The most recent proclamation by the mayor has taken the deplorable second guessing of police to a new low in Philadelphia.

We just hired an “independent” outside police commissioner. There is absolutely no need for yet another “independent” second guesser.

In Philadelphia, “independent consultants” translate into selecting a corrupt, politically connected law firm and then shoving millions of tax payer dollars into their pockets (some of which return as “campaign contributions” to favored politicians).

The total and complete lack of support, courage and leadership from this administration is quietly leading to a paralysis of law enforcement in Philadelphia which will only endanger our citizens.

Officers are willing to risk their lives every day. Now they must also risk their career to a misfit collection of spineless, cowardly second guessers who know absolutely nothing about police work.

What this City truly needs is an “independent consultant” to find real leadership for a City currently controlled by cowards and frauds.

Be Safe,

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