



**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER**

**Violence Fatality Review Committee**

**Open Meeting Minutes  
January 27, 2022  
1 pm – 3 pm**

The Violence Fatality Review Committee (VFRC) convened its virtual WebEx meeting on Thursday, January 27, 2022 at 1:08 PM. The meeting was led by co-chair Kenyatta Hazlewood. The VFRC was able to achieve quorum and there were twelve (12) attendees present:

**Committee Members**

Chief Leslie Parsons (MPD)	Helaina Roisman (GWUH)
Dr. Joseph Richaardson (TRAVAIL)	Kenyatta Hazlewood (HUH)
Kenan Zamore (DC Health)	Shannon Goodhue (DBH)
Setareh Yelle (ONSE)	Juanita Price (Hillcrest)

**Invited Guests**

Paige Mitstifer (OCME)

**Fatality Review Staff**

Dr. Renee Spraggins (OCME)	Candace Hardin (OCME)
Jenna Beebe-Aryee (OCME)	

**Open Meeting**

**I. Welcome**

VFRC co-chair Kenyatta Hazlewood welcomed the attendees to the meeting and asked the committee to take a moment of silence for the District's victims of violence since our last meeting. After the moment of silence, she turned the meeting over to the Fatality Review Staff Assistant, for the roll call of attendees.

**II. Meeting Agenda for Open Portion of Meeting**

The agenda for the open portion of the meeting was voted upon and accepted by the VFRC.

III. **Opportunity for the public to address the committee**

There were no members of the public present to address the committee.

IV. **Review of Minutes for the Open Portion of the December 2021 Meeting**

With no questions, concerns or issues about the minutes from the open portion of the December 2021 meeting, it was voted upon and the minutes were accepted as written.

V. **Vote to close the meeting to the public for remaining business**

A vote to close the open portion of the meeting for remaining committee business was conducted and accepted. Members were asked to exit the open portion and sign onto a new WebEx session using the closed meeting invitation.

The open portion ended at 1:13 PM. The next VFRC meeting is scheduled for February 24, 2022 at 1:00 pm.