

Columbus GA Consolidated Government  
Crime Prevention Board Minutes of Meeting

**February 26, 2025**

**Board Members Present:** Seth Brown, Natre'L Payne, Danny Arencibia, Joyce Dent-Fitzpatrick,  
Dr. Angela Vickers (by phone), and Rocky Marsh, Erika Cottingham

**Board Members Absent:** Marcus Gibbs, Lane Jimmerson

**Guest(s) Present:** none

**Call to Order:** Seth opened the meeting with announcements:

**Board members:** Two new board members have been appointed while 3 are rotating off. There is one more member to be appointed.

**Applications:** Online applications are up and previous issues of numbers not showing up are now corrected.

The deadline for applications is March 31. 1 application has already been received.

**Council:** Crime Prevention did a presentation at the 2/25 council meeting.

Seth was asked to present quarterly. Council members had concerns about funding.

CSU is preparing to do crime research and reached out to Seth for more information and contacts

Meet and Greet was held last week but only 2 people (outside of existing applicants) attended

**Board:**

The board asked that they be included in the next crime prevention info session that is held for the public.

Board was notified that the meeting minutes are not online.

**Adjournment:** Next meeting date will be determined after new board members are appointed. .

Minutes recorded by Natre'L Payne