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Zoom Producer: Good afternoon. Economy.

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Zoom Producer: Yeah, thank you.

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EHS-C223: It can't hear you.

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Zoom Producer: We're we. Your microphone is on. So.

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EHS-C223: Yup!

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Zoom Producer: Your computer station is, Ehs. C, 2, 3. Thank you.

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EHS-C223: Alright. So you good to go. Gus.

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Zoom Producer: Yup, yup all good.

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EHS-C223: Can you see the other people that are on the call? Yes.

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EHS-C223: she.

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EHS-C223: that's not the view I want.

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EHS-C223: Okay, they're about to admit it.

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EHS-C223: You see, participants.

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EHS-C223: Sorry talking to you sound good.

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Zoom Producer: And board members.

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Zoom Producer: there's if you're trying to see everybody on the screen in your office there. It's supposed to be in gallery view. However. Sometimes, if people

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Ed Kangethe: Gus, can you hear them? Cause I can't hear them.

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Zoom Producer: No, I I can't hear them at the moment. But.

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Ed Kangethe: I don't. I'm pretty sure we can't hear him. Then

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Ed Kangethe: the community members can't hear my thing.

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EHS-C223: So probably just let me know when we begin right now.

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EHS-C223: Thank you all for your patience. Again. Welcome to the second community conversation

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EHS-C223: of the Police Accountability Board, sponsored by or hosted by, the Community Engagement

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EHS-C223: Committee. My name is Sonia Merchant Jones, and I'm chair of that committee. Vice chair is a vote wearing. We'll begin by going around

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EHS-C223: the table this way and ending

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EHS-C223: on this side, and introductions and then we will begin with

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EHS-C223: remarks.

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EHS-C223: Something you know.

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EHS-C223: who started.

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EHS-C223: Sure, I'm I'm Mother Supermanian. I am a

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EHS-C223: trauma surgeon at Johns Hopkins Hospital and baby hospital. I represent the university. I'm on this board.

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EHS-C223: I'm trying to Sinclair. I'm an undergrad at Hopkins. I'm in the Jigger School of Arts and Sciences.

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EHS-C223: Hello! I'm Duke Tremateer. I am a community member in the area of the Peabody campus, so I'm on the board representing the Peabody community.

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EHS-C223: My name is Sonia Merchant Jones. Again I chair the committee and I represent Home Group.

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EHS-C223: My name is April. We're on. I am the city council, president, appointee, and I also reside in East Baltimore.

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EHS-C223: Ganesha Martin. I'm a consultant for 21 Cp. Here to support the committee.

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EHS-C223: I'm Kenyatta Rick's a staff member at John South surgery.

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EHS-C223: Gerard rancher one of the board members.

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EHS-C223: I I don't know what group I'm watching the community. Thank you so much as as you all know those of you who are listening, those of you who are online, those of you who will hear this, and playback

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EHS-C223: we intended to meet in person.

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EHS-C223: but because of a change of events that could have caused some unpleasant.

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EHS-C223: an unpleasant situation, we decided to move our meeting to one line. We thank you for your patience. In this process, before I begin, I want to thank public safety for everything they do when we ask to make it happen our chairperson. Ed. Congessi. Thank you, sir, for your support in this process.

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EHS-C223: We all appreciate that most of all this Accountability board who gives that 100%, no matter what, as volunteers to do this work, it is

something that we are all invested in and and I just want to make that clear.

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EHS-C223: I'll start by acknowledging some concerns, because, 1st and foremost, this is this is the the time when I was reading. I guess what you would call the rules of the road. But there's no need. We're not here in person, but I do want to acknowledge that 1st and foremost

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EHS-C223: the concerns and frustration that have been expressed, we recognize them. We know that the establishment of a police force is a deeply sensitive issue.

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EHS-C223: particularly given the historical and ongoing challenges related to policing and community relations. Your voices are important, and we hear you more than that, we'd like to be in the room with you. We represent you. The accountability in in the Accountability Board title is to you.

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EHS-C223: And so when you're not here we can't have the exchange that we would like, so that we can represent that to public safety. And so

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EHS-C223: we need to change that. Secondly, is my personal commitment, the commitment that all of us had. I have someone who's lived in Baltimore almost 70 years. I deeply understand the trauma and senseless loss of life caused by police brutality. That was something that was brought up that we don't understand, that that's just absolutely untrue. I'm the mother of 2 sons.

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EHS-C223: 1, 37, and one who'll be 39 this year. I can say personally the things that you know have we have encountered so understanding that is not foreign to me. This is a personal experience is what motivated me to become a a board member. My protest

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EHS-C223: is to be at the table

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EHS-C223: to bring about the change I want to see.

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EHS-C223: I firmly believe that this change can only be achieved through sustained effort and dialogue, not by tearing down the bridge to the other side of the issue.

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EHS-C223: We all can do better. It's really what I want.

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EHS-C223: and I'm hoping that you put this on playback, and then think about you know what's at stake.

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EHS-C223: The commitment to dialogue!

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EHS-C223: We are committed to engaging in meaningful conversations with all stakeholders.

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EHS-C223: We believe that open dialogue is essential to building trust.

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EHS-C223: We want to trust each other in this process, and finding common ground. To this end we will be organizing a series of Town Hall meetings, listening sessions where community members can share their thoughts, their concerns, their suggestions, and these sessions will be designed to foster again a respectful and constructive

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EHS-C223: dialogue. Again, the accountability in the title is to you.

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EHS-C223: And so with that, said

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EHS-C223: I guess we'll we'll we'll not follow the agenda that we set. So if it seems like it's not as smooth as I'd like for it to be. Before we begin. I ask for your patience.

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EHS-C223: I'll introduce to you Doug Trementia.

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EHS-C223: He is the chair of policy and training, along with Dr. Madhu Subramanian, and they will give their presentation. After each presentation you may raise your hand and and ask questions

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EHS-C223: you will be promoted to a panelist. And then, after that promotion, after your question has been asked

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EHS-C223: you will then be taken out as a panelist. So with that, said, determine here.

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EHS-C223: Yeah. Yeah. Good afternoon. Everyone. So as I said earlier, I am a community member at the Peabody campus, and I represent the Peabody Campus on the Accountability Board. I'm also the current chair of the

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EHS-C223: Accountability Board Policy Committee.

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EHS-C223: And we also have a vice chair Dr. Romanian who is with us today as well. I just want to give a brief overview of what we've been doing on the policy Committee

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EHS-C223: and and as Miss Tony mentioned, if folks have questions, they can raise their hand and then be promoted to panelists to ask questions.

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EHS-C223: I have been working with the policy Committee for the last year, and folks who are familiar with the the John Hopkins Police Department planning and and initial work it are aware, then, that the all the policies for the police department

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EHS-C223: were under draft a year ago, and they were being reviewed and have only recently been issued in their final format. So the policy committee went through each of those policies, trying to look at them from different perspectives, including those of staff community members, students, etc, and I have each of those folks with those backgrounds on the committee. We submitted our comments.

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EHS-C223: In the 1st tranche in October of last year, and in the second for the second tranche of policies in January of this year.

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EHS-C223: A public safety

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EHS-C223: has

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EHS-C223: looked at all of those comments. They responded to us with a table of how each of those comments was reviewed, and in almost all cases incorporated in some format or another into the final policies.

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EHS-C223: A a list of all the policy reviews, comments are available on the public safety website, and that information that accounts for how those those policy comments were incorporated into the final policy.

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EHS-C223: In parallel with that, some of you will probably know that the policies were available online and members of the public were also invited to make comments. Those comments were also reviewed by public safety, and in many cases then taken into account. When when finalizing the policies which, as I said, have recently been

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EHS-C223: been issued

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EHS-C223: and are available again online on the public safety website. So moving forward.

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EHS-C223: We are working on several items.

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EHS-C223: One is the implementation of the policy which is for now in final format. Some of the policies are quite broad. In general, they will need additional work, including implementation guidelines or or documentation that will need to be drafted.

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EHS-C223: And then we, as as the accountability will be involved in reviewing those.

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EHS-C223: I always give the the primary example are the complaint cards. Every member of the Johns Hopkins police department is required to carry complaint cards which they can be issued to a member of the public when they encounter them, and they're requested those complaint cards need to be issued and available in both English and Spanish, and as those are being developed, the Accountability Review Board, for example, will review those cards for the final format that are being used.

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EHS-C223: in addition to that, we are now working with the wider accountability board in setting up the training Committee, which is now going to be a standalone committee. And is just recent. It's just now being being organized with its own terms of reference separate from the policy committee.

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EHS-C223: And I'll leave it there for now, and if there's questions, I think maybe we'll continue, and then we'll take the questions.

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EHS-C223: No, the questions will be in there. Okay, if anyone has questions, please. You should raise your hand inside, zoom, and then you could be promoted to panelists.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Claud, you can unmute yourself and turn your camera on.

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Claude Guillemard: Yes, thank you. Thank you for your clear presentation as one of the people, you know, reading carefully all the documents that come out of the office of Public Safety. We would like at some point to meet with your committee to share the concerns that we have about the results

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Claude Guillemard: in particular. Sometimes the Administration says it has been addressed, it has been incorporated, but when we look at each 1, 1 by one.

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Claude Guillemard: it's not always true, so is, will there be like a special meeting to share with you directly those concerns? Or should we just reach out to you on any time

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Claude Guillemard: and thank you.

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EHS-C223: Yes, thank you very much for that question. It's a it's a concern that has been raised several times. As Miss Sonia mentioned in her

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EHS-C223: overview. We are now doing outreach sessions, community discussions at several places we've had it. And now on the east campus well, what I call the east campus. But the hospital campus. We're now doing this for the homework campus. We'll be doing one soon for the Peabody Campus, for example, what we've committed to doing is putting together a table of all the concerns that have been raised in these outreach sessions.

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EHS-C223: And and looking for further clarification.

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EHS-C223: My general

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EHS-C223: belief is that the the

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EHS-C223: the Public Safety Division has done a pretty good job incorporating comments. However, they, this is a complicated process, and I know personally from the Peabody campus there are still a few questions, you know not that that individuals have about how

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EHS-C223: operationally certain things will will work. Jurisdiction issues this block or that block or this building or that building? What's in the jurisdiction? There are still some pending questions. If we had a we had a recent question that arose about what? What? What arms

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EHS-C223: the what firearms the police will carry, and in which circumstances. So what we're doing is putting all of those together in a

compiled list of additional clarifications that might be needed, and I suspect that might involve putting out a clarification note.

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EHS-C223: If if so, if folks have those very specific questions more than just a general one, I would encourage you to write to the Accountability Board mentioned that this was that you have very specific policy

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EHS-C223: clarification that you would like to address to the Policy Committee and the Accountability Board.

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EHS-C223: and if you reference this meeting, we will be very clear to put that into the table which is going now to when we, when we finish our outreach meetings that's going to public safety for their follow up and their clarification.

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EHS-C223: I hope that helps great. Thank you.

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Claude Guillemard: Very much. Yes, thank.

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EHS-C223: Okay, yes, thank you.

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EHS-C223: Thank you.

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EHS-C223: With the question that was asked. Were you? Were you speaking?

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EHS-C223: Any in terms of your invite, like in a general sense.

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EHS-C223: or more targeted in a specific sense. So what I mean by that was, I know you mentioned that your group has meetings. But is it? You know you'd like to have one of the Board members come out. Listen, take some notes.

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EHS-C223: you know. Put a face with a name

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EHS-C223: and just, you know, to be there and ask our answers generally with to the extent that we know.

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Claude Guillemard: I I think that's something we would probably welcome. And I think maybe we, if we all agree that that's the right way to do it. Maybe we can submit the proposal, for, you know, like a date, an invitation. But yes, the the writing, I mean email puts everything in writing and documents. So we we need that. But certainly we. We are really seeking

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Claude Guillemard: direct communication with board members.

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Claude Guillemard: Thank you.

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EHS-C223: Okay, denounce it, but I open myself up, feel free.

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EHS-C223: happy to come. Just let me know. Give me a date of time and place. I'm happy to come. Well, you know, in in all of that I'm sure everybody around this table would be happy to meet with you, Misty Mark, so we're not going to regulate it to just one person. We'll just have to think about what that process looks like. But I will say to you that I have invited you in when you've reached out in the past, and so I'm just so delighted

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EHS-C223: to know that now you all are willing to do that. It it really encourages me, and so we will have that communication. We'll speak with Duke Trimancia. And we'll

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EHS-C223: we'll we'll find what that process looks like, so that we can come and meet with you. I I would be delighted to have that, but I would yield to do in terms of how that will look. So thank you again for for accepting or wanting an invitation. It really means a lot to all of us here around the table.

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EHS-C223: Yes.

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Claude Guillemard: Miss Sonia Merchant Jones. The reason last year, when we wanted to meet is because we wanted to meet publicly.

