



Police Review Commission (PRC)

POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

**Wednesday, October 26, 2016
7:00 P.M.**

South Berkeley Senior Center
2939 Ellis Street, Berkeley

1. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

(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 the agenda or any matter within the PRC's jurisdiction at this time.)

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Regular Meeting of October 13, 2016

5. CHAIR'S REPORT

6. PRC OFFICER'S REPORT

Status of complaints; other items.

7. CHIEF OF POLICE'S REPORT

Crime, budget, staffing, training updates, and other items.

8. OLD BUSINESS (discussion & action)

a. Status of General Order W-1, Right to Watch.

b. Review draft of response to City Manager's September 12, 2016 letter regarding the standard of proof used in BOI hearings.

c. Policy regarding publication of communications from the public to the PRC – continue discussion on form and content of reporting of informal and formal complaints to Commission.

From: PRC Officer

d. Review of BPD marijuana enforcement report.

From: Commissioner Bernstein

(See October 13, 2016 packet.)

- e. Certificate of appreciation for former Chief Meehan
From: Commission
- f. Proposed changes to Standing Rules regarding procedures for election of PRC Chair and Vice-Chair
From: Commissioner Perezvelez
- g. Commission's list of tasks and prioritization.
From: PRC Officer

9. NEW BUSINESS (discussion & action)

- a. Review of handout on significant laws and court cases affecting scope and powers of the Berkeley PRC; discussion of applicability to aspects of the BOI process.
From: PRC Officer
- b. Commendations of BPD personnel January through June 2016.
From: PRC Officer

10. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS (discussion & action)

- a. General Orders C-64, etc. Subcommittee
Schedule next meeting date or consider dissolving.
- b. Fair & Impartial Policing Subcommittee
Update; approve outreach letter; next meeting date November 14, 2016.
- c. Mutual Aid Pacts Subcommittee
Update; schedule next meeting date.
- d. Media Credentialing Subcommittee
Update; schedule next meeting date.
- e. Surveillance and Community Safety Ordinance Subcommittee
Update; schedule next meeting date.
- f. Outreach Subcommittee
Consider additional appointment; schedule meeting date.

11. ANNOUNCEMENTS, ATTACHMENTS & COMMUNICATIONS

Attached.

12. PUBLIC COMMENT

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Closed Session

Pursuant to the Court's order in *Berkeley Police Association v. City of Berkeley, et al.*, Alameda County Superior Court Case No. 2002 057569, the PRC will recess into closed session to discuss and take action on the following matters:

13. REVIEW OF CALOCA DECISION

Complaint #2380 (*Decision and brief to be distributed during closed session.*)

End of Closed Session

14. ADJOURNMENT

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