

BPD Monitoring Team

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Baltimore Police Monitoring Team Holding First Community Forum on April 3

(Baltimore, MD) – The Baltimore Police Monitoring Team is hosting its first quarterly community forum from 6:00 to 8:00 pm on April 3 at Mount Pleasant Church, 6000 Radecke Avenue in Baltimore. The Monitoring Team will provide an update on its work and the progress of the Baltimore Police Department (BPD) under the Consent Decree that BPD, the City of Baltimore, and the Department of Justice’s Civil Rights Division entered last year.

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The Baltimore Police Monitoring Team oversees the implementation of the Consent Decree – a judicially-enforceable agreement – between the Baltimore City Police Department, the City of Baltimore and the United States. The Consent Decree requires BPD to adopt a number of specific reforms aimed at ensuring effective, safe, and constitutional policing. The Monitoring Team’s job is to help the Court gauge whether, consistent with the Consent Decree’s objectives, BPD is achieving meaningful reform by making tangible changes in its policies and practices for the benefit of Baltimoreans. The Monitoring Team also provides technical assistance to BPD as it seeks to implement the reforms required by the Consent Decree. The Monitoring Team includes specialists in policing and police reform, civil rights enforcement, psychology, social science, organizational change, data and technology, and community engagement.