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EHS-C223: I know.

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Claude Guillemard: Offered to us. So that's.

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EHS-C223: Well, well, we we did. We did want to meet publicly, but we weren't going to meet publicly with the entire board. We wanted to hear what it was that you wanted to speak about. Then go back to the board. That was the process, I remember, but nonetheless.

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EHS-C223: nonetheless, I hear what I'm hearing today, and I'm I'm so very, very happy about that misty mark. And I.

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Claude Guillemard: Wonderful.

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EHS-C223: Looking forward to it. Yes, yes, ma'am. Yes, ma'am.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: So next up would be Toby Ditz.

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toby ditz: Yes, I hope you can hear me. Sometimes I get the the I get a little Internet gets wobbly, in which case I'll rejoin. My question, actually, I think, is to the 1st speaker, because it is about police, about complaints, about police should should, when when should, and when they arise.

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toby ditz: My understanding is that ultimately it is the city's police accountability board and administrative charging committees that would determine disciplinary actions in police misconduct cases for all police, even including special forces like Johns Hopkins. But I think you said,

and this was going to be my question. I should have really read read up on. This

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toby ditz: was, I think you said that you were going to be doing some reviewing.

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toby ditz: and I'm not sure whether you said investigating

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toby ditz: of kind misconduct cases

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toby ditz: before they go to the city. If that's incorrect, if they go directly to the city.

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toby ditz: then then, yeah, then then let me know about that. My concern is that if there's a dual process

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toby ditz: that we might run into the statutory deadlines for meeting various obligations with respect to investigation and review, so the question is about your relationship to the Police Accountability Board and the city's police accountability Board and Acc. And I will only just say that police reformers in Baltimore worked really hard to get a police accountability board and Acc, that has real teeth. And they're doing a fabulous job right now. Okay, thanks.

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EHS-C223: What was your name again? I'm sorry.

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toby ditz: I'm Toby Dietz. I'm a retiree from retired faculty, from Hopkins.

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EHS-C223: Yes, thank you so much. So. It's a question has has come up several times, and there is

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EHS-C223: for folks who are not that familiar with the city accountability and the John Hopkins County. It. It can be confusing. We

have a police accountability board for Johns Hopkins now, which is who we are. There is a police accounting board for the city of Baltimore.

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EHS-C223: and if I understand correctly, the Police Accountability Board, as you rightly point out

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EHS-C223: of the city of Baltimore has jurisdiction over all sworn police officers in the city, and that will include obviously Johns Hopkins police.

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EHS-C223: They are the ones who will oversee investigations. We do not have an investigative role as the Johns Hopkins Police Accountability Board.

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EHS-C223: We we're reviewing policies and advising. Those are more or less our our general. We're reviewing also training and so on. Along those lines. It has even been suggested that we change the our name from police accountability to Police Advisory Board for Johns Hopkins. However, it is a statutory name that was given by the State in the Cssa. The Community Safety Strengthening Act

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EHS-C223: of 2019. I think it was that that gave permission for well, I lack a better term that gave permission or granted the the right of Hopkins to create, to create the police force, so that the this this board was named in that act, so changing the name would be, it would require some work in Annapolis, I suspect, to avoid that potential confusion. But to be very clear, this board, we understand, does not have an investigative role.

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EHS-C223: There are, I understand other mechanisms at Hopkins, including the Psa. You, the police.

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EHS-C223: yes.

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EHS-C223: the the Public safety administrative unit. I think it's it's called the Psa. You and you'll find reference to that in the final policies. They will look at non-criminal

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EHS-C223: complaints, you know, administrative or or or or other complaints internal.

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EHS-C223: but but anything that rises to the level of crime, I understand, would go to the Baltimore City Police Accountability Board, and I'm happy to hear, because I. I have not been that familiar with them. So I'm happy to hear that you folks believe that they're doing a very good job because they will have. They do have very, very important role for all of us as residents of Baltimore City. So I'm happy to hear that that your assessment of that I hope that from our point of view, where we are.

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toby ditz: Okay, we are for fighting for a few more. We would like the the Board, the City Board to have independent investigatory powers, a whole bunch of things. But yeah, I do think it's very good. So then my one

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toby ditz: follow up would be to make sure that any complaints that that you know, part of your oversight would be to make sure that those complaints against J Ju. Officers get moved expeditiously

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toby ditz: to the Acc. City Acc. And that you actually make sure that things move?

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EHS-C223: Yeah, and that would, yeah.

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toby ditz: Out of Jhu and onto the city table, and then back out again.

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EHS-C223: And that would be our ultimate goal is to kind of help facilitate that occurring in a timely fashion, and then also reviewing policies that are appropriate to that case, and then making recommendations to change those policies? If they apply to that scenario, does that make sense

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EHS-C223: go ahead? So just just to add a little bit more context and clarity to what you were mentioned, because



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EHS-C223: I had also raised this when we had our meeting with President Daniels, and even when we had one of the last board meetings that the confusion for the community will be that our name says accountability.

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EHS-C223: But our work is actually advisory. And if you look at the the process document, the workflow about what happens with a complete police complaint, an issue that happens, you will not see

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EHS-C223: the Accountability Board there, because we are only advisory right now. And so the question at a later point would then become, Does the community want us to be accountability, which we will be then added into that workflow.

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EHS-C223: or to exist as accountability. So most of that information we may not see, you know we can do is, yeah. I'll just have to say something real quick, because I've worked with several communities on this. Not necessarily Baltimore city. There were some communities prior to the legislation who were setting up their own accountability boards. Because of this, the legislation to Miss Dietz's point. All of that was severed. So Johns Hopkins actually doesn't have the ability

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EHS-C223: to bring you all in and give you any space in that, as far as investigation goes, even if we were made, even if let's just say we went back to the legislative body.

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EHS-C223: made accountability with all of those constructs, it would have to be a. It would have to be a legislative. It would have to be a legislative change. And you've got to go talk to those activists. But yeah, it would be a legislative change. So question.

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EHS-C223: alright, okay, we got that. Any other questions. Okay.

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janvi madhani: Hello! Can you hear me?

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EHS-C223: Yes.

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janvi madhani: Yes, so I am John B. Mahani. I'm a grad worker here at Johns Hopkins. I'm deeply disappointed that the format of this meeting was changed in your own words, to avoid unpleasantness, and you'd hope that as an Accountability board you wouldn't shy away from accountability to the public. So I first, st I'd like to ask, why are you noncompliant with publicly sharing information as required in the Maryland Open Meetings Act? And will there ever be an opportunity for community to publicly engage with.

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EHS-C223: Baha.

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janvi madhani: Apparatus, and you can see how censoring these meetings and not sharing meeting information.

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EHS-C223: I'll bring it up.

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janvi madhani: Reveals to us that Johns Hopkins is manufacturing consent for this Accountability board and a legitimate police work.

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janvi madhani: Additionally, I'm curious to hear what situations. You think armed police would be the appropriate 1st responders. And how often does that situation happen on our campus? I'll put this all in chat as well, so it's on the record.

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EHS-C223: Can you? Can you repeat the last part of your question? The second part of your question.

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janvi madhani: Yes, I am curious to hear what situations you think armed police would be the appropriate 1st responders. And how often does that situation happen on our campus?

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EHS-C223: I? Let me answer the 1st question, sweetie Jordan, shortcoming. So one of the things that we talked about in terms of, and this is why messaging and messages are important, and one of the things that we

struggled with as a board was, you know, with the with the communication that was saw about, you know.

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EHS-C223: Go shut it off or shut it down, I guess.

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EHS-C223: Excuse me if if I'm loosely translating what was there was more of a issue of safety and concern. And a lot of us do this work in an outside commission in an outside of our public time, and so many of us have daughters. We have kids, grandkids. I know Miss Sonya have grandkids, and she's a little shy right now. I don't know why this is our 1st time being at one. And so we wanna make sure that

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EHS-C223: anything that we do not only bare and echoes the safety of any and every individual in the community us include, we are, yeah. We serve on this board, but we also members of the community. And we also have other roles, mothers, fathers, uncles, aunts, cousins. And so we want to make sure that we are keeping in mind not to add to any more social determinants, or any more trauma that happens

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EHS-C223: in and out of communities, and every which away. And so I think what would need to happen is there would need to be assurances there.

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EHS-C223: so that you know, hey, people do. Have. We all have a right, myself included? To, you know. Free speech, you know, and to to demonstrate, you know, for a whole host of issues that we are passionate about. But we need to know that it will also be nonviolent and peaceful. And so those assurances also need to be there short term options. And, like I said, I have my Mini mate, so I will protect her at all costs.

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janvi madhani: I I would like to push back and say that I asked you a very legal question in terms of your non compliance with the Maryland Open Meetings Act, in which you did not publish the information about this meeting ahead of time, and I know that you were held accountable for that. People asked you to do that. So.

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EHS-C223: I think. Sorry. Well, well, the open meetings act as you know. It doesn't give specific amount, like we don't have to post 30 days in advance. As a matter of fact, I believe it's 24 h. Okay, 48 h so I think that we've done that, and where we haven't, we'll go back and look like you know, today is a new day.

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EHS-C223: And if you see where that has been an issue, please identify that to us. I. I don't mind that being identified. But if you think that we should do better, you have something that we don't know about.

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EHS-C223: I am so willing to hear what you have to say on that. But it's 48 h, and I think it was posted 48 h. And I think I think, okay, I. And I think that that is. But but let us know we we not. This is what we don't want to do. We want to understand you.

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EHS-C223: and we want to have a a dialogue where we can do better because we need to represent you.

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EHS-C223: And so tell me when that happened, and tell me what your point of view is, and what you think

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EHS-C223: is most appropriate, and I yield back to you.

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janvi madhani: If you're here to represent us, then you have to be willing to hear us, and you're not facilitating a community dialogue by hosting these meetings in a format in which you're able to censor who is able to speak in these meetings. And so I urge you to 1st start with opening the meeting format to a place that can actually be a community input and listening session.

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EHS-C223: But that's what we were gonna do that I would very much like to sit and meet with you in person. But you know we if we were prevented from doing that today. This is this is this is what we're we're here for.

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janvi madhani: On, the.

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EHS-C223: But first, st yeah, I.

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janvi madhani: Yeah, moving on to the second question. I would really be curious to know,

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janvi madhani: what situations do you think armed police would be the 1st appropriate 1st responders. And how often does that happen on our campus of Johns Hopkins.

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EHS-C223: That's a common question.

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EHS-C223: Well, if I could just prime the pump here, there is a policy related to, I'm gonna get the. I'm gonna get the acronym wrong. I think. Vcrt, or something like that. But we have a response crisis team where they have specific things that they are supposed to respond to and so I would. I would encourage you to look at that policy and see if

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EHS-C223: you know you. You have thoughts about that one way or the other. The second thing to your question, which I do think is appropriate for for this board is the data. I don't know that this board has progressed to the point of receiving data, because there's not. There's no police officers that are actually patrolling, but I certainly think that is that being a community concern, probably one of their concerns, too.

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EHS-C223: who was responding. And what's the outcome, I think, certainly is is something that is important to this community and and nationwide. So I would encourage the Board to take that up when they're actually police officers that are responding, and in one of our previous meetings we were sure when we I can't remember which one it was, whether it was the august one, that when that happens, you know, we get down the road once it's actually established

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EHS-C223: that public safety would be sharing that data with us. And again, there's no 4th police force established right now. So no data that we have at this point. Yeah. But let me also chime in. I think. We do have the Doubt Data Analysis Committee which is established.

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EHS-C223: and it and I have taken the note, and it will be provided to them. That it is possible already, I believe, to go through records from the University public safety, about what types of crimes and what types of incidents are occurring on campus, specifically to your question. How

many there are? I don't think we know that, and that's that's a judgment that's an operational call. Which of those incidents would be responded to with a firearm.

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EHS-C223: That's an operational issue which is kind of outside of our purview. But to understand the types of instance that are occurring, that a firearm will be needed. I'm I'm presuming there are very few, and there would be very few.

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EHS-C223: so. But but yes, I've taken the note, and this is this is all a part of us collecting the information to make sure it gets to the right place. So I appreciate the question. It's a very important question for all community members and everyone who is using or accessing the campus. So I I recognize it. I appreciate the question additionally, the clear the Clery Act. I don't know if I'm saying it right.

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EHS-C223: is available on the Public safety website. So you can go and see all available public data, for I want to say.

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EHS-C223: since it was established for a few, I think at least a year. So you're able to see within a few days that to update the incident reports of of what crime is is happening in what areas. And it's separated by campus.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: No, it's fine. We do publish that information. On an annual basis. We do review that on a monthly basis. There are incidents that happen in and around all 3 campuses that may rise to the level where there is police intervention right now that police intervention is for Bpd.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: so there are things that happen on a regular basis. That are crimes that may rise to the level where there may be an interaction with a sworn police officer. Currently.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: that is not Jhpd.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Yes.

