

Boots on the Ground Town Hall Meeting
Ebenezer Baptist Church, Woodbridge, VA
July 31, 2021

Four people were in attendance. The following is a summary of what was stated:

PWC Police		PWCS		PWCS Government	
<u>Doing Well</u>	<u>Suggestions/ Comments/ Questions</u>	<u>Doing Well</u>	<u>Suggestions/ Comments/ Questions</u>	<u>Doing Well</u>	<u>Suggestions/ Comments/ Questions</u>
Not renewing the 287G agreement with ICE was a positive action	*What are the statistics of arrests for people of color?		Schools should reach out to neighborhoods to have more school meetings in the community settings; not all parents can go to the schools		Is PWC a sanctuary county?
	*Would like to know the breakdown by race/ethnicity of police force.		Should provide school-home transportation for students attending specialty programs so more students can attend; only has express transportation service, which limits accessibility to programs for some students		More affordable housing; require new developments to allocate a certain percentage of new units as affordable housing units
	Is there a Crime Solver's group?				Free health services/free clinics
	People are fearful of contacting the police.				Transportation: more access to major highways; more public transportation; transportation programs for residents who need to go to dialysis or cannot get to the bus stops; concerns about new casino and impact on traffic patterns
	Would like to have the police come and meet with residents in the community.				Resources for undocumented residents in PWC
	Have internal (police employees) and external Town Hall meetings to get more information		Have internal (PWCS employees) and external Town Hall meetings to get more information		Have internal (PWC employees) and external Town Hall meetings to get more information

*Referred to the PWC Police Annual Report 2020 on-line