report to the City Council to:

- Make recommendations of key action steps for the City Council to consider regarding community policing, public safety and community relations
- Establish open communication with community and police to increase understanding of procedures and policies
- Increase police department understanding of community needs and perceptions; and