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janvi madhani: Well, I'm not really hearing kind of what the common thread of this is is. You're not able to provide any legitimacy to the need for a police force if you cannot even name kind of the statistics and the types of crimes that are occurring on campus. So to me this seems like.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: You can go to the Public Safety website. All of our crime statistics are published

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: and you can.

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janvi madhani: Every single document, and I'm your own documents have revealed that there is not the crime that you claim there is on campus in order to justify such a police force.

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janvi madhani: So if you are not revealing this information to the public and engaging with us in a way that

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janvi madhani: you yourselves are able to justify the Jpd. I'm not sure how you can create trust with a community.

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EHS-C223: And and you're you're well within your rights to have have the feelings that you do. However, the the conception of the Jpd is at a state level, so we can't decide whether or not there is one.

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EHS-C223: We, as a board, are able to adjust policies, address the community and work with that. But you're gonna have to talk to your state legislator

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EHS-C223: if you don't want that to exist. That's not. That's outside of our purview. But email. Us that accountability board at Jju. Edu put those questions in it because the number of people have responded even over the last 72 h. What Joan and Claude and Emil and others. Please do, please do put that in there.

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EHS-C223: cause we're we're also learning. And we're also very engaged in this as well. And there are separate kind of dichotomies in this process. You got public safety. You got Jpd. In those. I think that's like cause of some confusion with the community as well.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, thank you. Thank you.

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EHS-C223: We don't have anything with governance. We just want to take

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EHS-C223: questions from the community about whatever it is, they would like to

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EHS-C223: to talk about.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: There is a second Giovanni. That's in here that I promoted. That person had their hand up.

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EHS-C223: Okay. Okay. Cool.

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janvi madhani: Hi!

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janvi madhani: I don't know if you called on me.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Yes, I did.

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janvi madhani: Oh, okay, fantastic. Thank you so much.

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janvi madhani: hopefully. I'm visible.

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EHS-C223: Yes, yes.

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janvi madhani: Okay. Hi, all. I'm Anish Telovado. I am a graduate worker at Johns Hopkins as well.

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janvi madhani: I just wanted to thank John V. For a round of questioning, and I also wanted to thank you for for engaging with that as well.

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janvi madhani: So I had a very specific question, actually, with regards to the table that was mentioned

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janvi madhani: earlier about the response to the the response that was posted online to some of the community questions that was made. I think this was this went under the name the Disposition report, if I understand correctly, anyway. So

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janvi madhani: there's kind of a general concern that I have, which is that.

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janvi madhani: for example, if I take the example of one of the major community concerns which was raised. Having watched some of the previous meetings, people had concern about rifles being carried on campus. And yes, there were numerous sort of clarifications about. Yes, the rifle racks are going to be in

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janvi madhani: the cop cars are not going to be actively carried, but they're still going to be the ability to utilize rifles on campus for the purpose of enforcement, and the response in the disposition report was essentially to the effect of

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janvi madhani: this is not going to be incorporated, and I think all of the

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janvi madhani: all the things that were incorporated were essentially suggestive things about the framing of the policies as mission statements

or not, but in the original, in the text of the original use of force doctrines, they said, no, sorry. We're not going to engage with this.

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janvi madhani: We understand that the rifle racks are going to be in the thing, but this is a non-negotiable, and the thing that to me is concerning is that

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janvi madhani: even there, or even now, as you've spoken, there is a general sentiment that the jurisprudence, and specifically what?

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janvi madhani: Situations and mandates the Johns Hopkins police department itself seems to be in flux. I think this was like the answer that was given just now was that we can't speak to what sort of crimes the police department is going to address until they are deployed, seemingly.

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janvi madhani: and to me it's a little concerning that there is recruitment happening. There is training happening. And some of these questions haven't been addressed. Are we? Am I to expect that

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janvi madhani: moving forward

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janvi madhani: like once police officers deploy and are carrying rifles on campus. If I raise this objection again, I'm going to be met with the same sort of response, which is non-engagement with the policies, because to me that seems like a pretty major policy. That was sort of.

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EHS-C223: Question. The question that you were saying was the question that was raised before was different from the question that you framed as you spoke, because I'm writing down and taking notes. So your your question that you cited as the previous question is different. Yours?

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EHS-C223: Had someone saying.

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janvi madhani: I can clarify. I can confess this if you like. I'm sorry. It was a bit of an ill-frame question. I acknowledge this.

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janvi madhani: There's sort of 2 2 things that I that I take onus with one, which is the answer that you just gave to John V's question, which is, we can't give an answer as to what specific things the Jhpd is going to be able to address on campus by virtue of crime.

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EHS-C223: Yeah. And if you if you don't yeah. So I did not say that just to clarify, because I think I was the one who spoke on that. The policies say exactly what Johns Hopkins has promised to adhere to. So that's whether there is somebody that is hired now, or whenever they're deployed. So that's what they have to go by. And so when I said

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EHS-C223: I thought she was asking for data on the

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EHS-C223: on the response from police to people on campus, and I'm saying that there are no, there's no data for police right now, because there are none that are deployed. Now, I did have something, some clarification which is actually true. There is activity because there was public safety. So there's data on public safety, and also the data on the Baltimore police department, who is the one that's being called right now? So

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EHS-C223: I hope that helps.

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EHS-C223: Can you add additional parity back to that. Oh, are you good with that.

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janvi madhani: Yeah. So so I I understand it. I think so. The specific thing that I heard was, there are no officers deployed. We're going to have to make. We're going to have to wait for the data to come in as to what sort of crimes they are addressing upon deployment.

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EHS-C223: And that is not accurate. That is not accurate. What what they, when they are hired, what they are going to deploy to is very. It's clear in the documents.

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janvi madhani: Okay, but the sort of crime they're going to be addressing specifically the concerns that Johns Hopkins has, the kinds of things that they will be responding to are not things you can speak to until they are deployed.

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EHS-C223: No, no, they're all in. They're all in the policy. Yeah, there are everything, the the policy and the mou.

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EHS-C223: That's a clear access. What's important. So that way, you know everything that we're citing in this conversation we can send out as a link so that people can understand public safety. Jhpd accountability board the policy.

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EHS-C223: The BRCT. Like letter.

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EHS-C223: like, we can't give you data on what the Jhpd has responded to, because there is no Jhpd officer that has responded to something yet. There's no data about something that hasn't happened yet, but what they're supposed to do when they actually come on board. That is established.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, we're pulling up the documentation now.

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janvi madhani: I think I think this.

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EHS-C223: The type of crimes are in the.

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janvi madhani: Efficiently addresses my question.

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EHS-C223: Which -

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janvi madhani: This.

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EHS-C223: Yeah. That's the.

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janvi madhani: Addresses the 1st question, which is.

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EHS-C223: I think.

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janvi madhani: Yes, I am clarified on specifically what it is, you said, and I think it reifies my point that I'm not getting a justification for specifically

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janvi madhani: what they're hoping to address, but moving on. There's the second part of my

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janvi madhani: part of my question. I'd like to get to that. I don't want to take other people's time away, so I'm very sorry.

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EHS-C223: You're fine. You're fine. You're fine, because because we want you to walk away, at least, understanding as best we can answer you, and as best as.

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janvi madhani: You can.

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EHS-C223: We? That's what you're here for. And so they're looking up now for the specific that you want, because you want a specific, what kind of crime would an armed police officer be fighting? You know. I don't want to guess at it, but but as a community person, so if you'll stay online, we'll get back to you in just a moment. With that, with the actual documentation.

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janvi madhani: There was a second part of my question, and then I'm going to ask that and then step out if that's okay. But the second part of my question was, with regards to the sort of the specific example that I gave of a policy or a community concern that was raised and addressed in the disposition document essentially with no change reflected on this in the policy

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janvi madhani: to me. So so that's 1 example of a general trend that I am seeing, which is that there are some things to figure out

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janvi madhani: community comment. Previous community comment meetings raised the issue of

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janvi madhani: Hey, I'm uncomfortable with the Jspd. Carrying rifles around me on campus. The disposition report did not incorporate this at all into the policy recommendations stating that okay rifles will be in the rifle racks will be in the cars, and they are not going to be actively wielded during patrols.

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janvi madhani: I don't think that adequately addressed the question. I think in previous community comments that I watched, I think that same clarification was made, and it did not address the question. So my question is that if I make policy. If I bring up policy concerns to this Board which you've already clarified as advisory.

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janvi madhani: and I am met with that same essential non-response from the Jhpd. They are not required to take in your policy recommendations.

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janvi madhani: And on top of that you're telling me that we're still figuring things out, going into recruitment and potential deployment in the fall.

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janvi madhani: I I just it's not swearing with me, and something about that strikes me as very off. So I'd like you to speak to that a little bit.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, no, I appreciate the question. It was raised, at least to my knowledge, in the last

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EHS-C223: community outreach meeting that we had, and specifically about the rifles being in certain vehicles. I don't think there was ever a

plan, or there is a plan that patrol officers will carry rifles. I'm not sure where that that representation is coming from, and I understood.

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janvi madhani: The cars. This is documented.

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EHS-C223: Right, but we're talking, but but it's been mentioned several times that they're going to be patrolling the campus carrying rifles. I don't think that was ever a yeah.

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janvi madhani: With there being rifle racks in the cars that police have access to.

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EHS-C223: So.

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janvi madhani: On canvas.

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EHS-C223: Yes. So, as I said earlier, we're collecting.

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EHS-C223: Yes, no. As as I said earlier, we're collecting all the comments from this round of community outreach. We're we're sending them to the Public safety to get to get clarification notes. That is a look that's a major one. I I don't know what public safety's outcome will be. And I and I'm hearing you that you're not so far

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EHS-C223: satisfied with the type of of incorporation or outcome, or or

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EHS-C223: or disposition that follows. But what I what I understand, so far from having researched, is that those long, long guns will be only in certain vehicles. It won't be in all vehicles. Number one. And then what I also understood researching this issue after our last community outreach meeting is that there are there are some pretty big restrictions on

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EHS-C223: what types of weapons can be used? Some of them go back to the original original legislation. The Cssa of of 2019, where it specifically bans the police from using certain weapons. And it also bans the Jpd from acquiring and utilizing military surplus type weapons.

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EHS-C223: So I know that the issue is there. I know that the the people in in Annapolis have thought about. I know people in public safety have thought about it. But I do recognize the fact that there is still a question about the long, the long guns being in certain vehicles.

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EHS-C223: And and what cases and what circumstances that might be deployed, because I don't think specifically, that is, in the policy under which cases, or in which they might be deployed. If there's a question about it, we'll raise it, and hopefully they will provide clarification.

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EHS-C223: And just just to add to that 404 patrol rifle. The rifle provides this is page 4. Under equipment. Under procedures the rifle provides officers with several safety advantages when confronting an active assailant or a heavily armed or fortified aggressive assailant. They're not patrolling the campus with

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EHS-C223: rifle rifle. Yep, correct. That's just not accurate. That's not in the policy document. If you see it somewhere, please email it to us. So we can address it. But it's not in the document. And that's 4, 4, 5, and 4, 6,

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EHS-C223: because he did say they.

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janvi madhani: Thank you for the clarification about rifles.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, this.

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janvi madhani: It's actually incredibly helpful.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, absolutely. I would say.



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janvi madhani: So like. But but

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janvi madhani: the latter point that I made still stands on this like, I think it's also been said now that that

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janvi madhani: there is not specific clarification on the nature of the rifles and what cars they're going to be in. I'm willing to. I'm going to feed my time because I think, like we're not going to get much further on this. I think the point still stands that there's a lot to be figured out, and we're moving into deployment. But thank you very much for your time.

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EHS-C223: If you are able to email specifically what you mean by

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EHS-C223: other, what was the I forget what the word you use? But if you just email us the specific questions, we can hopefully try to get you answers and then respond back.

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janvi madhani: I very much intend to email. Thank you.

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EHS-C223: When when you are concerned, we are concerned because we represent you. And so we want to make sure that your questions are addressed appropriately. And if people are feeling like they're being ignored or the communities being ignored, that's a big problem.

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EHS-C223: right? So we need to address that. If that's an issue, we might not get you the answer that you want because we aren't the police. We are you. We are community members.

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EHS-C223: So all we can do is say that this is a legitimate concern. We want to know what's going on and what the indications are, and the answer that they give us. We can get back to you, and if it's still not clear enough, then we can work with the police to try to make it more clear. That's our job is to make it more clear. But we are not the bad guy. We are not the police. We are you, and we are just trying to

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EHS-C223: communicate with the police department and make sure that your concerns and questions are addressed, and if people feel the opposite way, we represent those people as well, so we are trying to do our best job to represent everyone that we represent.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, no, just.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Before we go to the next the next piece. I just wanna set the stage for who's next? And then I'm gonna go through some questions that we have here, so the 1st one up will be Abby Sutherland, the second will be Emil Bolcek.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: and then I'll go through the questions that have been submitted.

