

Commission on Police Practices

COMMISSION ON POLICE PRACTICES EXECUTIVE STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, February 13, 2024 4:30pm-6:00pm Procopio Towers 17th Floor, Suite 1725 San Diego, CA 92101

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CPP Committee Members Present:

Committee Chair Bonnie Benitez Alec Beyer

Doug Case

Excused: Absent: Dan Lawton None

Gonzalo Rocha-Vazquez

CPP Staff Present:

Bart Miesfeld, General Counsel Alina Conde, Executive Assistant

- I. CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME: Chair Gloria called the meeting to order at 4:33pm.
- II. ROLL CALL: Executive Assistant Alina Conde conducted the roll call for the Committee and established quorum.
- III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 7, 2024 RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

MOTION: Commissioner Alec Beyer moved to approve the November 7, 2024 Rules Committee Meeting Minutes. CPP Chair Doug Case seconded the motion. The vote passed 3-0-0.

Yeas: Benitez, Beyer, Case

Nays: None

Abstentions: None

IV. NON-AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT - None

V. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Continued Review of Amendment of Commission on Police Practices (CPP) Bylaws The Committee focused on Article 17 and Article 4.
 - Article could house language for Executive Director and delineate powers/duties between the members of the Cabinet (in operating procedures or in the bylaws).
 - Potential termination of Executive Directors and yearly evaluation.
 - Define language for "just cause".
 - The Committee will compare the Executive Director job description to what is in the bylaws.
 - Possibility of eliminating the Cabinet, as the Executive Standing Committee is already in place. There may be a smaller group who addresses allegations of impropriety.
 - Agendas of the Commission should be the responsibility of the Chair in consultation with Executive Director. The OCPP staff will physically put the agenda together.
 - A possible friction point could be #6 (Mayor, City Council, and Chief of Police)
 - If the Chair meets with the Mayor or City Council member, they will need to notify the Executive Director and vice versa.
 - Major areas of proposed work:
 - 1. Looking into for cause language.
 - 2. Looking into other examples of Bylaws.
 - 3. Put together some proposed structural changes that were discussed.

The next meeting of the Rules Standing Committee will be on Thursday, February 27th.

VI. ADJOURNMENT: The meeting adjourned at 6:00pm.