

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	Case No: 1:15 CV 1046
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Plaintiff)	
)	
v.)	JUDGE SOLOMON OLIVER, JR.
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CITY OF CLEVELAND,)	
)	
Defendant)	<u>ORDER</u>

Currently pending before the court in the above-captioned case is Monitor Hassan Aden’s (“Monitor”) Motion to Approve Cleveland Division of Police’s proposed Community and Problem-Oriented Policing Policy (“CPOP Policy”) (ECF No. 273). The Monitor represents that the proposed policy memorializes the contemplated departmental changes in protocols and expectations of the Community and Problem-Oriented Policing Plan, which the court approved on February 20, 2019. This includes measurable expectations to actively collaborate with Cleveland residents to address public safety issues and conditions that lead to crime. Notably, the Monitor states that the proposed CPOP Policy represents an important step toward operationalizing the principles of community engagement and problem-solving.

The Monitor’s Motion indicates that the Department of Justice has reviewed and approved the City of Cleveland’s Proposed CPOP Policy. Pursuant to the recommendation of the Monitor that

the court approve the Cleveland Division of Police's Proposed CPOP Policy, the court hereby approves said policy, which meet the terms of the Consent Decree. Accordingly, the court orders said policy to be effective immediately.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ SOLOMON OLIVER, JR. _____
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

August 6, 2019