

RESOLUTION NO. 20-_____

WHEREAS, the City of Huntsville, Alabama (the “City”) is committed to providing exceptional services to enhance the quality of life for all citizens through the efficient use of resources; and

WHEREAS, the City Council members are devoted to an iterative process of constant improvement and a commitment to the executive branch mission; and

WHEREAS, the Huntsville Police Citizens Advisory Council (hereinafter “HPCAC”) is a City board established by Ordinance No. 10-361 amended by Ordinance No. 12-681 whose membership is comprised entirely of Huntsville citizens charged with serving in an advisory capacity to the Police Department regarding issues relevant to community relations including participation on Police Incident Review Boards and communications with the Council and public; and

WHEREAS, the City Council also recognizes the varying opinions and concerns expressed by many citizens about the events that occurred on the evenings of June 1, 2020 and June 3, 2020 and the desire for an independent group to provide an after action review of those events.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, that the Huntsville Police Citizens Advisory Council is hereby directed and empowered as follows:

1. To review the events and decisions leading up to and during the recent protests in Huntsville during the time frame of May 30, 2020 to June 5, 2020.
2. To accomplish its purposes, the HPCAC is authorized to identify stakeholders, obtain police and protestor video footage to include that from aerial surveillance, and conduct interviews with City officials/employees, elected officials, and citizens. The HPCAC will produce a written report related to the actions on June 1, 2020 and June 3, 2020. The report shall include:
 - Facts leading up to the events
 - Action items for future handlings of the expression of First Amendment Rights
 - Identification of lessons learned with recommendations for updating the policies of the Police Department or any other City department, as necessary
3. To engage subject matter experts, as needed, in the development of the report. Said experts may come from the fields of constitutional law and/or history, safety and logistics, civil and human rights, cognitive behavior psychology, or any other

area of operational or tactical training. The Huntsville City Multicultural Affairs Officer shall make recommendations of such experts, as requested.

4. Said report shall be presented to the Huntsville City Council at the August 13, 2020 City Council meeting.

ADOPTED this the 25th day of June, 2020.

President of the City Council of
the City of Huntsville, Alabama

APPROVED this the 25th day of June, 2020.

Mayor of the City of
Huntsville, Alabama