**Safety and Crime Reduction**

**Administrator Report Summary**

**November 19, 2021**

**Boards and Commission Attendance – Board Governance, Jacksonville Code, Chapter 50**

**Attendance Matters:**

* May be removed from board position if you miss 2 out of 3 consecutive meetings of the board without cause and approval from board chair
* Must maintain 75% or greater attendance at board meetings (committee meetings do

not count for attendance record) to avoid appearing before City Council for reappointment.

The above information was copied from page 23 of the City of Jacksonville Government Ethics Boards and Commissions Manual.

**Month to Month Activities of Programs**

I received a list of all non-profits by zip code for the agreed upon targeted neighborhoods which will help to determine month to month activity of organizations such job placement, mentoring, community engagement, number of people helped or referred for resources, mental health, or educational workshops etc. Obtaining information from organizations doing the work within the targeted communities can give the Commission a better perspective as to what the actual needs are. Subsequently, helping the Commission to make better informed recommendations to City Counsel for funding. (see attached list of non-profits by zip codes)

**Mental Health Awareness Campaign**

The contract for Angela Spears Communications was approved for the Mental Health Awareness Campaign. However, funding has not been released. Upon release, specific dates will be provided for launch.

**Subcommittee Meetings**

Subcommittees will meet on a continuous basis. The Education, Youth Development and Mentoring subcommittee met Wednesday, October 27th and the Workforce and Re-Entry subcommittee met Friday, October 29th to discuss recommendations. Both meetings were held in the Ed Ball building.

**Jacksonville Homicide Murder Stats** for 2021 as compared to the same time in 2020. I have also included 2018 and 2019 for comparison.

*As of October 2021, there have been 9 murders in Jacksonville, FL as compared to 13 murders as of 2020*. Below are comparisons broken down by month.

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|  | **Post*-*Pandemic** | **Start of Pandemic\*** | **Pre-Pandemic** |
|  | **2021** | **2020** | **2019** | **2018** |
| **Month** |  |  |  |  |
| **January** | 10 | 9 | 16 | 9 |
| **February** | 15 | 11 | 12 | 6 |
| **March** | 6 | 15\* | **7**  | 6 |
| **April** | 9 | 16 | 8 | 4 |
| **May** | 9 | 9 | 7 | 7 |
| **June** | 7 | 12 | 12 | 16 |
| **July** | 7 | 14 | 16 | 9 |
| **August** | 13 | 9 | 10 | 13 |
| **September** | 10 | 13 | 5 | 7 |
| **October**  | 9 | 13 | 6 | 11 |
| **November** |  | 13 | 14 | 5 |
| **December** |  | 7 | 17 | 13 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total** | **95** | **141** | **130** | **106** |