



Police Review Commission (PRC)

POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

**Wednesday, November 14, 2018
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**
 - a. Special Meeting of October 17, 2018
 - b. Regular Meeting of October 24, 2018

- 5. CHAIR'S REPORT**

- 6. PRC OFFICER'S REPORT**

- a. Status of complaints; other items.
- b. Prioritizing new agenda items (**discussion & action**)

- 7. CHIEF OF POLICE'S REPORT**

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

- 8. 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. Homeless Encampment Subcommittee

b. Prioritizing Safety for Sex Workers Subcommittee

9. OLD BUSINESS (discussion & action)

- a. Amendment to Standing Rules to require that a commissioner must be present to be eligible to run for Chairperson or Vice-chairperson.

From: Commissioner Allamby

- b. Continue review of Lexipol Policy 425 on use of body-worn cameras, including sufficiency of provisions on use of associated iPhone and outstanding concerns from April 2017.

From: Commissioner Prichett

(See materials on pp. 15 – 78 of Oct. 24, 2018 agenda packet, and handouts from that date.)

- c. Lexipol Policies for review and approval:

From: Lexipol Subcommittee

Lexipol #	G.O.	Title
312	I-15 (part), J-18 (part)	Temporary Custody of Juveniles
313	none	Adult Abuse
314	H-07	Discriminatory Harassment
315	C-08	Child Abuse

(See materials in “Lexipol” packet of Oct. 10, 2018)

- d. Examination of issues surrounding the BPD Response to Protests on August 5, 2018, including:

i) Pre-emptive confiscation of sound truck near Ohlone Park, and other “de-escalation” strategies used.

From: Commissioner Prichett

ii) Helping BPD better understand the changing role of Black Bloc to Antifa in making protests safer, for purposes of BPD’s handling of future protests to ensure all participants are safe.

From: Commissioner Sherman

(See materials on pp. 75 – 110 of Oct. 10, 2018 agenda packet.)

- e. Whether any BPD policies or laws govern the BPD’s audio recording of their interactions with civilians without their knowledge.

From: Commissioner Prichett

- f. Issues surrounding Commissioners’ communications using personal devices and accounts being subject to Public Records Act requests, including whether Commissioners may be assigned City email addresses for Commission business.

From: Commissioner Ramsey

(See materials on pp. 33 – 37 of Oct. 10, 2018 agenda packet.)

- g. Review requirements surrounding the preparation of After-Action Reports and whether release (or withholding) of such reports or parts thereof are compliant with the Public Records Act.
From: Commissioner Prichett
- h. October 2, 2018 referral from City Council regarding extending the time limit for investigations and notification of discipline from the current limit to one calendar year.
- i. Responsiveness of BPD management to PRC requests.
From: Commissioner Prichett
- j. The need for PRC to do outreach and what outreach efforts the PRC might undertake.
From: Commissioner Matthews

10. NEW BUSINESS (discussion & action)

- a. October 2, 2018 referral from City Council regarding the creation of training requirements for Police Review Commissioners.
- b. Amendment to Standing Rules, Section I, prohibiting a commissioner from nominating him or herself to run for Chair or Vice-Chair, due to conflict with Commissioners' Manual.
From: PRC Officer

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 matter(s):

13. PRESENTATION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE CLOSURE IN COMPLAINT #2441

End of Closed Session

14. ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLOSED SESSION ACTION

15. ADJOURNMENT

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