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## Public Safety Advisory Commission Agenda February 23<sup>th</sup>, 2021 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Attendance: Chair Adamson, Vice Chair Gilmore, Smith, Randolph, Diallo, Jones, Sen. McCray

- Welcome Nick Wilson
- Presentation: Safe Streets Baltimore
  - o Freedom Jones Director of Violence Intervention at LifeBridge Health
    - Oversees Belvedere Safe Streets and Woodbourne-McCabe Safe Streets sites, hospital-based violence responder programs at Sinai Hospital and Grace Medical Center, and Pathways to Advocacy Against Violence Every day (PAAVE).
    - Partnering with ROCA to provide training, resources, and warm hand-offs for those at highest risk of violence.
  - David Fitzgerald Director of Woodbourne-McCabe Safe Streets site.
    - Seek to hire credible messengers.
    - Potential staff are vetted by the community, MONSE, and BPD.
    - Misconception that Safe Streets comes into the community and saves the community. Actually, community buy-in is necessary for success because Safe Streets comes into the community to help the community save itself.
    - Youth Entrepreneur Program piloting with 10 youth. Pay-it-forward model for youth businesses in McCabe community.
    - 12-step program for gun violence anonymous victims and perpetrators of gun violence. First meeting in April.
    - Requests: K-9 Unit in Northern District, SAO to sit in Northern District to help write charging documents.
    - Equipment and Stop the Bleed training
- Chair & Vice-Chair Corner Tyler & Phyllis
  - Looking for city council public safety updates in future.
- Committee Check-In
  - Policy & Local Control
  - Community Participation
- Next Meeting: March 23 at 6PM