



Police Community Advisory Council Monthly Meeting

Date of Meeting: January 21, 2026

Location of Meeting: Malden City Hall Room 113 (Anderson Room) and virtual via Microsoft TEAMS

MINUTES

Welcome/Attendance/Roll Call

- Meeting was called to order shortly after 7:00 pm.
- Council and additional attendees carried out introductions for new council members. Carey also shared an overview of the history of council and purview and limitations to group for new members.

Council Member Name	Present Y/N	Virtual/In Person
Chloe Cheung	Y	In person
Kevin Graham	N	
Jayden Ddhir	Y	In person
Kevin Small Jr.	Y	Virtual
Brittany Torelli	Y	In person
Nour Jaayfer	Y	Virtual (joined at approximately 7:20 pm)
Manny Perez	Y	Virtual

Additional Attendees

Name	Virtual/In Person
Carey McDonald	In Person

Approval of December Meeting Minutes

- December meeting minutes approved with one edit, Chloe confirming how Manny would like to be addressed in writing and during meetings. Manny confirming preference is Manny, Brittany to update. No other edits suggested. Minutes brought to approval by Chloe, seconded by Jayden, approved by the rest of the council.

Feedback from the Community

- Chloe shared update with ongoing connection with PRIDE Malden group, displaying email in which PRIDE Malden shared their feedback and ongoing conversations with the MPD.
 - Council brainstorming ideas to help navigate concerns shared, group members suggesting meeting with officers on duty prior to a festival to build connection; ways to ensure safety of all attendees during festival; discussed broader context of history of LGBTQ groups/individuals and police/law enforcement; reinforcing importance to provide choices/options when able to for groups like PRIDE Malden ahead of organized festivals. Group creating action item to provide support to PRIDE Malden and to inquire if there is anything the group can convey or reaffirm for them.
- Carey brought to the group topic of flock cameras, sharing they had received community questions about data from flock cameras and if federal agencies, such as ICE would have access to data collected. Carey shared that they had had dialogue with MPD and can confirm that the MPD is not actively sharing data with federal agencies, shared that there is restricted and limited access to the data and that the MPD has a procedure with regards to who is allowed to access the data and ways in which it is stored.
 - Manny inquiring how best to share this information with the community, group brainstorming ways to do this. Brittany sharing it might be helpful for MPD to release a new/updated statement about ICE and MPD's relationship. Carey also recommending that MPD can share this on their Facebook page, and shared that they would pass along the suggestion to update their statement in their ongoing dialogue around flock cameras.

Finalize Recommendations for MPD

- Council approving recommendation report for MPD. Confirmed who the report is sent to, and addition of individual names of PCAC council members to report. Brittany to add names then send finalized version to Chloe for dissemination to groups. Carey also shared they will introduce it to the City Council as well.

Updates to Working Groups:

- Brittany explaining and introducing document to new council members and reviewing goals of working groups.
- Outreach Goals Reviewed

- Brittany shared that all outreach letters have been sent, and that there is a scheduled 'get to know us' meeting with Bread of Life in February that she will attend and bring back any feedback to the larger group.
- Carey offered to connect with the Greater Malden Asian American Community Coalition and the Chinese Culture Connection and suggested reaching out to the MA Senior Commission.
- Brainstormed with new youth members Manny and Nour about ways to engage teens in the community. Manny offered to connect with athletics connections as well as the school newspaper. Nour offering to connect with the YMCA Youth and Government Group and the library. Both are tasked with sharing updates at the next meeting.
- Jayden bringing to the group his suggestion to review the agenda and plan moving forward, identified that it might be helpful to have standing line items on the agenda to track community-related activities both by the MPD and council, and their outcomes; specific tracking of feedback received; and upcoming community related events both by the MPD and council.
- Members of council are tasked with reviewing working groups to identify any additions as well as update outreach list to add any organizations they'd feel important to connect to.

Previous Meeting Action Item Follow Up:

- Brittany suggested that it might be helpful to review previous action items and obtain updates in subsequent meetings. Reviewed action items from December meetings and updates.
 - Kevin Small Jr. confirmed he received information on stipend from the mayor's office that confirmed that stipends are currently on hold as a new process for approval is being created.
 - Brittany shared an update that orientation packets for new members were moved/taken from agreed upon place with Kashawna, will follow up again on obtaining a new set and distributing to group.
 - Brittany confirmed that all new members have access to the shared Google Drive and can edit/update documents.
 - Carey shared they will follow up again with Kathleen from the mayor's office about swearing in new members.

Action Items & Next Steps

- Brittany to continue to work with Kashawna about obtaining orientation packets for new members.
- Chloe and Brittany to draft a response to PRIDE Malden.
- Carey to follow up with MPD about reviewed suggestions and potentially updating the department's communication around ICE and involvement.
- Brittany to add PCAC member names to Recommendation report and send finalized version to Chloe. Chloe to disseminate with reviewed entities.
- Manny and Nour to bring any updates about teen engagement to the group next month.

- Brittany to update Mission Statement on website, upon review not the statement that was approved last year.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:28 pm