

# City of Gainesville

City Hall  
200 East University Avenue  
Gainesville, Florida 32601



## **Meeting Agenda - Final**

**September 8, 2016**

**1:00 PM**

**Roberta Lisle Kline (Room 016)**

## **General Policy Committee**

***Mayor Lauren Poe (At Large)***

***Commissioner Harvey Budd (At Large)***

***Mayor-Commissioner Pro Tem Helen Warren (At Large)***

***Commissioner Charles Goston (District 1)***

***Commissioner Todd Chase (District 2)***

***Commissioner Craig Carter (District 3)***

***Commissioner Adrian Hayes-Santos (District 4)***

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## ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

## AGENDA STATEMENT

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## ROLL CALL

[160355.](#)

### **General Policy Committee Minutes (B)**

**RECOMMENDATION**

*The General Policy Committee approve the minutes of August 25, 2016.*

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[160354.](#)

### **Referral List (B)**

**RECOMMENDATION**

*The General Policy Committee discuss the referral list and take action deemed appropriate.*

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[160233.](#)

### **Police Advisory Council Recommendations for the Gainesville Police Department to the General Policy Committee (B)**

**Estimated presentation time - 10 minutes.**

*Explanation: In January 2014 the PAC was charged with providing the City Manager a comprehensive review of their interactions with young black males. This charge was adjusted as the PAC learned of new initiatives across the country related to the charge and recommendations for decreasing DMC. The PAC learned that DMC is an issue facing numerous communities across the country. DMC has recently been further adjusted to the more acceptable title of Racial and Ethnic Disparities*

(RED).

*The PAC learned much during the previous year as they researched, read reports, heard testimony, listened to audio blogs, and most of all received information from Chief Jones. It was clear during the course of the year that communities across the country are struggling with this same issue. What the PAC discovered from their work was that Chief Jones is recognized as one of the national experts on this topic.*

*The final report presented to the City Commission on December 18, 2014 provided background information, PAC's approach to the charge, a schedule of their work, and recommendations. At the meeting the City Commission approved the motion for the recommendations be discussed by the General Policy Committee for consideration to support the funding for the recommendations.*

*Fiscal Note: The fiscal aspect will be dependent on the decisions made by the General Policy Committee to fund the recommendation by the Police Advisory Council.*

**RECOMMENDATION**

*The General Policy Committee 1) hear a presentation from a Police Advisory Council member regarding the recommendations they presented to the City Commission on December 18, 2014 and 2) determine whether to move forward on the recommendations.*

[160233a PAC General Policy Committee Report\\_20160908](#)

[160233b GPD Update to PAC Recommendations\\_20160908](#)

[160233A-MOD PAC General Policy Committee Report\\_20160908.pdf](#)

## **ADJOURNMENT**