



**Privacy Advisory Commission
Meeting Agenda**

**Oakland City Hall, Hearing Room 1
1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza**

**Thursday July 2, 2026
5:00 PM**

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

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I. CALL TO ORDER

The Chair opens the meeting and officially begins proceedings.

II. ROLL CALL

The Clerk Calls roll to confirm member attendance to determine if there is a quorum (5 members) to conduct business.

Commissioners: Byron White, Issac Cheng, Gina Tomlinson, Vice Chair Henry Gage III, Chair Jessica Leavitt, Ray Sudip

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

During Public Comment, members of the public may comment on any **agendized items** within the Commission's jurisdiction when called.

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Panel reviews the draft minutes from a prior meeting and may take action to approve them as presented or with revisions.

1. June 4nd Meeting Minutes

V. NCRIC / WISN ACCESSING FLOCK IN VIOLATION OF SB 34

Receive an informational report regarding allegations of unauthorized access to Flock Safety data by the Northern California Regional Intelligence Center (NCRIC) and the Westside Intelligence Sharing Network (WISN) in violation of California Senate Bill 34 (SB 34).

VI. Open forum

Members of the public may speak on **non-agendized** items within the Panel's jurisdiction.

ADJOURNMENT

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I. Called To order

II. Roll Call

Byron White - Present	Issac Cheng – Present
Gina Tomlinson - Present	Vice Chair Henry Gage III - Present
Chair Jessica Leavitt – Present	

III. Public Comment

IV. Approval of Meeting Minutes

April 4, 2026 Meeting Minutes

Discussion: No Discussion

Motion: To approve the meeting minutes by Commissioner White

Seconded by: Vice Chair Gage

Vote:

Issac Cheng Y	Gina Tomlinson Y	Byron White Y
Vice Chair Henry Gage III Y	Ch Jessica Leavitt Y	

Result: Motion passes 5 Y's

**V. OPD REQUEST FOR SURVEILLANCE FOOTAGE PURSUANT TO THE
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT'S SURVEILLANCE USE POLICY FOR
ILLEGAL DUMPING CAMERAS**

Discussion: No Discussion

Motion: Chair Leavitt moved to accept the report from the Department.

Seconded by: Vice Chair Gage

Vote:

Issac Cheng Y	Gina Tomlinson Y	Byron White Y
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**VI. AUTOMATED LICENSE PLATE READERS (ALPR) ANNUAL REPORT &
DGO 1-12/ALPR POLICY REPORT**

Discussion: The Commission reviewed the 2025 ALPR Annual Report and corresponding DGO I-12 Use Policy together. OPD explained that the proposed policy amendment does not expand the user base, but authorizes OPD to share ALPR information related to illegal dumping investigations with the Oakland Public Works Department and the City Attorney's Office. OPD stated that all requests for ALPR data are reviewed individually, requestors are verified, and bulk requests are not accepted. Commissioners discussed search procedures, policy implementation, annual policy review opportunities, and the effectiveness of the expanded data-sharing authority.

Motion: Vice Chair Gage to.

1. Accept and forward the 2025 Automated License Plate Reader Annual Report to the City Council with a favorable recommendation, finding that the benefits of the surveillance technology outweigh the costs and that civil liberties and civil rights are safeguarded.
2. Recommend approval of the proposed modifications to the ALPR Use Policy; and
3. Request that OPD specifically address the effectiveness of the expanded authority to share ALPR information with Oakland Public Works and the City Attorney's Office in the 2026 Annual Report.

Seconded by: Commissioner Cheng

Roll Call Vote:

Issac Cheng Y Gina Tomlinson Y Byron White Y
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Motion passes with 5Y

VII. BIOMETRIC CRIME LAB ANNUAL REPORT



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Discussion: OPD presented the 2025 Biometric Crime Lab Annual Report and reported no newly deployed surveillance technology during the reporting period, with the exception of one liquid-handling robot currently being tested. The Forensic Unit received no community or internal complaints, experienced no data breaches, and continues to maintain an active security program with regularly tested alarm systems.

The Department reported:

- 43 case-file discoveries provided to the District Attorney's Office;
- 414 requests completed during 2025;
- 2,165 evidentiary items examined; and
- 5,153 samples generated for forensic analysis.

Commissioners discussed the laboratory's operations, reviewed reporting data, and considered the Commission's oversight role regarding biometric technology. Commissioners Cheng, White, Gage, and Leavitt were identified to participate in an ad hoc group to discuss related issues and develop future recommendations.

Motion: Vice Chair Gage moved to accept and forward the 2025 Biometric Crime Lab Annual Report with a favorable recommendation, finding that the benefits to the community outweigh the costs, civil liberties and civil rights are safeguarded, and recommending continuation of the waiver of race-based reporting.

Seconded by: Chair Leavitt

Roll Call Vote:

Issac Cheng Y	Gina Tomlinson Y	Byron White Y
Vice Chair Henry Gage III Y	Ch Jessica Leavitt Y	

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Motion passes with 5Y

VIII. UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEM (DRONE) ANNUAL REPORT

Discussion: None



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Motion: Vice Chair Gage moved to accept and forward the 2025 Unmanned Aerial System Annual Report with a favorable recommendation, finding that the benefits to the community outweigh the costs and that civil liberties and civil rights are safeguarded.

Seconded by: Commissioner Tomlinson

Roll Call Vote:

Issac Cheng Y Gina Tomlinson Y Byron White Y
Vice Chair Henry Gage III Y Ch Jessica Leavitt Y

Result:

Motion passes with 5Y

IX. FORWARD LOOKING INFRARED (FLIR) ANNUAL REPORT

Discussion: No. discussion

Motion: Vice Chair Gage to moved to accept and forward the 2025 Forward Looking Infrared Annual Report with a favorable recommendation, finding that the benefits to the community outweigh the costs and that civil liberties and civil rights are safeguarded.

Seconded by: Commissioner Cheng

Roll Call Vote:

Issac Cheng Y Gina Tomlinson Y Byron White Y
Vice Chair Henry Gage III Y Ch Jessica Leavitt Y

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Motion passes with 5Y

X. LIVESTREAM TRANSMITTERS ANNUAL REPORT

Discussion: No Discussion



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Motion: Vice Chair Gage to moved to accept and forward the 2025 Livestream Transmitters Annual Report with a favorable recommendation, finding that the benefits to the community outweigh the costs and that civil liberties and civil rights are safeguarded.

Seconded by: Commissioner White

Roll Call Vote:

Issac Cheng Y Gina Tomlinson Y Byron White Y
Vice Chair Henry Gage III Y Ch Jessica Leavitt Y

Result:
Motion passes with 5Y

XI. DGO: I-12/ALPR POLICY / CONSIDERED WITH ITEM VI

XII. ANNUAL SURVEILLANCE TECHNOLOGY REPORT – DEPARTMENT OF VIOLENCE PREVENTION APRICOT DATA MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Discussion: No Discussion

Motion: Vice Chair Gage to accept and forward the 2025 Annual Surveillance Technology Report with a favorable recommendation, finding that the benefits to the community outweigh the costs and that civil liberties and civil rights are safeguarded, and recommending Council approve the proposed modifications to the AUP as included in the report.

Seconded by: Commissioner White

Roll Call Vote:

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Motion passes with 5Y



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