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Forensic Science Oversight Board Meeting Minutes

July 8th, 2022

10:00am- 12:00am

Members Present:

Cliff Goodband
Gina Papagiorgakis
Nancy Rothstein
Dr. Robin Cotton
Timothy Palmbach
Lucy Davis

Chair Kerry Collins
Sabra Botch- Jones
Ira Gant
Anne Marie Mires
Adrienne Lynch

1. Minutes approval

- i. The following amendments were made to the July meeting Minutes
- ii. Ira Gant to be added to the attendance list
- iii. In regards to BPD Crime Lab – Cameras were only installed in the DNA portion of the lab.

2. BPD Audit

- i. C. Goodband stated that he attended both tours of the BPD Crime Lab.
- ii. The subcommittee has begun their work on the report.
- iii. Is there an existing template of an audit?
 - i. MSP Audit Template

3. Fall Symposium

- i. The Board concluded that they will not vote on the agenda as some members were absent and there was heavy discussion regarding the first two paragraphs of the agenda.
- ii. The Board agreed that the focus should showcase the boards existence and what they have accomplished thus far. If the Symposium is not going to discuss the negatives within the agenda, then it should not be stated in the opening paragraphs.
- iii. The official invitation to attend the event will come from the Board members.
- iv. A. Lynch suggested that the symposium should include a state that is comparable to Massachusetts.
- v. The board will have two weeks to submit feedback regarding the proposed agenda.



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4. August Meeting

- i. A. Putvinskas will reach out to the board members a week prior to the convening to ensure a quorum will be reached.

5. Topics not reasonably anticipated

- i. There were comments added to the discussion. The meeting adjourned at 11:38am