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EHS-C223: Okay.

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EHS-C223: So I think,

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: You're welcome.

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Abbie Sutherland: Hello!

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EHS-C223: Yes, we hear you.

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Abbie Sutherland: Oh, thank you. Thank you very much for hosting the meeting. I'm embarrassed to say that I'm very new to this issue, but I live in Waverley.

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Abbie Sutherland: and I hear all my fellow citizens saying exactly how I feel, which is, if you are us and we are you, then why are you so

threatened to not have an in-person meeting? So we, as citizens concerned citizens who are clearly saying

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Abbie Sutherland: that they've brought things to your attention in the past that they have not yet been implemented in any official way, that the policy doesn't stand or show the community input so far. And apparently we're so threatening that you have to sit around a table and we watch you tiny little individual people without being a crowd of concerned. Citizens. You are us, and we are you. When is our next community meeting in person.

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Abbie Sutherland: where you can feel non threatened about us, but actually guide us, and let us feel like advisors, because

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Abbie Sutherland: I'm not a religious person. But if this was a church, and the preacher was just saying, Check your Bible, check your notes, call me back. That is not community. That is not how people get together and vocalize strong, dangerous things occurring in our community.

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Abbie Sutherland: So when is our next peaceful, happy meeting together as one to discuss these issues, so I can meet my great neighbors, who I stand behind everything everybody said so far, and I can only say that it sounds to me as if the board and the community are slightly contentious already, and that would be ever so detrimental to both.

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Abbie Sutherland: Thank you.

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EHS-C223: Well, I I want to answer you, Abby.

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EHS-C223: just to simply say that it was our desire, as we met August the 3rd in East Baltimore. It was our desire to meet

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EHS-C223: with the homework campus, but not we weren't threatened, but threats were made. And so, of course, in today's climate.

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EHS-C223: We can't speak for what

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EHS-C223: could happen. And so it was my call, my call for the safety of all involved, for the safety of the facility that extended itself

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EHS-C223: to the meeting for the safety of of the neighbors in that particular intersection. I thought it would be best if we would just let things calm down, and I hope that they hear you that that's something that you wanted. But we don't know how many people didn't. I'll tell you this.

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EHS-C223: There was 700 views and 13 shares calling to shut it down so there wouldn't have been a lot of exchange with people wanting to shut the meeting down. At least right now we get to hear how you feel, and you get to hear how we feel. We? We weren't afraid. If if we we thought to move forward, I I would have been in the front of the line.

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EHS-C223: But again, in today's climate and the things that are happening in this city. People are being put in unpleasant positions for far less.

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EHS-C223: And and so, as I said, I didn't want to see that happen to any of my good neighbors. And I didn't want to see that happen to the Police Accountability Board. So that's why we are not in person, but it is my goal

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EHS-C223: that we would be in person.

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EHS-C223: But I won't do it at the detriment of anyone having the potential of being hurt just won't do it.

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EHS-C223: And so I'm so sorry that you're disappointed. You sound disappointed. Everyone around this table is disappointed because we prepared to do that. That's what we want to do. That is our mandate. And so here we are online and hopefully, real soon.

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EHS-C223: we'll be able to meet in person where there can be a good exchange. And we can address more issues. Thank you. I yield back. Hold on. I want to clarify because actually cause you had mentioned

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EHS-C223: that you made decision actually.

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EHS-C223: just to

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EHS-C223: further, clarify with the community, we actually ended up meeting and discussing

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EHS-C223: as a board, and made and took that

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EHS-C223: decision. We did by by majority. Yes, the decision was made. We did collectively speak about it. Just for clarity that is important to to say, it wasn't just myself alone, saying, but of course, as chair of the committee, I strongly urge that we would meet online. And so that's how all of that came to be.

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EHS-C223: I yield back to you, Abby. Let's see.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: I'm sorry I thought she was done so. I I moved her out of the meeting.

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EHS-C223: Let her let her her finish and say she hasn't.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Let me come back and see if she has anything else to share. Hold on!

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Hello.

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EHS-C223: Yeah.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Added, yeah. Yes.

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Abbie Sutherland: Thank you. I appreciate that you all made this decision together. I still feel just in terms of language that that means you must have been somehow threatened. And the question is, really, when can we get together in person without, you know, shares frightening people off? When can we get together as a community. So the community gets to meet each other. We see you. I want to see my community.

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EHS-C223: Well, we understand that. But again there was a threat, and we, you know, and and I can't speak by everyone on the board feels again. I was ready to do it despite. But then, when we saw what we saw, we did it for safety, not for threat.

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EHS-C223: We did. But if you threatened you, you we wanted to be safe. We didn't want anything to happen to anyone. And so that's where I that's where we all stood on that based on on the conversations and based on the emails that we received.

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EHS-C223: That's why the decision was made. We received emails. We received posters. We received a lot of things, and so we made a decision based on safety more than threat. Miss Ricks, you have anything you wanted to add, did you raise any?

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EHS-C223: I was. I did want to say the meeting that we had with East Baltimore in person last month was successful. Absolutely. It's not like we haven't

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EHS-C223: given the opportunity.

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EHS-C223: And I I personally told anybody that wants to meet that I'm willing to meet with them. But I I like doing in person better. I'm

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EHS-C223: team of my community association. I've hosted these, and like I've hosted a conversation with Dr. Bard in person.

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EHS-C223: It can happen. We just need to be safe, and also the the place that was going to allow us to be there. We have to take that into consideration as well, and the 1st time something happens and we weren't safe, you would say, oh, they weren't safe, and they move forward with the meeting. So you know it. It is what it is, and that's the decision that was made. But I promise you, in the future we look to have

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EHS-C223: in in person, meeting with everyone as far as they allow, cause we're here.

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01:04:34.380 --> 01:04:35.829

EHS-C223: Oh, thank you.

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EHS-C223: you're welcome, Calvin.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Yes.

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EHS-C223: What's our quorum number

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EHS-C223: each one.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: What do you mean? What, what.

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EHS-C223: What's what's the in terms of the like the Accountability Board Accountability Board, we have 15 members is our core number 7 or 8.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Hey!

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EHS-C223: Thank you.

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EHS-C223: So if so, then I mean, we have Ed on the screen.

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EHS-C223: We could actually, you know, vis-a-vis, we don't know when. But we could take a vote

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EHS-C223: that we would have before the ball drops December 31st

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EHS-C223: to try and have another in person meeting. I don't think we need a vote. I think we can kind of think it over. Get through this meeting, and then we'll meet on Wednesday. And then the next question.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: And then that's Mr. Bolchek.

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EHS-C223: Go ahead!

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Emil Volcheck: Hi! Good afternoon. Can you hear me?

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EHS-C223: Yes, yes.

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Emil Volcheck: Well, thank you. My name is Emil Volchek. Pronouns he, him and I'm speaking on behalf of the Able Improvement Association or Aia.

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Emil Volcheck: Our community is the neighborhood between Guilford and Greenmount.

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Emil Volcheck: west to east.

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Emil Volcheck: and between 29th and 33rd Streets, plus the 3,300 block of able South to north.

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Emil Volcheck: If you had been meeting in St. Mose in person today, you would be in our community and we would welcome you.

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Emil Volcheck: The Aia officially opposes the private armed police force proposed by Hopkins. Our membership voted against it in 2,019, and unanimously reaffirmed our position. In April of this year.

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Emil Volcheck: copies of our minutes are available on the AI website on the AI website and on request.

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Emil Volcheck: Here are some of the reasons that individual members have given for why they oppose Jhpd.

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Emil Volcheck: First.st Guns don't make our community safer, particularly military style. Rifles, guns, and students don't mix. However, Jhu appears to be intent on having guns.

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Emil Volcheck: Next, people of color are at greater risk of harm by having more armed police.

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Emil Volcheck: Next, crime has been decreasing in our community as

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Emil Volcheck: supported by the Baltimore banner and the Charles village community benefits district management authority.

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Emil Volcheck: A new private armed police force is not needed to make us safer.

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Emil Volcheck: Unarmed. Security is a better way, like the Baltimore City Community college model.

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Emil Volcheck: Next law enforcement powers must be accountable to the public. President Daniels claims that the police force will be accountable. However, as you stated, the Jhu pab does not have actual

authority to hold Jhu accountable. Your police force is ultimately accountable to President Ron Daniels, who is not elected and not accountable.

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EHS-C223: Next.

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Emil Volcheck: Jhpd. Is competing with Bpd. For new officers, which jeopardizes compliance with a consent decree.

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Emil Volcheck: Jhu is trying to privatize a public resource for their unprivileged community.

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EHS-C223: This one.

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Emil Volcheck: Ultimately we can.

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EHS-C223: Stupidly.

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Emil Volcheck: Armed officers. Next, armed officers will do nothing to prevent the most prevalent crimes on campus, which are intimate partner. Violence

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Emil Volcheck: next

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Emil Volcheck: well, I'll just close and say, there, there are more reasons that I don't want to cover today to allow time for all the other people who wish to speak, and finally we look forward to Baltimore City, gaining local control of its police after the November election.

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Emil Volcheck: changing from my Aia hat to a personal hat. I just want to say. I watched the last Pab meeting with President Daniels, and I heard him say that he believes the policy process will build trust. I personally don't believe this is true. I think there needs to be much

greater outreach and ways to reassure the public about why this needs to even exist, and how people will be kept safe from this greater risk.

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Emil Volcheck: I'd also like to say, I support and agree with the comments made by John V. Madani.

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Emil Volcheck: I believe I heard you agree that incidents where armed police, where armed police will be necessary will be rare. I think John V. Was asking about how past data has been analyzed and used to justify a future need for a private armed police force. And this information has not been presented.

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Emil Volcheck: And let me just say, if you choose to meet in person, AI would welcome you in our community. Thank you.

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EHS-C223: Yeah. So, hey,

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EHS-C223: Emil, yeah, please. So the the letter that you read can you email that to us? Accountability board at J. J. 2.edu there were. I'm not going to respond everything up that way. I'll give our other fellow members to weigh in on some things. I do hear you in regards to

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EHS-C223: you mentioning that you were part of the meeting with President Daniels, and I understand that, what dissension and distrust that the community has. And again, when we just like when we spoke, I think it is key.

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EHS-C223: and anything that we do with the community that the that there is a open, transparent, 2 way street communicative process, so that the community can feel like the necessary guardrails, mechanisms, and constructs are there on the front end and the back end of what we do. With our intersectionality between the police Department and the Police Accountability board. Oh, no, you want to go ahead

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EHS-C223: and I mean as a African American person of color, I mean, I and my daughter is 9. You know, I was. Personally, you know, one of the people that took the position that pretty much any college and university across this country should have one, because we don't know

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EHS-C223: right? But I do. But that does not mean that these type of mechanisms cannot be set up in a way, or should not be set up in a way that has to trust the ear and the heart of the community, and how it operates and exists

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EHS-C223: alright. So my name's April, and thank you. And I I do hope we get to come to to your community. And I would be very excited, too. So I hope we get to do that in the future. One of the things you were saying, and and I feel like this is reverberated a lot is that

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EHS-C223: but a lot of the opposition to us that we're getting, is that?

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EHS-C223: Why, how can we justify the Jhpd existing? And quite frankly, that's you have to talk to your State legislatures, we, as a an accountability like

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EHS-C223: they are the ones that set up

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EHS-C223: the Jhpd. We, as an Accountability board can no longer can have no much more influence than any other layperson to ask Mr. Daniels to dissolve the police force than anybody else. You have to speak to the State Legislature. You have to talk to your elected officials. However, what we can do, and I think everyone on this Board is committed to doing is, since the Jhpd. Does exist, is to make sure that it is as transparent as

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EHS-C223: as as

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EHS-C223: competent and as

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EHS-C223: effective in

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EHS-C223: in engaging community and being for the community as it can, because

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EHS-C223: we cannot shut the police down. That's we simply don't have the power to do that. That's that's at the State Legislature. And so, while I appreciate the frustrations of the community that the account that the Johns Hopkins Police Department exists, there's nothing that we can do about it. What we can do about it is, hear your stories, hear specific situations, and try to make writing policies that would address those concerns.

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EHS-C223: If it's something that the community wants. This is an ask that the community wants such as we want to make sure that our officers are part of the community. Tell us how we make sure that

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EHS-C223: the officers are a part of the community, whether it's, you know, being involved for so many hours a month, or being involved before you join the whatever it is.

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EHS-C223: If we have specific things that we can do, let's do them. We want to hear those.

