



CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR OCOEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Ocoee City Hall
1 N. Bluford Avenue
Ocoee, Florida

January 22, 2026

AGENDA

6:15 PM

• CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence
Roll Call and Determination of Quorum

• APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Minutes from July 24, 2025

• OLD BUSINESS

1. CACOPD Shirts
2. Utilization of the Budget

• NEW BUSINESS

1. Financial Reports and Budget Discussion
2. Board Officer Appointment — Election of Chair and Vice-Chair
3. Quarter Award Nominee Selection
4. Annual Award Nominee Selection

• DEPARTMENT UPDATES

1. Ocoee Police Department Awards and Recognition Reception for 2026

• PUBLIC COMMENTS

• ADJOURNMENT

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More than one Commissioner may participate or hear discussions regarding a matter which will come before the Commission for action.

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July 24, 2025

MINUTES

6:15 PM

• CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by **Chair Lewis** at 6:15 pm in the Commission Chambers of City Hall located at 1 N. Bluford Avenue, Ocoee.

Chair Lewis and **Member Mellen** led the Board in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, followed by the invocation given by **Chair Lewis**. **Recording Clerk Maldonado** performed roll call and declared a quorum present.

Present: Chair Lewis, Vice-Chair Mellen, Members Brown, Garay, and Meeks.

Absent: Member Lomneck

Also Present: Commissioner Kennedy, Lt. Iannuzzi, Sgt. Coleman, K9 Ofc. Temples, K9 Ofc. Edwards, Administrative Assistant Decruiz, and Recording Clerk Maldonado

• APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Minutes from March 27, 2025

Motion: Move to Approve the March 27, 2025, Minutes; Moved by Member Brown, seconded by Member Garay; Motion carried unanimously.

• OLD BUSINESS

1. Presentation of Check for COPS Foundation

Chair Lewis presented a check for \$500 to the COPS Foundation, with Lt. Iannuzzi and Ms. Bria Berry accepting the check on behalf of the Central Florida chapter.

The following items were added at the request of the Board; they were not included in the agenda.

2. Presentation of K9 Badges

Chair Lewis presented badges to the Police Department's new K9 Viper, with his handler, Ofc. Temples; and K9 Zoe, with her handler, Ofc. Edwards.

3. Quarterly Award Nominee Selection

The Board reviewed the nominees for Officer and Civilian of the 2nd Quarter. The floor was opened for discussion.

Motion: Move for Nominee #2 to be selected as Officer of the 2nd Quarter; Moved by Member Meeks, seconded by Member Garay; Motion carried unanimously.

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Motion: Move for Nominee #1 to be selected as Civilian of the 2nd Quarter; Moved by Member Meeks, seconded by Member Garay; Motion carried unanimously.

• NEW BUSINESS

1. CACOPD Members' Shirts

Motion: Move to reimburse the Police Department for the purchase of CACOPD embroidered shirts for new Vice-Chair Mellen and Member Lomneck, totaling \$88.83; Moved by Vice-Chair Mellen, seconded by Member Brown. Motion carried unanimously.

2. Utilization of CACOPD Leftover Budget

Sgt. Coleman announced there is \$1,122.34 left in the Board budget. The Board discussed the remaining balance and voted to distribute as follows:

Motion: Donate \$500.00 to the COPS program; Motion made by Vice-Chair Mellen, seconded by Member Brown; Motion carried unanimously.

Motion: Move to purchase a \$100.00 Publix gift card for retiring Sergeant Coleman; Moved by Member Brown, seconded by Member Garay; Motion carried unanimously.

Motion: Move to purchase \$150.00 from Publix to sponsor the food for the Citizens Academy; Moved by Member Meeks, seconded by Vice-Chair Mellen; Motion carried 4-0, with Member Garay abstaining.

Motion: Donate \$250.00 to the COPS Gala program; Motion made by Member Garay, seconded by Member Mellen; Motion carried unanimously.

Motion: Move to purchase \$122.34 of Papa John's Pizza to sponsor the food for the Police Explorers Meeting; Moved by Member Brown, seconded by Vice-Chair Mellen; Motion carried unanimously.

• DEPARTMENT UPDATES

Sgt. Coleman discussed upcoming events and programs.

• PUBLIC COMMENTS - None

• ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:27 PM

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ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Recording Clerk

Chairperson