Commission Members
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POLICE MERIT COMMISSION

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Minutes of APRIL 1, 2026
Regular Meeting
Held in person and via ZOOM

No Executive session was held.

Regular Meeting Minutes:

1. **Call to Order:** 4:30 p.m.

2. **Roll Call:** Present: Perez, Rodriguez, Taylor, Sanchez
   Also Present: Attorney Levinson.

3. **Approval of the Agenda:** *A motion to approve the agenda was made by Commissioner Taylor. Second by Commissioner Perez.*

   Roll Call:
   Perez - Y
   Rodriguez - Y
   Taylor – Y
   Sanchez - Y

   Motion carries.

4. **Approval of the Minutes:** *A motion to approve the Minutes of March 18, 2026 was made by Commissioner Perez. Second by Commissioner Sanchez.*

   Roll Call:
   Perez - Y
   Rodriguez - Y
   Taylor – Y
   Sanchez - Y

   Motion carries.

5. **Correspondence:** None

6. **Communications:**

   FROM ECPD: No representative is present.

   From Commissioners/Attorney: Commissioners asked Attorney Levinson to speak with the Administration about providing the Commission with notification of all future testing dates prior to administering the same so that the Commissioners may attend.

Other Communications: None.

7. **Old Business:** Hiring process. Commissioners discussed the need to review the applications of those individuals that applied for emergency hire and for notice to be posted in accordance with statute.

   A motion to schedule an Executive Session for April 6, 2026 at 5:30 p.m. was made by Commissioner Perez and Seconded by Commissioner Taylor. Notice is to be posted in accordance with State Law. The Meeting shall be at the Police Department for the purpose of reviewing the applications.

   Roll Call:
   Perez - Y
   Rodriguez - Y
   Taylor – Y
   Sanchez - Y

   Motion carries.

8. **New Business:** None.

9. **Other Business:** None

10. **Next Meeting:** Regular Meeting on April 15, 2026 at 4:30 p.m. in person and via Zoom.

11. **Adjournment:**

    Commissioner Perez moved to adjourn. Second by Commissioner Taylor.

    Roll Call:
    Perez - Y
    Rodriguez - Y
    Taylor – Y
    Sanchez - Y

    Motion Carries.

Meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Minutes approved this 15th day of April, 2026.

Police Merit Commission