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EHS-C223: and I'm so sorry that I can't do anything about the Hopkins police department existing more than so than anybody else that has a boat

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EHS-C223: for our for our elected officials in Annapolis, and I. And I'm sorry about that. I do want to add this.

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Emil Volcheck: May respond to April. I appreciate your thoughtful response, but I would respectfully differ, because the Mayor and City Council have a great deal of authority within the city of Baltimore's city limits, and in particular the Memorandum of Understanding is between the city and Johns Hopkins University, that is very much under the control of the city

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Emil Volcheck: and not a lawyer, so I won't further speculate on the legal question that you articulate. But I would say that that is a legal matter to be discussed by lawyers.

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EHS-C223: So if I just may make a clarification there, because the legislature passed the law. That established Johns Hopkins. That meant that there was then an obligation, for there to be an operational mou created between the Bpd. And the Johns Hopkins Police Department. If the State Legislature had not given that power, then there would be no mou, because

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EHS-C223: there would be so so. So I'm just saying that the mou does not. Now where you are correct.

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EHS-C223: right where you are correct is that there is some negotiation power between Bpd. And Johns Hopkins as far as what

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EHS-C223: the response will be a lot of operational things. But the fact that Johns Hopkins, Pd. Exists

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EHS-C223: is not at the city level. It's at the state level.

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Emil Volcheck: The legislation. It says that the police must be armed.

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EHS-C223: So those are.

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Emil Volcheck: And that's not new here. And Baltimore City Community College. They are a sworn police force, and they do not carry weapons. So can you explain what is the State mandate for armed private.

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EHS-C223: Yes.

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EHS-C223: sir. So if with my explanation, I simply meant their existence was created by the State. I I acknowledge, and said you were right that the operational pieces meaning responding, and those sorts of things that is, between Bpd. And and Johns Hopkins. You are right in that regard.

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Emil Volcheck: Thank you.

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EHS-C223: And the same way that the Baltimore City police and any other police department they all have the the State that they respond to their standard set. They they just don't do what they want. I hear you say, private. I'm not. I can't. I don't want to say what you mean when you say private

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EHS-C223: but it's a private university, not meaning that they don't have to answer to anyone. That's not what the private is in private university, and so they do have to answer to the standards and how they operate. They did open up the door for you to say that you don't feel that they should exist. But

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EHS-C223: there are other people in this same community who do support it. And so that's why it's best that we all come together and and not draw lines I support. I don't

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EHS-C223: and come up with decisions that everyone can at least walk away satisfied with. That's how that happens. It doesn't happen with the a whole a community organization saying, no, you can say no, but but also work along with people who say, yes, that's what this board is composed of. You have people who say you don't support, and you have people who do, and that's the reason we all came together

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EHS-C223: to see how we can make this work in best practice. So I I just wanted to add that.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Wanted to to.

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EHS-C223: But that's say.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Thank you.

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EHS-C223: Out of the point.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Hello!

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EHS-C223: Oh, okay.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: You can go ahead and clarify, but we have a lot of questions, and we have several hands, and I just want to put out here, if you all are willing to stay longer. I want to ask that question because I we do have quite a few things.

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EHS-C223: I'm through. Well.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: And I'll at least.

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EHS-C223: It's fine to stay longer. But one thing that Emil said, too, was that this police force. I see you, Gerald, that this police force is taking away from Baltimore City police.

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EHS-C223: That's a cut off to how many police can come over and be hired by Johns Hopkins. So you just can't take a whole police force. Couldn't say we're going to move over to Johns Hopkins because we like that benefit package better. It doesn't work that way. So I did want to answer that as as well, and I yield back to you, sir. No, I appreciate it just to clarify a few things. So I mean, even though this is a private

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EHS-C223: institution and university.

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EHS-C223: we don't get to do what we want when we want, how we want even down to when it comes to our facility and land space, we still have to go through the the same process that any resident in this city has to go through. Because while we may be a private institution or non public institution,

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EHS-C223: by nature of purpose, and all those other acts in Fullmark, they are still students of the same and the same thing as relates to that. So even if we wanted to have something or party on our campus. We gotta go through the same fire market process for anything that we want to do. A to Z the other point that you raised. Right now it is in the hands of the State legislator. So as of today. September 14, th

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EHS-C223: I I would be remiss to say that it would probably be just for real for real. Who's to think that President Daniels is probably Gonna wake up today or tomorrow. Text me like or text us like, Hey, you know what no long one do. The police department and the Accountability Board. Let's shut that down the same thing for public safety or anyone else, probably be remiss to say

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EHS-C223: it's it's good, I mean, I'm here, or, you know, call me 443-76-8166, one

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EHS-C223: it. It would be remiss.

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EHS-C223: you know, to think that any of those agencies or entities want to. Now in terms of speaking of November, we can only cross that bridge when we get here or get there, but for right now it exists in the hands of Annapolis in terms of that, but we're not a part of if somebody wants to establish the shut it down, committee, please do establish it.

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EHS-C223: Happy to meet. But this is this

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EHS-C223: commission is established right now for the next foreseeable future. What the 8 years, 10 years, or whatever to exist and operate, so we at least got almost a decade of work to do. And what's important is to make sure, preemptively good, bad, happy, sad, that while it is in existence we can make sure we get it right. And we need more people

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EHS-C223: to help us in the community because we have 15 kids. But we don't know at all about how we right tied this process so that there are no negative or bad consequences that we all think about, pray about, hear, about, see, about and think about.

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EHS-C223: Thank you. And then our next question, no, I'm just saying, when I yielded back to you. When I yielded I was yielding back, yielding back to you. So so no, that's all. That's okay. I just wanted to let him have a a final say in terms of what you heard. Go ahead, sir.

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EHS-C223: I appreciate.

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Emil Volcheck: Your responses, and we can follow up offline.

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EHS-C223: Thank you, sir. Thank you. Okay.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: I just wanted to.

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EHS-C223: Hey!

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Go ahead!

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EHS-C223: Budget.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Government.

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EHS-C223: I I just wanted to say that I hope people are aware that there are members of this Board who are opposed to the police department, and who are opposed to armed police officers. Yes, I am a physician. I am a trauma surgeon. I study gun violence

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EHS-C223: and part of the reason I am on this board is because I'm interested in nonviolent solutions to crime. And I want to make sure that people are safe within this community. Right. So if people in the community have suggestions for violence, interruption, or other methods that we can help develop policies

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EHS-C223: or training to ensure that these police officers act within the appropriate means, or we have the appropriate resources to not use them and solve problems in other ways. That is our goal. So please come to us with those suggestions and solutions, because there are numerous people within the community

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EHS-C223: at Maryland, at Johns Hopkins, who all live in this area, who have great solutions and are world experts in these things. And so we want to hear your opinion and figure out how we can create policies that ensure those things. Get put in place.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, absolutely. Yeah. Thank you.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: I got a I got a a list of questions. I'm gonna try to theme them as best as possible. So the the one that I'll let you wait until the end is talking about any in person interactions, cause I know that that's something you want to talk about, Miss the at the end, Miss Sonya. So I'm gonna hold that for you today.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: that's in person.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: And Fiona, you once I'm done, you are already a panelist. You can ask your question. Okay? But I'm gonna jump through the rest of these.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: You've already addressed the issue about why we changed from the last one.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: You've already talked about. Why the meeting was moved.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Justin, I'm going to get to you.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: These are more comments and questions.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: There was a question about if there was a threat. Those of us who studied Moses Church from our front stores were never alerted or aware of it. Can you be more specific?

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: So if you want to speak to the specificity of what we received, you're welcome to do so.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, I don't mind just thinking.

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EHS-C223: Well, we received.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Yeah. No no go ahead.

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EHS-C223: I was just simply saying it.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: This is.

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EHS-C223: Not. That's.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Somebody touch the camera.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: It got moved.

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EHS-C223: No, I didn't. Oh, up there, where? Where's the other camera? I think it's the gray, is it the gray? No, the gray? Yeah. Yeah, is that is that the camera.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Yes, yes, yes, wear your finger was.

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EHS-C223: Okay, how do we move it? How do we move it, John? There you go.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Perfect. You got it.

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EHS-C223: Okay.

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EHS-C223: are we a little smaller? Oh, no, that looks different. That's a different view. Count.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, that's not that was.

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EHS-C223: But that's that's different, but they can. Still, we can still see everybody, I think. Yeah.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Yeah, we can still see everybody. We're good.

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EHS-C223: Okay, I just think it's the framing. I think. I think when the trash was thrown away, the framing just moved.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: All right. You're good to real. You're good.

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EHS-C223: Thank you, everybody.

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EHS-C223: What was the question, Kevin.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: If you want to speak to the specific things that you received as to why you moved this meeting.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: did that.

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EHS-C223: Well, whoa!

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Has come up several times.

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EHS-C223: Well, what was received 1st

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EHS-C223: was

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EHS-C223: a

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EHS-C223: Twitter post

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EHS-C223: on that Twitter post.

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EHS-C223: There was 700 views and 13 shares

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EHS-C223: to shut it down.

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EHS-C223: It held us accountable for things.

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EHS-C223: or which we're not responsible.

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EHS-C223: But it gave the impression that we sided with that that we were handpicked.

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EHS-C223: When, in fact.

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EHS-C223: we were picked by application, we all signed up for application, not even knowing

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EHS-C223: if we would be selected

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EHS-C223: and and some were pointed. That that is correct. But we were not handpicked. It was. It was all kinds of accusations that

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EHS-C223: were not accurate. And then the and there were community members

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EHS-C223: who were, in my my personal opinion they were kind of pushing for this to happen, I'll say again

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EHS-C223: it was all about safety.

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EHS-C223: and there were posts made, and it was all about to the safety of the neighbors in the community.

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EHS-C223: So, knowing that

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EHS-C223: we were going to do it online.

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EHS-C223: It didn't make sense

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EHS-C223: to knock on doors to say we canceled because but that was the reason that we came to that decision

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EHS-C223: to keep everyone safe. We'll go back again and see if we can do it again if we're allowed to. We want to so pretty much. That's that's

it. I don't wanna stretch this out because there, there are lots of questions to be had, and we don't need to repeat what has already been. Thank you so much.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Then the next one is from

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Jediah A. A.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: I I do not want to destroy this person's name. The question is for Duke, among others. This is Dr. Jediah. Decide

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Baltimore is their hometown. They've been a faculty member of Peabody for over 20 years. Among other things, they run a community partnership. Local middle school students come to Peabody for lessons and music composition. These students are young black men and women. They are in our care while they're on campus. There's a long history of black students, faculty and staff and guests being harassed by our quote unarmed campus security. I'm deeply concerned. What will happen if armed police encounter if armed police encounter

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: this young, the young students in our program or their families

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: when they're on our campus?

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: I'm profoundly opposed to the existence of a private armed police force. Above all, I believe there's no place for guns on J. 2 campus.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: and I would ask whether any of you believe that guns do, in fact, belong on our campus. Thank you.

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EHS-C223: In the past on Johns Hopkins campus, at least East Baltimore. We had armed police officers patrolling. They used to be off duty. I don't know if anybody remember off duty police officers



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EHS-C223: for years. So that has been a thing in addition to. So it was with the sheriff's office the Baltimore City Police Department, and also a different private company at the time

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EHS-C223: and during the day hours, and also nighttime hours, and they had a full fleet of services that they would provide, and they were all armed

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EHS-C223: dogs. You name it, and additionally since this is a concern, what? What besides the abolition of a police force which we cannot do, what specifically can we do in terms of policies or training to make sure that, like what is your suggestion to

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EHS-C223: reduce harm that

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EHS-C223: could happen if they're encountering armed police forces.

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EHS-C223: So unfortunately, just an online question. But I think this is a serious concern. Right? And this is what we want to raise to the police department again. I will say we are not the police department, and we will bring this to their attention, because

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EHS-C223: these kids are our future, and they need to feel safe and comfortable on these campuses and feel like they can learn without the stress of being harassed or feeling unsafe on the campus. So we want to make sure that these cops, if they are present, are not harassing these young boys and girls who are on the campus.

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EHS-C223: We want to make sure that everyone feels safe, but they should not feel intimidated where they are. If that is a problem, then we need to talk to the police department and get it addressed. And we need to create policies

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EHS-C223: and training that ensures that people are treated with respect. I have been harassed by the cops on numerous occasions, pulled out of my car, put on the side of the road, patted down. I'm sure Jarell has, I'm

sure Duke has, and many other people here have. We? Do not want that to happen. I am a surgeon I get. I get pulled over and I get harassed. And even if I show my badge, people still still think I'm a threat

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EHS-C223: right? So that I don't want to be treated like that when I'm at the hospital. Why would I want anyone else to be

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EHS-C223: so? That is a concern of many of the members here, and we want to make sure that people feel safe and comfortable.

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EHS-C223: We are not.

