

Columbus Community Safety Advisory Commission
Committee Descriptions

Hiring

This committee will provide and support recommendations that relate to the hiring process. The committee may choose to focus on one element or the entire process from application to academy start.

Chair: Andrea Morbitzer

Vice-Chair: LaShaun Carter

Training

This committee will provide and develop recommendations that relate to the methods used to training officers during the police academy through the probation period. The committee may chose to focus on additional training methods that ensure officers are capable to address a wide variety of specific neighborhood based challenges, the growing mental health crisis, and how to engage community members in the training process.

Chair: Training

Vice-Chair: Matthew McCrystal

21st Century

This committee will provide and develop recommendations that are in line with the 21st Century Policing standards. The committee may chose to focus on, but it not limited to the following: building trust & legitimacy, policy & oversight, technology & education.

Chair: Dr. Chenelle Jones

Vice-Chair: Traci Shaw

Hot Topics

This committee will address topics that are relevant to current issues and concerns related to community policing. The committee may chose to focus on, but is not limited to the following: engagement with immigrant/refugee communities, use of technology, Response times, staffing, diversity in leadership, officer mental health/wellness, and officer safety.

Chair: Vlad Kogan

Vice-Chair: Dr. Reginald Wilkinson