



AGENDA

Community and Police Relations Commission

Council Chambers – City Hall
1243 National City Blvd
National City, CA 91950

Daniel Orth, Chair

Michael Lesley, Vice-Chair

Kimberly Cumming-Serrano, Commissioner

Zachary Francisco-Gomez, Commissioner

William Phillips, Commissioner

Jake Zindulka, Commissioner

Rosemary Vazquez, Commissioner

Shane McClure, Police Member

Meetings: Regular Community and Police Relations Commission Meetings are held once a quarter on the third Thursday of the month at 6:00 p.m.

Location: Regular Community and Police Relations Commission Meetings are held in the Council Chamber located at City Hall, 1243 National City Boulevard, National City, CA 91950, the meetings are open to the public.

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AGENDA

COMMUNITY AND POLICE RELATIONS COMMISSION

Thursday, November 20, 2025, 6:00 p.m.

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- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**
- 4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Regular Meeting of August 21, 2025**
- 5. PUBLIC COMMENT**

In accordance with State law, an item not scheduled on the agenda may be brought forward by the public for comment; however, the Commission will not be able to discuss or take action on any issue not included on the agenda. Speakers will have up to three (3) minutes.

- 6. APPROVAL OF EXCUSED ABSENCES**
- 7. ELECTION OF OFFICERS – SELECT CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR**
- 8. CLOSED SESSION**

8.1 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE

Government Code Section 54957.6 Case #1

8.2 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE

Government Code Section 54957.6 Case #2

8.3 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE

Government Code Section 54957.6 Case #3

8.4 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE

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Government Code Section 54957.6 Case #6

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Government Code Section 54957.6 Case #7

8.8 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE
Government Code Section 54957.6 Case #8

9. CITY STAFF COMMENTS

10. COMMISSIONER REPORTS

11. ADJOURNMENT

Regular Meeting of the Community and Police Relations Commission - Thursday
– February 19, 2026 - 6:00 p.m. - Council Chambers - National City, California.



COMMUNITY AND POLICE RELATIONS COMMISSION

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Thursday, August 21, 2025

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Orth called the meeting to order at 6:06 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Commissioners Present

Daniel Orth, Chair
Michael Lesley, Vice Chair
William Phillips
Kimberly Cumming-Serrano
Zachary Gomez
Marisa Rosales
Jake Zindulka

City Staff:

Barry Schultz, City Attorney
Walter Amedee, Emergency Manager
Omar Ramirez, Lieutenant

Commissioners Absent

Shane McClure, Police Member

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Commissioner Gomez led the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Regular Meeting of May 15, 2025

ACTION: Motion by Commissioner Gomez and seconded by Commissioner Zindulka to approve the May 15, 2025, meeting minutes.

Motion approved unanimously.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT

Roberto Umanu addressed the CPRC Commissioners.

6. APPROVAL OF EXCUSED ABSENCES

6.1 Vice Chair Lesley notified the Commission Clerk that a death in the family was the reason for his absence from the May 15, 2025 meeting.

ACTION: Motion by Commissioner Zindulka and seconded by Commissioner Gomez to accept Vice Chair Lesley's excused absence.

Motion approved unanimously.

6.2 Police Member McClure notified the Commission Clerk that illness was the reason for his absence from the May 15, 2025 meeting.

ACTION: Motion by Vice Chair Lesley and seconded by Commissioner Rosales to accept Police Member McClure's excused absence.

Motion approved unanimously.

7. TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

7.1 [2025 Annual National Association for Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement \(NACOLE\) Conference](#), October 26-30, 2025, in Minneapolis, Minnesota

ACTION: Motion by Vice Chair Lesley and seconded by Commissioner Zindulka to accept Commissioner Gomez to attend the NACOLE Conference.

Motion approved unanimously.

8. CLOSED SESSION

CPRC Commissioners retired into Closed Session at 6:15 p.m. and returned at 6:52 p.m.

City Attorney Barry Schultz reported that the Commissioners heard 8 cases in Closed Session. Case nos. 1-8 received a unanimous vote of support by those Commissioners in attendance.

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9. CITY STAFF COMMENTS

None

10. COMMISSIONER REPORTS

None

11. ADJOURNMENT

ACTION: Motion by Commissioner Phillips, seconded by Commissioner Gomez to adjourn the meeting.

Motion carried unanimously.

The next Regular Meeting of the CPRC is scheduled for Thursday, November 20, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Accepted by:

Walter Amedee, Emergency Manager

Daniel Orth, Chair



AGENDA REPORT

Community and Police Relations Commission

Prepared by: Walter Amedee, Emergency Manager
Meeting Date: Thursday, November 20, 2025

SUBJECT:

Select Chair and Vice Chair

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commissioners vote to select the Chair and Vice Chair for calendar year 2026.

BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE PRIOR ACTION:

Not Applicable

EXPLANATION:

Annually the National City Community and Police Relations Commission (CPRC) elects a Chair and Vice-Chair. According the Bylaws Article II - Officers section 2 and section 3. Additionally, it should be noted that these positions must be filled by a National City resident per City Council Policy #107.

CPRC Bylaws

Section 2. Chairperson

The Chairperson shall preside at all meetings of the Commission, working with the Vice Chairperson and in consultation with the City staff, shall submit such agenda recommendations and information that are reasonable and proper for the conduct of the business affairs and policies of the Commission. The Chairperson shall sign all resolutions, approved minutes, and other legal documents of the Commission (if any). The Chairperson shall be a resident of National City. The Commission shall not have a current or former member of a National City Police Department serve as Chairperson.

Section 3. Vice Chairperson

The Vice Chairperson shall perform the duties of the Chairperson in the Chairperson's absence. The Vice Chairperson shall be a current resident of National City. The Commission shall not have a current or former member of a National City Police Department serve as Vice Chairperson.

CPRC Operation Procedures, Section 3.02, Section 13

Only City Residents may be elected to Chair, and Vice-Chair positions. To be eligible to be elected as the Chairperson of a City Board, Committee or Commission, the member must be a resident of the City.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

Not Applicable

RELATED CITY COUNCIL 2020-2025 STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL:

Not Applicable

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW:

This is not a project under CEQA and is therefore not subject to environmental review. CCR15378; PRC 21065.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION:

Agenda Report posted within 72 hours of meeting date and time in accordance with Brown Act.

ORDINANCE:

Not Applicable

EXHIBITS:

Not Applicable