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EHS-C223: We're not trying to make it so that people are getting harassed whenever they're somewhere. We just want people to be safe. But we also want to make sure that people are treated with respect. And that's why we're looking at the policies and ensuring that people are getting trained appropriately, because at the end of the day the police department is going to exist, whether we don't like it or not. And so we need to make sure that it works.

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EHS-C223: Can I add, please? I I think that question

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EHS-C223: raises a couple of interesting points from my point of view

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EHS-C223: cause. He was mentioned that some of the children and their families might be harassed by the current unarmed

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EHS-C223: public safety officers

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EHS-C223: which raises the whole point. It's there's this whole meeting. And the tenure of the discussion with the community in this meeting has, oh, has focused a lot on firearms.

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EHS-C223: and we've just heard that these children are being harassed by people who aren't armed it it also

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EHS-C223: all this is kind of firearms. I understand firearms are are difficult hurdle.

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EHS-C223: but it

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EHS-C223: doesn't escape me. That Freddie Gray

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EHS-C223: may rest in peace.

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EHS-C223: was

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EHS-C223: well, some people will say murder by

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EHS-C223: police.

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EHS-C223: not by a firearm. George Floyd, may he rest in peace! He also met his demise, not by a firearm, so there's a lot more, and I I just to think about the context of policing in general.

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EHS-C223: It it's not only about the firearm, it's the whole gambit. It's the whole world of how this police force is going to function, and the and the firearm is just a small piece of it. In my mind. They could do a lot of damage and do a lot of good on all parts of of life, on the campus or the community. And I don't. I just feel like this whole meeting has been a little bit focused a lot on the firearm, and I and I understand why. But I don't want to lose sight of the other parts of the discussion. Sorry

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EHS-C223: there, thank you.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: So before I was going to read the next question. But she's actually up now, and that would be Fiona.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: shameless, shameless.

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EHS-C223: Yeah.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Are you with us still? Fiona?

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Fiona Chamness: Yeah.

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EHS-C223: We hear you.

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Fiona Chamness: Hi! Sorry it! There was a delay on it giving me the option to turn my camera and my microphone on. I'm sorry about that.

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Fiona Chamness: So I recognize that the second question I put in the chat as something that you all have expressed is outside the purview of this board, so I will leave the second question aside and replace it with what I believe would be a briefer one. But I will maintain my 1st question, which circles back to the beginning of the meeting, when you had discussed the relationship between

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Fiona Chamness: The Ghu Pd and the Bpd in terms of raising complaints about misconduct. And you had mentioned something about

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Fiona Chamness: the determination about whether a given instance of misconduct

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Fiona Chamness: rises to the level of a crime, and therefore, would mandate referral to the Bpd accountability board. And so I have a 2 part question about that. The 1st part is who in those 2 groups is responsible

for making the initial determination regarding what complaint rises to the level of a crime like

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Fiona Chamness: is a lawyer involved, or who decides that? And then my follow up question is, if a complainant objects to that determination. Is there an appeal process in place.

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EHS-C223: So I want your question to stand. But I'm gonna make a slight correction. And I was gonna do it earlier. But I didn't wanna

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EHS-C223: interrupt the conversation, Duke said. Crime.

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EHS-C223: the Accountability board at the Bpd. At the Baltimore level has nothing to do with crime. It has to do with citizen complaints and things like that, and and it is spelled out. I don't have it in front of me. But which type of cases go before. It is very clearly spelled out in both their process of procedures and the legislation that was passed in order to

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EHS-C223: to give them that right. So your question can still stand, I think. But the crime part is that

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EHS-C223: that that that that that they don't do anything that does with crime? If you don't mind, can I also butt this to you to also weigh in, if you don't mind.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: With respect to.

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EHS-C223: Other question. But just yeah, cause I think.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: No, no, so any any. So again, I think you you all answered the question. But the the the City Accountability Board is the primary board that will review any type of complaints

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: that need to be investigated about our officers. That is not something that will be handled within Johns Hopkins University, the health system, the School of Medicine, or the Accountability Board.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: There is a flow chart that I'm sure we are. We can send out and make available that talks about what that process is, but that is something that is dictated by State law. That is not something that the university has control over Ganisha, am I correct in that? In that assessment.

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EHS-C223: Yes, yup!

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: That is, not that we have no say in how that is determined, investigated, or.

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EHS-C223: I mean part of the reason why they set it up that way. I'm sorry I forgot your name when you introduce yourself, but part of the reason why they set it up that way is because they didn't trust the police to make the determination what should be investigated or not. So they really kind of took that purview

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EHS-C223: away.

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Fiona Chamness: Okay? And then thank you for clarifying. I really appreciate it.

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Fiona Chamness: in that case.

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Fiona Chamness: would any appeal process also, then be outside the purview of Jhu, and this board.

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EHS-C223: Yes.

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Fiona Chamness: Okay.

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Fiona Chamness: And then I will like, I said, I'll dismiss my own second question because you had noted that that was a question having to do with the if the existence and efficacy of the police. And you've said that that's outside of your jurisdiction. Instead, I would like to ask, given that you noted that that would be something to take up with our State legislators and given that

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Fiona Chamness: you had mentioned that you would be. You know that it would be fine for us. Obviously it would for us to, you know, create a kind of committee that would go to the State legislature on that

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Fiona Chamness: If that were to take place would a member or members of this board be open to sitting in on a meeting that could take place with any State legislators, in order to ensure that the board is kept in the loop on how that process is going as well.

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EHS-C223: You already have a Yes from Darrell.

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Fiona Chamness: Okay.

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EHS-C223: 44. Okay?

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Fiona Chamness: And then my final thing, and then I will cede my time because I don't wanna take much of anybody's time you had mentioned in terms of safety. If people had suggestions that you were open to those. And this is A brief suggestion. I know that Baltimore City does have some

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Fiona Chamness: nonprofit non-police community safety initiatives already in place that work throughout the rest of the community. I would strongly encourage the initiation of a partnership between Hopkins, and organizations of that kind to support and increase non police safety initiatives, to spread to campus

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Fiona Chamness: to reduce or ideally eliminate the presence of police, particularly armed police on campus. I believe that that would be, really great in terms of increasing community trust.

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Fiona Chamness: It would also strengthen town gown relations. And it would ensure that both students and non student community members would be on equal footing in terms of both raising complaints and on actually feeling safe reaching out to the safety people who are in their community for assistance. Thank you.

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EHS-C223: I I just wanted to say thank you for that comment. And I've already made that suggestion to the the safety Public Safety and the police department. So we are trying to work towards that because I agree with you, I think that's the best approach. And that is actually what we currently do with our hospital based violence intervention program. We work with Monsie and community organizations to try to

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EHS-C223: reduce violence and then have the involvement of the community in those programs. So hopefully, that will help. But if you have suggestions of programs that you think are helpful and would be worth us. Suggesting. We can take that into consideration and then pass it on to the police department. But thank you for that comment.

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Fiona Chamness: I'm thrilled to hear that, and my only response would be if there are opportunities beyond this meeting and other types of meetings for community members to voice additional support for that. I would really appreciate it if the Board were involved in helping further publicize those opportunities.

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EHS-C223: And additionally a as a community leader in East Baltimore. There are meetings that Hopkins hosts between every Monday and Tuesday, between organizations in the community and Johns Hopkins to get, you know, food supplies baby diapers like

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EHS-C223: oh, a lot of the determinants of of social justice and and help. So you know, to address needs that sometimes lead to interaction unwanted interactions with the police. There's a lot of those. So if you have an organization that would like to be connected to

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EHS-C223: other community. People who can help spread the word and help spread the resources. Please share them so that we can get as many people, whatever it is they need

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EHS-C223: that they need.

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Fiona Chamness: Thank you.

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EHS-C223: Oh, and it's something.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: I think it's one thing that I would just share with this group. That's present today. The university didn't engage in a process where they provided 6 million dollars to nonprofits. To look at root causes of crime. That fund came out so a couple of years ago, after the passage of the Cssa

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: and President Daniels did speak in the last meeting about a second round, that is in discussion. So to your point, Fiona, there is a recognition that we that the University also needs to address the root causes and has been investing

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: in that way. And then, Jarell, I'll I'll I'll defer to you.

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EHS-C223: And I think one of the other issues Calvin is.

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EHS-C223: But when I go to the the policy page

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EHS-C223: under personnel procedures, when I click on 3 50, it's not showing it there. It says, you know, not found. So I think if that can be posted or put up, oh.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Wait! Wait!

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EHS-C223: For complaints against that's 3 50 complaints against police personnel.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: We like.

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EHS-C223: That one.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: I can make sure that gets posted if it's not.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Yes, next person up is, Thank you. Fiona. Next person up is Sam a.

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Sam A: Hi, thank you guys for allowing me to ask this question before I ask. I I do have a question I've been waiting to ask. But I I'd be remiss if I didn't make this comment, that, using the memory of Freddie Gray and George Floyd, who, as they were brutalized, had numerous police officers pointing their firearms

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Sam A: at them, and even passerbys that were trying to intervene in in one case is abhorrent. That is a disgusting use of their memories, and you should be ashamed of yourself for doing that. Past, that I do have a question.

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EHS-C223: Let me let me let me stop you for a minute.

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Sam A: No, no, I.

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EHS-C223: No, no, no, I do, and you can ask answer that. But I want to answer this.

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EHS-C223: your. Your comment is, is that we hear it. But that was not the intent it wasn't. And so I'm asking for your Grace. With that I know. Do.

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Sam A: I will not, I will not.

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EHS-C223: Let me finish. But let me finish. You said that no one cut you off. I just want you to that in mind. I just want you to give him some grace for that. I don't think that was his intent, and you know people take things the way they see them, and so we did hear what you said, and so we'll be mindful next time. Thank you, sir, and you can ask your question.

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Sam A: Yes, I guess my question is.

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Sam A: can, it is sort of towards the Board members, and how you view your role here. We've heard I, as you say, to multiplications, you are not the police, and there are

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Sam A: very few actual direct interventions that this board is empowered to have on policy. I guess you personally as members of this board. Considering the history of armed policing, considering the history of armed policing on university campuses and armed police forces led by Branville Bard, and the statistical probability that there will be malfeasance or harm to the community. Do you feel any personal completely, or do you feel that your institutionalized impotence absolves you of that.

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EHS-C223: I don't actually know what institutionalized impotence is.

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Sam A: You have no ability to affect policy or change other than recommending it, and admitted that you have no ability to do that past, that of a other community member.

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Sam A: But you are serving in that respect to whitewash

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Sam A: and lubricate the process by which this Jhpd becomes operational. So do you feel any personal complicity, or or do you feel that that inability to intervene on policy absolves you?

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EHS-C223: Well, I think you said, do we feel any personal complicity? I think those who don't participate in this on a regular basis should feel that way. I'm just.

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Sam A: We don't have the ability to participate.

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EHS-C223: I mean look.

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Sam A: I'm.

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EHS-C223: Amazing.

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Sam A: No, no, there was no threat. Okay.

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EHS-C223: But I'm answering you. I'm answering you. I'm just simply saying that. That's the reason why, we, we have the meetings that we do to hear what you have to say and bring to the table, so that you can offer the solution that you see to that which you feel is an issue.

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EHS-C223: So we we, that's that's that's that's how how I feel about it. Personally, this has nothing to do with the boy. I I'm just saying what? What would be the solution, since you've already

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EHS-C223: come up with what's wrong.

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Sam A: So I'm Jhpd.

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EHS-C223: What would you do to make it right.

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Sam A: Disarm the Jhpd.

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EHS-C223: Okay, thank you. We're not going to go back.

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Sam A: Police shouldn't have guns.

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EHS-C223: That's how you.

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Sam A: Like. I don't. You have no ability to do that as well.

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EHS-C223: Just think that you.

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Sam A: Your impotence doesn't make you complicit in the statistical probability that there will be malfeasance on the part of this private armed police force.

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EHS-C223: Alright. Thank you, sir. Thank you so much for that.

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Sam A: You don't believe.

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EHS-C223: No, no, not a problem.

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Sam A: Moral Threat.

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EHS-C223: No, no, no, I'm sorry, sir.

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EHS-C223: would you say?

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Sam A: I said that if you don't believe that you have complicity

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Sam A: and the.

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EHS-C223: We like.

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Sam A: Like when the likelihood when there is harm to the community by this police force.

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Sam A: then I don't believe that you are a person of morality or ethics

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Sam A: in any regard.

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EHS-C223: No, no, you're speaking. I moved to speak. No, I will you can. You can. You can speak for dural.

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EHS-C223: You can do that. I just want to simply say, Thank you for your commentary.

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EHS-C223: And we we well taken. We. We've taken your point. Thank you, sir.

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EHS-C223: I appreciate it. So. Let's not get into personalities, because.

