Commission Members

Diane Perez

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Regular Meeting Minutes
January 7, 2026
Held in person and via ZOOM

No Executive session was held.

Regular Meeting Minutes:

1. **Call to Order:** 431PM

2. **Roll Call:** All members present. Also present: Atty. Levinson and Commander Cossey

3. **Election of Officers:** A motion was made by Commissioner Sanchez to keep the officers as they were in 2025. 2nd by Commission Perez.
   All in favor. None Opposed
   Motion carries.
   The Officers will remain as follows: Commissioner Rodriguez, President; Commissioner Sanchez, Vice President and Commissioner Perez, Secretary

4. **Approval of the Agenda:**
   A motion to approve the agenda was made by Commissioner Sanchez. Second by Commissioner Perez. All in favor. Absent: None Opposed: None
   Motion carries.

5. **Approval of the Minutes:**
   A motion to approve the minutes for December 17, 2025 was made by Commissioner Perez. Second by Commissioner Taylor. All in favor. None Opposed
   Motion Carries

6. **Correspondence: None**

7. **Communications:**
   - **From ECPD:** Commander Cossey advised that the ECPD is requesting emergency hire process be open. A motion was made by Commissioner Sanchez. 2nd by Commissioner Perez.
     All in favor. None Opposed Motion carries.

     Commander Cossey also advised that the ECPD would like to move forward with the Promotional Process.

   - **From commissioners/Attorney:** None
   - **Other Communications:** None

8. **Old Business: None**

9. **New Business: None**

10. **Public Comment: None**

11. **Adjournment:** With no other business to discuss the meeting adjourned at 438PM