

City of Madison

Madison Police Department Policy & Procedure Review Ad Hoc Committee

November 1, 2018

**Community Members:** 

As you may know, for more than two years now, at the direction of the Madison Common Council, the Madison Police Department Policy & Procedure Review Ad Hoc Committee has been engaged in reviewing the training, policies, procedures, and practices of the Madison Police Department. To aid the Committee in this important work, the City of Madison hired consultants, the OIR Group, to conduct a thorough assessment of the Madison Police Department's Policies and Procedures. The OIR Group submitted a report with 145 recommendations. The report can be found at:

http://www.cityofmadison.com/mpdstudy/documents/MadisonOIRGroupReportMadisonPD.pdf

The Ad Hoc Committee has been reviewing these recommendations and will submit a report to the Common Council with the Committee's recommendations. The Committee's task, however, is not limited to reviewing the OIR recommendations; our task is to undertake a comprehensive review of the Madison Police Department and forward all recommendations we might have to the Common Council and Mayor. As we near completion of our review of the OIR Group's recommendations, therefore, we want to expand our assessment to include consideration of any additional recommendations we or community members might have beyond those set forth in the OIR Report. We would like to hear from community members on this important topic and are therefore asking you to submit any recommendations you have regarding the Madison Police Department's Policies and Procedures to us in writing.

So that we will have time to consider and fully assess any additional recommendations you might have, please submit your recommendations, by November 28, 2018, to the following address:

Madison Police Department Policy & Procedure Review Ad Hoc Committee Attn: Rachel Rodriguez City of Madison Clerk's Office Room 103 210 Martin Luther King Jr., Blvd. Madison, WI 53703

Or via email to <a href="mailto:rrodriguez2@cityofmadison.com">rrodriguez2@cityofmadison.com</a>

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We will review all community suggestions at our scheduled committee meeting on December 6, 2018. If you have any questions regarding this process please contact Assistant City Attorney Marci Paulsen at <u>mpaulsen@cityofmadison.com</u> or 608-266-4511.

Thank you for your time and effort,

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