

STATUS OF BLACK MALES

July 2020 [Minutes](#)

Zoom Conference Call

Commission

- Attending: Seth Debro, Carl Darnell, James Sanders, Byron Turner, Donte Miller, Nicole Griffin
- Absent:

City Staff: Shatoyia Moss, Safe & Civil City Director

Guest: Lyle, Chief DiekooLyle Feigenbaum, OrangeTheory Fitness Owner, Michael Diekhoff, BPD Chief of Police , Abby Ang, Ky Freeman, Anne Mahady, Vivvy, Jeremy Hogan, Patrick Ford,

The meeting was called to order by Seth Debro at 5:33pm.

1. Introductions
 - a. Lyle Feigenbaum, OrangeTheory Fitness Owner (10Mins)
 - b. Michael Diekhoff, BPD Chief of Police
2. Additional Items
 - a. None
3. Approval of Minutes: June 10, 2020 -Approved unanimously
4. Guest Speakers:
 - a. Lyle Feigenbaum, OrangeTheory Fitness Owner (10Mins)
 - i. Petition the Commission to be the Selection Committee for Free membership to the OrangeTheory Fitness Gym
 - ii. Gave updates on all the community involenti intionats supporting the Black Community: Scholarship through Indiana University, hiring at the gym and the free memberships
 - iii. Commission voted unanimously to be the Selection Committee
 - b. Michael Diekhoff, BPD Chief of Police

- i. Updates on Hit and Run accident - not receiving a lot of local information on wherabaliut but the seachis expanded into other counties.
- ii. Can find is statement on the Police Station webpage about the condemning of police brutally and the changes being made with the Bloomington Police Department
- iii. BPD follows the Obama Safety and Policing guide, National accredited Station, will take recommendations on training and connecting with community members from Seth D. and the rest of the Commission, no more "Officer Friendly Program" due to change in Officer and school staff
- iv. Reallocation of funds: Crisis Diversion Center, Downtown Community Resource officers has had seven years of success
- v. BPM has 5 Black, 2 Latinx, ? Asain, and 1 Trans Officer. 97/105 Police Officer positions
- vi. Commission offered to sit down and discuss concerts, make a program standing, determine what is "our service and status" - Possible meetings at Fairview post-Covid

5. Old Business

- a. Black Male Manifesto - In the Drive; needs to be reviewed
- b. Million Father March
 - i. Check with MCCSC to be at Fairview, in the case Fairview is NOT an option the Commission Will do a Welcome Back Video
 - ii. James Moved, Nicole Second, All Votes Yes
 - iii. James will write the video script
- c. Messages of Hope - Project developed my Nicole, featuring local Black women and girls akin to the "Say Their Names Video"
- d. Black Male Discussion Part 3 -every last wednesday 7:00PM -9:00PM

6. Liaison Report

- a. Thanked the Commission for Condolences and flowers
 - b. Black Market
- 7. Adjournment
- 8. Announcement
 - a. Byron invited everyone to come to Lake Monroe

Adjournment: Seth Debro;7:28PM

Donte motion, Carl second.