



Police Review Commission

## ACTION MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION

South Berkeley Senior Center  
2939 Ellis Street  
Berkeley, California

Date: Wed. May 8, 2002  
Time: 7:40 p.m.

1. ROLL CALL 7:40 PM  
Commissioners Present: Clark, DeBose, Gleich, Mapps, Ritchie, Sternberg, White,  
Commissioners Absent: Sherman, Yang (both excused)  
PRC Staff: Barbara Attard  
BPD Staff: Lt. Yuen, Sgt. Delaney
2. PUBLIC COMMENT--None
3. MINUTES OF THE APRIL 24, 2002 MEETING  
**White/Gleich (Moved/Seconded) to approve the meeting minutes. Passed unanimously.**
4. PRC OFFICER'S REPORT (For Discussion or Action)
  - a) New Filings—One since last meeting
  - b) Boards of Inquiry—Upcoming Boards were discussed.
  - c) Recommendation of Summary Dismissal of PRC Cases #1910 and 1917 Complainant McNair  
**Gleich/Clark (Moved/Seconded) to accept the Summary Dismissal recommendation on PRC Case # 1910. Passed unanimously.**  
  
**Gleich/Clark (Moved/Seconded) to accept the Summary Dismissal recommendation on PRC Case # 1917. Passed unanimously.**

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d) Request for Rehearing—PRC Case 1909 Filed by Mr. Wilkerson Mapps/Sternberg (Moved/Seconded) to grant rehearing. Ayes: Mapps/Sternberg/Ritchie. Noes: White/Gleich. Abstain: Clark.

5. BPD CHIEF'S REPORT—None

6. COMMITTEE REPORTS (For Discussion or Action)

Forum on Community Policing Update

Chair Ritchie discussed the upcoming plans for a series of community meetings on policing/community policing in Berkeley:

- A community forum at Rosa Parks Elementary school, May 29, 7PM
- A community forum in the North/East/Telegraph area September 25
- A forum on Community Policing on October 23

7. OLD BUSINESS (For Discussion or Action)

a. Council Items on DEA Arrest of Ed Rosenthal Medical Marijuana Facilities to Council 5/14

Commissioner Ritchie discussed recommendations that he made regarding this item—that the City would track Mr. Rosenthal's case and possibly write an amicus brief if issues arose in an appeal.

b. Caloca Implementation

Barbara Attard discussed the City's plan to begin the *Caloca* appeal process on June 1. Randy Files stated that BPA feels that the City has not set up a process that affords the officers their rights and may seek injunctive relief. Commissioner Clark asked if complainants will be informed of the *Caloca* appeal process. This could be included in information packets that are disseminated to complainants.

8. NEW BUSINESS (For Discussion or Action)

a. Introduction of Members of Berkeley Police Association (BPA)

Randy Files, President of the BPA, was introduced to the PRC. A possible future meeting was discussed to go over issues and concerns of the BPA and/or the PRC.

b. Police Staffing Audit

Barbara Attard stated that copies of the audit are available if commissioners would like one.

9. COMMUNICATIONS

- May 15 Invitation to Human Welfare and Community Action Commission Meeting with Fred Persily of CAHRO (California Organizations of Human Rights Organizations)— Discussion on Including Aspects of Human Rights in Commission Work Plans
- May 15 Invitation from Budget Commission for Budget Workshop

10. ADJOURNMENT

**Clark/White (Moved/Seconded) to adjourn meeting at approximately 10 PM. Passed unanimously.**