POLICE-CIVILIAN INTERNAL AFFAIRS REVIEW COMMISSION

City of Saint Paul Human Rights and Equal Economic Department

DATE:

March 7, 2018

TIME:

6:00 PM

LOCATION: Arlington Recreation Center 1200 Payne Ave., Saint Paul, MN 55130

Community Room A

MINUTES

Commissioners: Chair Bryan Langford, Vice Chair Constance Tuck, Commissioner Daria Caldwell, Commissioner Kristen Clark, Commissioner Eric Forstrom, Commissioner Rick Heydinger, Commissioner Rachel Sullivan-Nightengale, Commissioner Sasha Cotton

Excused: N/A

HREEO Staff: HREEO Deputy Director Jeffry Martin

IAU Staff: Senior Commander Rob Thomasser, Sergeant John Wuorinen, Sergeant Wes Denning

I. Call to Order

II. Approve Agenda

Motion made by Commissioner Sullivan Nightengale Seconded by Commissioner Clark Approved

III. **Approve February Minutes**

Motion made by Commissioner Sullivan-Nightengale Seconded by Commissioner Cotton Approved

IV. **HREEO Update**

- PCIARC Coordinator position to be posted. Must be open for applications for 20 days, then process of evaluating applicants begins. There will be an opportunity for current commissioners to be involved in the screening and interviewing stages.
- Currently have one opening on our Commission. Noel Nix, the newly appointed Deputy Director of Community Engagement and Intergovernmental Relations will be leading an effort to publicize and increase interest on all the Mayor's Boards, Commissions, and Committees. PCIARC will be included in that endeavor.

are interested in serving on the PCIARC should plan to participate.

C. Business cards are in final review stages- should be available very soon once they have been approved by Director Kingston.

V. Chair's Report

Use of Force Policy Forums: Chair Langford shared his experience at one of the meetings held with community members to provide input into the policy prior to enactment. He found the meeting to be energetic with a high level of investment by all who attended. There were questions asked of him regarding the role of this commission in driving change within the police department. Commissioner Sullivan-Nightengale wanted to know if there would be a process put in place for the Chief to receive the PCIARC's input on the policy. Chair Langford stated that those specifics have yet to be worked out and that a possible meeting between himself, VC Tuck and DD Martin would address that issue.

VI. Adjourn to Closed Door Session

VII. Case Review- Take Testimony - N/A

VIII. Chair's Report (Private)

- A. Old Business
- B. New Business
- IX. Case Review No Testimony
- X. Adjourn