



Police Review Commission (PRC)

## **POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION**

### **REGULAR MEETING**

### **AGENDA**

**March 12, 2014**  
**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 February 12, 2014.

**5. CHIEF OF POLICE'S REPORT**

Budget, Staffing, Training, and Crime Updates.

**6. NEW BUSINESS (discussion and action)**

- a. Proposal to invite staff from BPD's Internal Affairs unit to speak about their process at a PRC meeting.  
From: Commissioner Bernstein
- b. Response to City Attorney's opinion regarding number of votes needed to make a BOI finding in a death case.  
From: Commissioner Bernstein
- c. Proposal to invite Ofc. Shannon speak on the CIT program.  
From: Commissioner Bernstein
- d. Proposal to invite the head of the City's Mental Health Services Division and the Chair of the Mental Health Commission to update the PRC on the status of mental health services in Berkeley, especially with regard to the Mobile Crisis Unit.  
From: Commissioner Sherman



- e. Request the Police Chief or his representative to address the issue of how running warrant checks on reportees and witnesses might discourage them from contacting the police to report a crime or request other assistance.

From: Commissioners Sherman and Bernstein

**7. OLD BUSINESS** (discussion and action)

- a. Whether to change the times when public comment is allowed.

From: Commissioner Sherman

- b. In relation to a finding of factual innocence:

- 1) Request for Commission to initiate policy review of the following:

- a) How BPD reviews cases prior to being referred to DA;

- b) How BPD responds when a finding of factual innocence is made.

- 2) Question about initiating a BOI to review what occurred in the specific case.

From: Commissioner Bernstein

**8. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS & RECOMMENDATIONS** (discussion and action)

- a. Accreditation Subcommittee

Update/Schedule next meeting date.

- b. Drone Subcommittee

Update/Schedule next meeting date.

- c. Regulations Subcommittee

Update/Schedule next meeting date.

Review composition of Subcommittee membership.

- d. Fair and Impartial Policing Subcommittee

Update/Schedule next meeting date.

**9. PRC OFFICER'S REPORT**

Status of Complaints; announcements.

**10. ANNOUNCEMENTS, ATTACHMENTS & COMMUNICATIONS**

Attached.

**11. PUBLIC COMMENT**

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**Closed Session**

**12. VOTE ON WHETHER TO ACCEPT LATE-FILED COMPLAINT.**

Complaint # 2348

**End of Closed Session**

**13. ANNOUNCEMENT OF VOTE RESULTS FROM CLOSED SESSION**

## 14. ADJOURNMENT

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