Last week we opened the floor to everyone to ask and discuss their concerns, we waived the structured agenda to hear everyone, what was nice is many subjects that came up were on the original agenda and we have a great place to start to write up a plan.

Tuesday February 23rd is our next meeting. We have a few things we need to discuss and would like to keep with the agenda, if there is time at the end we can discuss more, but you can always e mail anything, questions, concerns or ideas to policereform@townofnewburghpd.org,  you can also e mail me personally at councilmanmanley@townofnewburgh.org

February 23rd agenda:

There are a few things we do need to go over as per the guide, so we are going to discuss Policing Strategies, when you look at the list,

1. Procedure Justice and Community Policing

2. Stop and Frisk and Broken WIndows

3. Discriminatory or Biased based stops

4. Pre\_texted stops

5. Quotes

6. Swat/No knock search warrants

7. Facial Recognition

a few of them are targeting the larger cities, we do not even have the ability to do facial recognition.  We will be asking the chief what we do on each, and let people comment on these subjects as we discuss.

We will also look and talk more into recruiting personnel.

Looking to then be able to write up a plan, skip March 3rd to work on it and by March 10th have a plan to present to the public and from there tweek it based on the public's comments and ideas.

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