



Gun Violence Prevention Commission
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CITY OF ROANOKE

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AGENDA

November 21, 2023

5:30pm

**Gainsboro Library
15 Patton Ave NW
Roanoke, VA 24016**

The purpose of the Gun Violence Prevention Commission is to study the issue of gun violence in the community, recommend strategies for prevention, intervention, and response to reduce incidents of gun violence and address its effects on the community, and to work with citizens and community partners in developing programs that create meaningful opportunities for positive non-violent pathways for health and wholeness.

1. Welcome (Chair)
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Commission Meeting Minutes from October 17, 2023
4. Old Business
 - a. Gun Violence Community Assessment Update – Necole Holton-Jacobs, Elite Business Strategies
 - b. 2023 Marketing Campaign Presentation – Mike Bento, Engage Strategies
 - c. Working Group Updates and Upcoming Meetings
 1. Community and Neighborhood Engagement
 2. Grants and Fund Development
 3. Education and Research

5. New Business

- a. Review of Funding Application and Process
- b. Roanoke Police Department Data Report – Chief Scott Booth
- c. Youth and Gang Violence Prevention Unit Update – Chris Roberts
- d. RESET Update – Lloyd Merchant
- e. Star City Safe Update – Jeffrey Powell

6. Announcements

- a. Next Meeting of GVP Commission, Tuesday, December 19, 5:30 pm

7. Adjournment

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Jiji la Roanoke linatoa huduma ya ukalimani bila malipo katika mikutano yote ya umma, inapombwa. Iwapo ungependa kuomba mkalimani, tafadhali tujulishe angalau saa 24 kabla kwa kupiga simu (540) 853-1283.

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