



Police Review Commission (PRC)

POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

**Wednesday, June 14, 2017
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

Special Meeting of May 24, 2017

Regular Meeting of May 24, 2017

5. CHAIR'S REPORT

Introduction of new appointees; consider certificate of appreciation for former Chair.

6. ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRPERSON

7. PRC OFFICER'S REPORT

Status of complaints; other items.

8. CHIEF OF POLICE'S REPORT

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

9. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS (discussion & action)

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 Subcommittee

b. Surveillance and Community Safety Ordinance Subcommittee

c. General Orders C-64, etc. Subcommittee

d. Outreach Subcommittee

Finalize volunteers for Juneteenth, Sunday, June 18th.

e. Homeless Encampment Subcommittee

Approval for Subcommittee to meet with Homeless Commission or subcommittee, to discuss topics of mutual interest.

10. OLD BUSINESS (discussion & action)

a. Policy Complaint #2415: Decide whether to open a policy review, and if so, how to proceed.

b. Amending PRC Regulations for Handling Complaints Against Members of the Police Department.

i) Correct clerical error in Section VI.B.2. on unavailability due to Commissioner challenge.

From: PRC staff

ii) Consider deleting provisions for Summary Affirmation (Section VII.C.3.b.).

From: PRC staff

c. Policy review of General Order W-1, Public Recording of Law Enforcement Activity (Right to Watch): consider draft of new policy.

From: Commissioner Prichett

d. Discussion and potential action regarding failure of BPD to communicate with the PRC about planned police training using blank firing ammunition within city limits and that result in road closures.

From: Commissioner Perezvelez

e. Consider amendment to PRC regulations allowing the PRC to take action against any party who knowingly submits false or misleading information to the PRC in support of a challenge to a commissioner seated on a BOI.

From: Commissioner Prichett

f. BPD budget: Review Chief's answers to Commission's questions, and discuss timing of and resources needed to address remaining questions.

From: Commission

Additional materials to be delivered.

g. Discussion and possible policy review of BPD's policy regarding recommendation to the Berkeley Unified School District that schools shelter in place.

From: Commissioner Pritchett

11. NEW BUSINESS (discussion & action)

a. Prioritize tasks undertaken or under consideration by PRC.

From: PRC Officer

- b. Whether to reinstate Media Credentialing Subcommittee.
From: Commission
- c. Request that Chief provide written report of remaining steps needed to procure body-worn cameras for BPD officers and to implement the program.
From: Commissioner Lippman
- d. Consider making a recommendation to City Council regarding BPD's participation in the Urban Shield exercise.
From: Commissioner Lippman

12. ANNOUNCEMENTS, ATTACHMENTS & COMMUNICATIONS

Attached.

13. PUBLIC COMMENT

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14. ADJOURNMENT

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