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EHS-C223: honestly, I don't know you. You don't know me. So I I

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EHS-C223: I did not.

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Sam A: May I clarify and say that I was.

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EHS-C223: To make the personal.

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Sam A: Comment on you as a person.

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EHS-C223: No, no, but hold on, so you gotta let us to respond. It has to be a 2 way street. Bro, so

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01:48:27.680 --> 01:48:36.109  
EHS-C223: I didn't come with you. I didn't come with Pom poms and confetti in my bag when I showed up today. I only came with me, my daughter, my laptop in here.

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01:48:36.110 --> 01:48:58.819  
EHS-C223: So I am not here, as you know, with a cheerleader to say. Oh, you know what I support everything that police accountability board come up with what we were established for as a legal mechanism. To make sure that we are a bridge to full with through the community, and I intend to do that work so you can't make

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EHS-C223: those personal attacks of based on personality

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EHS-C223: when you don't know you. You don't know.

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01:49:06.920 --> 01:49:08.699  
Sam A: May I? May I clarify what I was saying?

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EHS-C223: From my perspective.

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Sam A: Active as an outside person, as a community member. You're currently having what is supposed to be a public meeting from an undisclosed location based on a twitter post that received a middling amount of engagement.

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Sam A: and this has been the process throughout.

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EHS-C223: Yes, I think you feel perfect.

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Sam A: Complicity. If you don't feel personal complicity in the likelihood.

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EHS-C223: The same.

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Sam A: Will be harmed, and say you do not.

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EHS-C223: That's about to bell we.

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01:49:34.570 --> 01:49:36.709  
Sam A: Morality is not personal morality.

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01:49:36.710 --> 01:49:45.959  
EHS-C223: Let him finish. Okay, let him let him finish, sir. You can finish. You have a right to your your opinion, and we we want to finish here. You go and thank you. Continue, please.

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01:49:45.960 --> 01:50:04.739  
Sam A: I appreciate it. The last thing I'll say is that I'm not making a personal comment on any member of this board. What I see is that you are participating in an entity that is whitewashing the Jhpd. And that were I to participate in such an entity, and have no ability to intercede on policy or change

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Sam A: demonstrably the implementation of this police force. I would feel personal complicity.

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Sam A: I was asking if you felt any personal complicity in the likelihood that there is harm on the community by this police force, as there has been with police forces that Branval Bard has led in the past, as there has been statistically across the United States with armed police forces



at universities. That's all I was asking. Do you feel personal complicity.

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EHS-C223: And and that is that is understood. That's not a question I came prepared to answer today, but we we've taken that into consideration. And honest, thank you for asking. That's something to think about. And I thank you. Thank you. Thank you for your your question. Thank you so much.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: The next person up is Justin Otter.

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EHS-C223: See.

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Justin Otter: Hi! Everyone! Can you hear me?

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EHS-C223: Yes.

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Justin Otter: Okay, awesome. Yeah. So I just wanted to say, I guess in a similar vein, that I think it's pretty clear what everyone wants is just to not have this police force. I think the only one who wants this is just the

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Justin Otter: scared parents of undergrads. And I think that all of you should just quit your jobs. You're being complicit in this. You have basically admitted that this accountability board you can do. Advice on training

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Justin Otter: training doesn't impact whether or not the police are going to be killing people.

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Justin Otter: And so when they do kill people that blood is going to be partially on your hands. So I would encourage you to quit your job you know, use your pressure to actually push to actually end this because it's going to be a fucking disaster

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Justin Otter: and shame on you. Thank you.

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01:51:48.081 --> 01:51:55.930  
EHS-C223: I wanted to be as peaceful as possible. Thank you, sir, thank you, sir, for your comment.

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EHS-C223: thank you.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Up.

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EHS-C223: Take that into consideration.

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EHS-C223: I'll.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Next up is Leslie.

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EHS-C223: Let me let me finish. We're not gonna have. We're not gonna have a I don't wanna have a contentious back and forth. I just want you to know that we receive your concerns and your statement. Thank you so much.

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01:52:16.970 --> 01:52:18.320  
EHS-C223: Next up is.

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01:52:18.320 --> 01:52:19.200  
Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Leslie.

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01:52:22.047 --> 01:52:23.849  
Leslie Ashmore: Hello! Can you? Can you hear me?

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01:52:24.760 --> 01:52:26.560  
EHS-C223: Could you speak up just a little? Please.

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01:52:27.420 --> 01:52:29.490  
Leslie Ashmore: Oh, yeah, can you? Can you hear me?

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01:52:29.840 --> 01:52:30.640

EHS-C223: Yes.

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Leslie Ashmore: Yeah. So I just wanted to correct some misinformation that was said earlier. It was said that the

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Leslie Ashmore: the State Legislature, the Cssa opt up. It was said that the Cssa

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Leslie Ashmore: establish the Hpd. And that there's nothing you can do about the existence of Jhpd. And this is incorrect. What the Csa. Did is authorize a Hopkins police force. It did not establish the Jhpd.

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Leslie Ashmore: yeah.

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EHS-C223: Like everyone.

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Leslie Ashmore: Else was saying,

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Leslie Ashmore: the news accountability board is actually a legal requirement to have the Khpd, which means that everyone who's saying you guys are complicit is absolutely correct. You're actually just helping them get their private police force. And if you guys were to quit

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Leslie Ashmore: that would set them back. That would do way more harm reduction than anything you can do by making recommendations that they don't have to listen to. There's absolutely useless accountability board. You can't actually do anything. So the best thing you can do is just quit because you're not forced to be here. You keep saying that there's nothing you can do. You can write a letter to the Governor. You can write a letter to the mayor. You do not have to be complicit in this. You can choose to quit.

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Leslie Ashmore: and you should feel ashamed, and you should lose people for this. And yes, there is shared responsibility. If

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Leslie Ashmore: you would share in the responsibility, if any. If any harm comes to someone

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Leslie Ashmore: like what happened to Taiwan West or Levar dogwoods, for instance.

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Leslie Ashmore: That that's all I have to say.

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EHS-C223: Thank you, Mr. Ashmore. We'll take all of you said into consideration. Thank you so much.

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Leslie Ashmore: Just click.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Claude is up next.

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Claude Guillemard: Yes, thank you. I hope everyone else has had a chance before I speak again. I'm the only one to speak twice so far, so stop me if someone else needs to come in. But thank you for the previous speaker

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Claude Guillemard: to clarify the misinformation that circulated today about

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Claude Guillemard: going to the Legislature to stop the Ghpd. I want to make sure that the Board members are not accused because it is not their fault. It's the way the Ghpd has been presented to them during orientation.

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Claude Guillemard: And here, Miss Martin, I would like to turn to you

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Claude Guillemard: to ask you how what is the charge of your support to the board. And why is it that during orientation the Jhpd is the creation, and the law is distorted and information and kept away from the board members. So I think it is one reason why we hear from the Board members that there's nothing to do. And let me give you just one suggestion. If you don't believe me.

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Claude Guillemard: open the law, it's not easy to find. But if you Google Jhpd and you go, you scroll down and you go to legislative archives. You will find

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Claude Guillemard: the Cssa the final version. And let me read one example of

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Claude Guillemard: the type of sentences that starts every section or subtitle, as they say.

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EHS-C223: Thank you.

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Claude Guillemard: Yes.

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Claude Guillemard: the University establishes a police department under this subtitle The University shall, and it is a line that is all throughout this document.

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Claude Guillemard: So I have another comment. So 1st I would like to turn to Ms. Martin.

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EHS-C223: I'm sorry. Well.

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Claude Guillemard: Like to understand the support that you give. What is the charge? What is your mandate? And do you think that the orientation gave true and complete information to the Board members.

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EHS-C223: Yes, yeah, you. You've asked several different questions. So I'm going to try to answer the ones that that I I that I remember. So my support. As you may know. There is a group of subject matter experts that have been hired to assist Johns Hopkins in creating the police policies training things of that nature because it is being started from scratch. Because I have worked in Baltimore with the community with the police.

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EHS-C223: This particular Accountability board is very important to me. Their work is very important to me. I volunteer to support them in any way that I can. That comes in the form of of finding best practices on on different things. I give it I I support that, and they determine what they like, what they don't like. And so that has been my my role up to this point. In particular, I support the community engagement

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EHS-C223: committee because I think it's key for any police department, anything having to do with public safety, to have an engagement with the community and facilitate those types of engagements. So that's the 1st part, the second part of what you're talking about. As far as the orientation goes. Again, I know what you and and your folks. You know your your orientation is towards

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EHS-C223: you the same for the police department, and and thereby in some ways putting that on us, so I I will not address the fact that you're kind of impugning my character by saying that I've lied to these folks in orientation. But what I will say is, I'm not sure what you're talking about. If there is something that is, I'm not. But if there is something that is inaccurate in the train, the the the the training

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01:58:16.673 --> 01:58:39.110

EHS-C223: it was written almost 3 years ago, because it just supposed was supposed to track the actual legislation. And so, if there's something in there that is not accurate, I did not write it. But if there's something that's in there, that's inaccurate, Claude. You have been around this whole time right from the beginning. I remember you from the Mou engagements, and so, if you would tell me what that is. I think.

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Claude Guillemard: I do.

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Claude Guillemard: I emailed, I emailed.

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EHS-C223: Oh, okay. Well, I haven't.

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Claude Guillemard: May I give you an example? May I give.

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EHS-C223: You can say you can. You can say, Claude, you can say that. But without me having what you're talking about, and the actual legislation in front of me and the actual training Powerpoint. I I would want to do that on my own. But you know.

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Claude Guillemard: I'll give you an example. I want to give everybody an example, because I did complain about that.

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EHS-C223: Oh, cool!

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Claude Guillemard: Overlook.

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EHS-C223: Okay, I did.

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Claude Guillemard: Complain about it.

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Claude Guillemard: And, Miss Martin, I'm really sorry that I came across as attacking your character. That was absolutely not my intention. I am trying to expose the manipulation of the Hopkins administration through people of good faith who don't realize they're manipulated. Ms. Martin, you belong to 21 Cp. And are you a volunteer today as support to the board? Because my understanding is that your agency was

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Claude Guillemard: hired by Hopkins to help them create the Jhpd. So I think, as consultants. We know Hopkins pays their consultants, so I'm surprised to hear the word volunteer today.

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EHS-C223: So if I use the word volunteer again. So, Claude, you say that you're not trying to impugn my character, but I feel like I'm in a deposition. You're you're catching me in in words, and you're impugning

my character. Hold on, and if I said volunteer, I did not mean volunteer. I volunteer. There you go. Okay. Now I remember what I.

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Claude Guillemard: Okay.

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EHS-C223: I hold on, and and if we can, I I feel very

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EHS-C223: sad, so so sad right, that you are taking the time to to question me. I'm gonna answer you to question me when these people really have shown up to hear their.

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Claude Guillemard: Janine Hopkins.

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EHS-C223: Yeah, okay. And I'm gonna answer it. But they're.

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Claude Guillemard: Closing.

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EHS-C223: I am going. I yeah, Claude, I'm just gonna say, Okay,

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EHS-C223: I have. I have worked in the Baltimore community for a very long time, and when I walked out of that last meeting there were community activists who live, breathe, work with community every day.

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EHS-C223: who hold mothers who have lost their children. These are the community members that were there at that meeting, and they were happy to be able to hear their voice heard. There are people who want to be heard, and and and their voices are being crowded out by the fact that you want to show that I am manipulated. If that's what you believe is happening, and that these good people

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EHS-C223: that believe that they're being manipulated. So I appreciate you bringing that forward. But I also want to say, Claude, for you to take, take understanding that by trying to impugn my character by the



fact that I get paid to help here is taking away from the process, and I do not.

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Claude Guillemard: Oh no!

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EHS-C223: I do not mind telling you that I do not mind telling you, and when I said that I volunteered, I volunteered to be here in this group, and why one of the things that I wrote down for at the end of this meeting, if just why I will say one last thing is, for if we, if this room could.

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EHS-C223: I want to ask them, how are they feeling in their body? I have done this for a very long time. It takes a lot to sit here when you have a heart to help and have people call you all kinds of things right? And so why do I want to be here? Because this work is heavy? This work is important. And this is what everybody around this table feels. And so why do I want to be? Because this is the hardest place to be.

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EHS-C223: And and so that's why I volunteered to be part of this committee. That's what I meant.

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Claude Guillemard: Miss Ms.

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EHS-C223: Miss Miss Gimmill, give more.

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Claude Guillemard: Miss.

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EHS-C223: Pretend that.

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Claude Guillemard: Again my only goal since 2,018.

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EHS-C223: That's funny.

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Claude Guillemard: My only goal since 2,018.

