

POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY BOARD

REGULAR MEETING

Wednesday, July 27, 2022 7:00 P.M.

Board Members:

MICHAEL CHANG, CHAIR NATHAN MIZELL, VICE-CHAIR KITTY CALAVITA REGINA HARRIS JULIE LEFTWICH DEBORAH LEVINE JOHN MOORE III CHERYL OWENS ISMAIL RAMSEY

PUBLIC ADVISORY: THIS MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED EXCLUSIVELY THROUGH VIDEOCONFERENCE AND TELECONFERENCE

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e) and the state declared emergency, this meeting will be conducted exclusively through teleconference and Zoom videoconference. The COVID-19 state of emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the members to meet safely in person and presents imminent risks to the health of the attendees. Therefore, no physical meeting location will be available.

To access the meeting remotely: join from a PC, Mac, iPad, iPhone, or Android device using this URL: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82237902987. If you do not wish for your name to appear on the screen, use the drop-down menu and click on "rename" to rename yourself to be anonymous. To request to speak, use the "raise hand" icon on the screen. To join by phone: Dial 1 669 900 6833 and enter Meeting ID 822 3790 2987. If you wish to comment during the public comment portion of the agenda, press *9 and wait to be recognized.

AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL (2 minutes)
- 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA (5 minutes)
- 3. **PUBLIC COMMENT** (TBD)

(Speakers are generally allotted up to three minutes, but may be allotted less time if there are many speakers; they may comment on any matter within the Board's jurisdiction at this time.)

The Police Accountability Board and Office of the Director of Police Accountability (ODPA) were created to provide independent civilian oversight of the Berkeley Police Department. They review and make recommendations on police department policies, and investigate complaints made by members of the public against police officers. For more information, contact the ODPA.

1947 Center Street, 5th Floor, Berkeley, CA 94704 TEL: 510-981-4950 TDD: 510-981-6903 FAX: 510-981-4955 Website: www.cityofberkeley.info/dpa/ Email: dpa@cityofberkeley.info/dpa/

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (5 minutes)

- a. Regular meeting of July 13, 2022.
- b. Special meeting of July 20, 2022. (To be delivered)

5. CHAIR AND BOARD MEMBERS' REPORTS (5 minutes)

6. **DIRECTOR OF POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY'S REPORT** (5 minutes)

Status of complaints; National Night Out; other items.

7. CHIEF OF POLICE'S REPORT (10 minutes)

Crime/cases of interest, community engagement/department events, staffing, training, and other items of interest.

8. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS (discussion and action) (5 minutes)

Report of activities and meeting scheduling for all Subcommittees, possible appointment of new members to all Subcommittees, and additional discussion and action as noted for specific Subcommittees:

- a. Fair & Impartial Policing Implementation meeting to be scheduled.
- b. Director Search consider dissolving
- c. Regulations Subcommittee see Item #9.a. below.
- d. Controlled Equipment Subcommittee consider dissolving.

9. OLD BUSINESS (discussion and action)

a. Finalize review of draft proposed permanent Regulations for Handling Investigations and Complaints. (1 hour)
(See materials in July 13, 2022 packet.)

10. NEW BUSINESS (discussion and action)

 Discuss process and timing for reviewing BPD's Annual Equipment Use Report, submitted under the Controlled Equipment & Community Safety Ordinance. (10 minutes)

From: Interim Director

(See Annual Report published in June 8, 2022 packet, starting at p. 135.)

b. Consider scheduling a special meeting for September 7, 2022, and canceling September 13, 2022 meeting. (10 minutes)

From: Interim Director

c. Update on the status of: pending complaint investigations by ODPA; policy work by PAB and ODPA (ongoing and to be started); other projects, such as outreach, by PAB and ODPA; and ODPA staffing, including transition to new Director. (20 minutes)

From: Interim Director

(To be delivered.)

- d. i) Consider opening a policy review on the discharge of inebriated individuals from BPD custody
 - ii) Receive update from BPD on its review of policies related to the June 9, 2022, death of an inebriated man released by BPD. (15 minutes) From: Board member Ramsey

11. REMARKS BY OUTGOING INTERIM DIRECTOR OF POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY (10 minutes)

12. PUBLIC COMMENT (TBD)

(Speakers are generally allotted up to three minutes, but may be allotted less time if there are many speakers; they may comment on items on this agenda only.)

13. ADJOURNMENT (1 minute)

Communications Disclaimer

Communications to the Police Accountability Board, like all communications to Berkeley boards, commissions or committees, are public record and will become part of the City's electronic records, which are accessible through the City's website. Please note: e-mail addresses, names, addresses, and other contact information are not required, but if included in any communication to a City board, commission or committee, will become part of the public record. If you do not want your e-mail address or any other contact information to be made public, you may deliver communications via U.S. Postal Service or in person to the Board Secretary. If you do not want your contact information included in the public record, do not include that information in your communication. Please contact the Board Secretary for further information.

Communication Access Information (A.R. 1.12)

To request a disability-related accommodation(s) to participate in the meeting, including auxiliary aids or services, please contact the Disability Services specialist at 981-6418 (V) or 981-6347 (TDD) at least three business days before the meeting date.

SB 343 Disclaimer

Any writings or documents provided to a majority of the Board regarding any item on this agenda will be made available for public inspection at the Office of the Director of Police Accountability, located at 1947 Center Street, 5th Floor, Berkeley, CA.

Contact the Director of Police Accountability (Board Secretary) at dpa@cityofberkeley.info