



Privacy Advisory Commission
January 4, 2024 5:00 PM
Oakland City Hall
Hearing Room 1
1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, 1st Floor
Meeting Minutes

Commission Members: *District 1 Representative: Reem Suleiman, District 2 Representative: Chloe Brown, District 3 Representative: Brian Hofer, Chair, District 4 Representative: Lou Katz, District 5 Representative: Vacant, District 6 Representative: Gina Tomlinson, District 7 Representative: Robert Oliver, Council At-Large Representative: Henry Gage III, Vice Chair, Mayoral Representative: Jessica Leavitt*

Each person wishing to speak on items must fill out a speaker's card. Persons addressing the Privacy Advisory Commission shall state their names and the organization they are representing, if any.

1. Call to Order, determination of quorum

In attendance: Commissioners Everhart, Suleiman, Katz, Brown, Vice Chair Gage, Chair Hofer.

Absent: Gina Tomlinson, Jessica Leavitt

2. Review and approval of the draft December 7 meeting minutes

The minutes were approved unanimously.

3. Open Forum/Public Comment for non-agenda items

No open forum or public comment.

4. Federal Task Force Ordinance – OPD – Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the US Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA)

- a. Review draft MOU and take possible action

The PAC reviewed a DEA of MOU that expired in December 2023 and needs to be renewed. Lt. Steve Valle, OPD, Commander of the task forces provided an update. One of the modifications was to extend the deadline of the MOU to 2026. Chair Hofer confirmed that many of OPD's, MOUs are for three years.

Commissioner Suleiman raised a concern about the resolution. She wanted to understand if there was a conflict between federal and state law. Chair Hofer, explained that the legal standard exists in the ordinance.

Chair Hofer made a motion to approve the MOU, seconded by Commissioner Katz. The item passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 5:35pm.