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Claude Guillemard: While I'm working like everybody else, I'm a volunteer every Monday night to discuss the situation of the Ghpt. With other colleagues we go to. We attend every single meetings, and I suggest that you

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Claude Guillemard: board, send a liaison, or that, as many of you who can go to the Baltimore City Police Accountability Board. There needs to be a connection here, but my only goal is to expose Hopkins.

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Claude Guillemard: and I want to give you one example, one example of the misleading information during orientation.

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Claude Guillemard: The board members, the new ones, the old ones. We're pretty.

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EHS-C223: Sandpits.

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Claude Guillemard: With their authority.

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Claude Guillemard: but before that, in the law there is a section where it presents the law presents the purpose of the board, and conveniently the slide that you showed, or when I say you I mean the orientation team, and if you're a support, I think you should then, you know. Compare with the law, and tell people that Hopkins should not use slides like that that are incomplete.

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Claude Guillemard: I'm going to read to everybody, and it's my Pet peeve, and I'll read it very slowly. I wrote it down because I thought we would meet in person the purpose. And so for those who need details. It's the Senate Bill, 793. It's called the Cssa Community Safety Strengthening Act. It's Article education. It's page 16, subtitle 12, police department of the Ghu, and it's section 24,

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Claude Guillemard: 1, 2 0. 5 B. Purpose of the Accountability Board. The primary purpose is, and I quote

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Claude Guillemard: one enable community members to share.

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EHS-C223: Train, your.

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Claude Guillemard: Community concerns

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Claude Guillemard: regarding the police department directly with police department leadership. This purpose was not shared at orientation, and this means that to this day.

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Claude Guillemard: The messages from the committee is to be a bridge, to be both ways.

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Claude Guillemard: to have the added not mandated charge to recruit us, to help create the Ghpd. This is not in the law. I think your committee does not belong to a police accountability board.

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Claude Guillemard: The bridge goes one way from the community to the leadership of the police department, and just so that I don't take too much time, because then I'll I'll step out and listen to to the feedback. I want to go back to the initial remarks

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Claude Guillemard: of this meeting.

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Claude Guillemard: where

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Claude Guillemard: it was said that

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Claude Guillemard: it is always divisive to set up a police force. This is not the issue. The dividing line is not between whether you're pro police or against the police. This is not what this Accountability board is about.

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Claude Guillemard: The question here

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Claude Guillemard: is

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Claude Guillemard: is Hopkins

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Claude Guillemard: deserving

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Claude Guillemard: the trust of the community

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Claude Guillemard: to own the power to ensure, you know, to to ensure safety for all, and Hopkins, being here a private institution with a poor record with its own community.

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Claude Guillemard: So

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Claude Guillemard: when

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Claude Guillemard: there is a police accountability board within Hopkins.

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Claude Guillemard: unfortunately.

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Claude Guillemard: it is manipulated, and I will just mention what President Daniels said to you all at that meeting in August that we were able to observe. And, by the way, when you said that you are complying. It's not until community members

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Claude Guillemard: ask you repeatedly to please post the information. So we are tired of being the watchdogs of you who should be the watchdog, the watchdog. So President Daniels told you.

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Claude Guillemard: Well.

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Claude Guillemard: we all we understand that this is happening.

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Claude Guillemard: What he didn't say is that it doesn't have to.

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Claude Guillemard: The law did not create the Jhpd. Everything is conditional. If the university creates a Jhpd. And we are here, you will always have protests because we want the pressure of the majority of people who don't want private armed police

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Claude Guillemard: owned by Hopkins

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Claude Guillemard: to ensure safety. Now I will finish with just one lie, one misinformation that Hopkins keeps repeating publicly, at all events, that they just want to be like everybody else. You know every other campus with their police police department. Why do you think they would need to go to Annapolis? Then? They are the only

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Claude Guillemard: in in Maryland they are the only campus

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Claude Guillemard: from a private institution

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Claude Guillemard: to ask to be armed on public streets.

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EHS-C223: Right now.

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Claude Guillemard: On public streets. So the misinformation that Hopkins is feeding.

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EHS-C223: Everybody.

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Claude Guillemard: Id

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Claude Guillemard: is frankly shocking, and I would like to hear, at least from anyone who wants to speak. Why, why do you think that you can stop the police if

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Claude Guillemard: you realize, of course, Hopkins has tried to minimize the opposition, but it's well documented by now. If you represent the community, then why can't you see

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Claude Guillemard: that there is a way to stop the Ghpd. Because it comes from Hopkins. It's not Annapolis that is actually misinformation. And but I will be remiss to leave without thanking you for the 1st real dialogue we've ever had, so that I truly appreciate, and I appreciate each one of you for giving us time to speak and to follow up. This has never happened since 2,018, so.

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EHS-C223: So number one. Miss Pod, I I just would like to say that I am able to read, and I read all of the documentation. So I read the Cssa. I read the Mou. I read, I've read everything. I'm a voracious reader, and I really do try to read everything. And so

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EHS-C223: I'm not a person that is easily manipulated. And so i i i didn't

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EHS-C223: appreciate that comment. Additionally.

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EHS-C223: Again, I've held community conversations in my neighborhood with Dr. Barb, so that my neighbors could speak to him and ask questions

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EHS-C223: we had from some of the groups that I believe I'm not sure exactly which groups you're with. That came to our meeting, and we let them talk. There has never been a time where I have not listened to anyone, and I've invited many groups, anybody who wanted to speak to speak to me. I'm open to that.

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EHS-C223: And additionally.

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EHS-C223: we wanted to

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EHS-C223: to meet with people. And we're and we're very open to that, if and again, if the

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EHS-C223: if the

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EHS-C223: belief is that

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EHS-C223: community is only the people that don't want the Jhpd, that's just not factual. There are people that do. Yes, and the fact of the matter is, it exists. I'm I. I can't help that. It does. That was outside of my personal control, because it does, and because

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EHS-C223: and I resent the the whitewashing comments that I keep seeing in the comments because

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EHS-C223: most of you don't know this, but I have siblings in jail. I have tons of contact with the police that I do not enjoy

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EHS-C223: my participation in this board is to help again make it as

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EHS-C223: right and as as the best that it can possibly be, because it exists. And if you're saying that you can shut the police down. Then

please do that. No one here is stopping you and speaking to us is in a way that, like we are complicit in something that's going to harm or hurt other people.

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EHS-C223: I don't think that's fair, because we're actively working to try to make that not be the case. Additionally, I am happy that I was listening to you. Because I heard something that we may be able to present as a policy

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EHS-C223: in order to have somebody from the Accountability Board the Hopkins Police Accountability Board. We can write it in our governance potentially, and make that a suggestion for our next meeting that someone from our from the board attends, and we can assign that

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EHS-C223: on a monthly basis since there's 15 of us. So I appreciate that. And I'm glad that we listen because you asked for more. I'm gonna say communication, because it wouldn't be a 2 Way street, but for more.

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EHS-C223: I guess contact from on behalf of the Hopkins Accountability Board to the

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EHS-C223: Baltimore

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EHS-C223: Police Accountability Board. And I think that is a great suggestion, and I do appreciate it. So thank you.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: So we have Delilah, and the last one is Giovanni, and then we'll close out.

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Delilah L: Hi, I just want to address something I've been hearing a lot. Is that

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Delilah L: there are people who do support the police force. But the thing is that the opposition has been pretty overwhelming. And there has never been, like, you know, a Democratic vote on it. So I think like saying, that is kind of like weird.



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Delilah L: especially since there's so much opposition to it.

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Delilah L: And I just want to echo what people have been saying that

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Delilah L: I'm addressing each person in this board. By participating in the board, you really enhance the legitimacy of the force to happen.

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Delilah L: since it's a legal requirement.

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Delilah L: and you're focusing on reforms rather than questioning the fundamental premise of having an unwanted, dangerous private police force on campus.

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Delilah L: and I don't believe that any of you are truly opposed to the force in behavior.

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Delilah L: Like engaging in this accountability process shifts your focus from broader issues of whether a police force is appropriate in university setting

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Delilah L: to more narrow concerns about its operations. And we aren't letting you shift that focus, and we will show up to every meeting, and we won't stop until the force ends which actually is possible.

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Delilah L: And I don't have any more questions. I was just a statement.

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EHS-C223: Thank you.

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EHS-C223: And additionally, Lila said, who did you meet with? And yes, we met with Dr. Bard and many community members, and if you'd like the notes

or minutes from that meeting, I'm happy to present them. And I am also willing to meet with

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EHS-C223: anybody in the chat, John, be Justin anybody that said that they wanted to. Please let me know when you would like to. Delilah, based on what you said that there are many people who outnumber well, the people who support the police force would never come out.

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EHS-C223: because, just like you said you're gonna continue to show up and shut it down in a way that. You're not going to hear anything that we say. You're going to believe about us

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EHS-C223: exactly what you want, and the thing that I find as a community person is

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EHS-C223: the same tactics that you say the police use against community are the same tactics that you're using against those who who don't go along with you instead of coming to the table and having a conversation that's respectful. You you carry yourselves in a those who have many who have spoken have been totally disrespectful in the way that they have addressed us.

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EHS-C223: those of us that you don't know because you believe us to be what you think we are, and that in itself is unfair. So where are we gonna end up?

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EHS-C223: there are many people who think that it presents safety to the campus versus those who don't. Many who think that I've had someone in my community. Say, you have armed police officers in the grocery store guarding the simulac as you walk into the giant at 33rd and Greenmount

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EHS-C223: and so why wouldn't students who come from all over the world in a city who has its challenges

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EHS-C223: not? Be proactive in protecting those on the campus. That's that's the that's the way I see it. I know you don't, but there are those who do, and it's only fair to have that voice heard as well.

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EHS-C223: What is the solution coming together and filling in what you say is lacking? And so I'm hoping that people are hearing that, too. I think some of the abusive things have been said. You would never once said to you

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EHS-C223: or anyone in your family, and so let's kind of, you know. Think about giving us some. Grace hopkins doesn't tell us what to say, and they don't tell us what to do. We just signed on because we didn't want to be on one side of the up or the other. We wanted to see what is true and what is possible. Thank you.

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EHS-C223: and.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Last, but not least, is Giovanni, and then we can do closing statements.

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janvi madhani: Hi, I'm a teacher in Hopkins, and you know, a member of the community my greatest interest in is in ensuring that my students can, you know, go to be the people that

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janvi madhani: I sort of imagine they can be seen. My community be safe. So we've seen from Ucla to Columbia a variety of peaceful student protests throughout history from Kent State to now a variety of peaceful protests. And yet, no matter what is written in the bylaws for the police

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janvi madhani: people have always been hurt. People have always been met with excessive force. Is there any way that you can guarantee that this body of police will not be used to hurt the very communities that they're supposed to protect. And not only just

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janvi madhani: just how does everyone know

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janvi madhani: who are just simply trying to get their voices heard. Can you guarantee that.

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janvi madhani: as we have seen again and again, no matter what the 5 of us say.

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EHS-C223: Can you repeat the last part of your statement?

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EHS-C223: I'm sorry I couldn't hear you. Yes.

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janvi madhani: No worries. I was just asking if you can guarantee that the Hopkins private police force will not harm members of the community, protesting and expressing their displeasure with the actions of the University, as has been seen in Ucla. Columbia can't stay anywhere like that. And in all of those places

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janvi madhani: various police forces had were required not to use force unless necessary, and for peaceful courtesy are absolutely not necessary. You guarantee that this will not happen here.

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EHS-C223: Can. Can you guarantee that every protest on every campus is going to be peaceful.

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janvi madhani: In all.

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EHS-C223: How am I supposed to.

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janvi madhani: They are.

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EHS-C223: What was that?

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janvi madhani: Like in the cases that I have listed. They are peaceful protests, and honestly, I will say.

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janvi madhani: vandalism is not an act that deserves a death sentence like in Kent State, or in any of in various other places. I'm sure I could try to jump out of my memory if I have.

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EHS-C223: Right, but I mean just from a personal level, like I can't guarantee the action of any other human being. I can only guarantee the actions of myself, so I don't know how. That's a question that anyone would be able to answer.

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EHS-C223: It's true.

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EHS-C223: Thank you, sir. Calvin. Do we have anyone else.

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Johns Hopkins Public Safety: Well, that's it.

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EHS-C223: Alright.

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EHS-C223: So with that said, we will conclude this meeting. We will take all of the concerns and all of the statements into consideration. We will try this again. It's what we would like to do. I think there's some who have made themselves available

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EHS-C223: to that. This is 2024. Let's turn the page. Let's learn how to work together. Let's learn how to come to the table with solutions instead of accusations our doors always open. I don't feel manipulated personally or or or any other thing that's negative. I come here to listen, to learn and to build, and I

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EHS-C223: i i i i recommend that you all do the same. So thank you, and have enjoy the rest of your afternoon.

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EHS-C223: I can

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EHS-C223: thank you. Everyone.

