

OAKLAND POLICE COMMISSION

SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

September 16, 2022 5:30 P.M.

I. Call to Order, Welcome, Roll Call and Determination of Quorum

Chair Tyfahra Milele w Chair Tyfahra Milele called the meeting to order at approximately 5:35 p.m. and took roll.

Roll Call:

Present: Chair Tyfahra Milele; Commissioner Rudolph Howell; Commissioner David Jordan; Alternate Commissioner Angela Jackson-Castain; Commissioner Jesse Hsieh; Alternate Commissioner Karely Ordaz.

Excused Absences: Commissioner Brenda Harbin-Forte; Vice Chair Marsha Peterson; Commissioner Regina Jackson

To assist in meeting quorum requirements, Chair Milele elevated both alternate commissioners to regular commissioners with voting power.

II. Open Forum

Public comments were made by 3 persons (Olugbala; Leonard; Tu).

III. Presentation and Possible Approval of Policy DGO K-6 (Department Rifles)

Commissioner Hsieh, Lt. Joe Turner and Lt. Steve Toribo, along with Erickson Amaya and Jennifer, made presentations on the policy and answerd questions.

After public comments from 4 persons (Beck; Yassin; Bernstein; Olugbala), Commissioner Hsieh made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Howell, to approve this policy. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes:5 - Milele, Howell, Hsieh, Jackson-Castain, OrdazNays:0Absent:4- Harbin-Forte, Jackson, Jordan, Peterson

IV. Presentation and Possible Approval of Policy TB-III-H (Specialty Impact Munitions)

Commissioner Hsieh, Lt. Joe Turner and Lt. Steve Toribo, along with Erickson Amaya and Jennifer, made presentations on the policy and answered questions from the Commissioners.

After public comments from 2 persons (Grinage; Olugbala) Commissioner Hsieh made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Howell, to approve the policy as presented. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes:	4 - Milele, Howell, Hsieh, Jackson-Castain
Nays:	1 - Ordaz
Absent:	4- Harbin-Forte, Jackson, Jordan, Peterson

V. Presentation and Possible Approval of Policy TB III-P.04 (Armored Vehicles)

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After public comments from 2 persons (Olugbala; Parker) Commissioner Hsieh made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Jackson-Castain, to approve the policy. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes:	5 - Milele, Howell, Hsieh, Jackson-Castain, Ordaz
Nays:	0
Absent:	4- Harbin-Forte, Jackson, Jordan, Peterson

VI. Presentation and Possible Approval of Policy TB III-G (Crowd Control and Crowd Management) Commissioner Hsieh, Lt. Joe Turner, Lt. Thomason, and Jennifer Tu presented on this policy and answered questions from the Commissioners.

After public comments from 3 persons (Yassin; Olugbala; Parker) Commissioner Hsieh made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Jackson-Castain, to approve the policy. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes:	5 - Milele, Howell, Hsieh, Jackson-Castain, Ordaz
Nays:	0
Absent:	4 - Harbin-Forte, Jackson, Jordan, Peterson

VII. Presentation and Possible Approval of Policy TB V-F.02 (Chemical Agents + Impact Report)

Commissioner Hsieh, Lt. Joe Turner, Lt. Thomason, Jennifer Tu and Erickson Amaya presented on this policy and answered questions from the Commissioners. During the discussion, Commissioner stated that some of the language in the Impact Report needed to be amended, and specified that the the Impact Report would be amended to add: "When chemical agents are deployed in a home, that home can become contaminated and might not be able to be quickly decontaminated. Any residents of that home may not be able to safely stay in their home, which could have a negative impact on their ability to work to go to school and their general wellbeing."

After no public comments were made Commissioner Hsieh made a motion, seconded by Commissioner
Howell, to approve the policy with the amended Impact Report. The motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes: 5 - Milele, Howell, Hsieh, Jackson-Castain, Ordaz
Nays: 0
Absent: 4- Harbin-Forte, Jackson, Jordan, Peterson

VIII. Presentation and Possible Approval of Policy DGO I-26 (Ground Robots + Impact Report) Commissioner Hsieh, Lt. Daza Quiros, Lt. Joe Turner, and Jennifer Tu presented on this policy and answered guestions from the Commissioners.

Following public comments from 1 person (Olugbala), Commissioner Hsieh requested that the Commission not take action on the policy because it needed to be amended.

Presentation and Possible Approval of Policy DGO-I-25 (Unmanned Aerial Systems)

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Following public comments from 2 persons (Beck; Olugbaa), Commissioner Hsieh requested that the Commission not take action on the policy because it needed to be amended.

IX. Adjournment

Chair Milele adjourned the meeting of the Oakland Police Commission at approximately 9:25 p.m.