

Date: March 31, 2018
To: BART Board of Directors
From: BART Police Citizen Review Board
George Perezvelez, Chairperson
Subject: Quarterly Report to Board of Directors

This quarterly report from the BART Police Citizen Review Board (BPCRB) to the BART Board of Directors covers the BPCRB's most significant activities for January, February, and March 2018.

BART Police Citizen Review Board Members:

Kenneth Loo	District 1
Cathryn Freitas	District 2
William White (Vice Chairperson)	District 3
Darren White	District 4
Bob Maginnis	District 5
Les Mensinger	District 6
Aman Sebahtu	District 7
David Rizk	District 8
George Perezvelez (Chairperson)	District 9
Cydia A. Garrett	Public-At-Large
Richard Knowles	BART Police Officers and Managers Associations

Meetings:

The BPCRB normally meets in the district boardroom at 4:00 p.m. on the second Monday of the month. Meeting agendas and minutes are posted on the district website and can be found at www.bart.gov/about/bod/meetings.aspx. The regular agenda items include monthly oral reports by the BART Chief of Police and the Independent Police Auditor.

Reporting

This is the 25th formal written report to the Board of Directors.

Primary Duties and Responsibilities

The Citizen Oversight Model lists several primary duties and responsibilities for the BPCRB. The general topic headings below describe the BPCRB activities related to these tasks.

Receiving complaints, reviewing investigative reports and making recommendations for corrective action.

The Independent Police Auditor has received complaints which are being investigated. During this quarter, one case (OIPA Case #17-34 Govt. Code 54957) was presented to the BPCRB and the OIPA recommendations were agreed to by at least a majority of BPCRB members.

Recommendations on Procedures, and Practices

A Memo outlining the recommendations of the BPCRB's OIR report was forwarded to the BART Board of Directors for approval.

A motion to generate a letter to BART Board of Directors expressing the Boards concern of Public comments from BART's Chief concerning the January 2018 officer involved shooting was approved and forwarded.

Board development Recommendations

During the Quarter, the Board developed a Training Syllabus subcommittee which developed the board Training Schedule for 2018.

A Motion to petition the BART Board to increase NACOLE Conference Budget from \$3,500 to \$5,000 and change by-laws reflecting such, beginning July 2018 was passed.

Community Outreach and Other Activities

Board Member Les Mensinger attended the 9th Annual Oscar Grant Vigil in January and the Puerto Rican relief drive in February.

Training

N/A

Participation in Oral Boards

Board Member Les Mensinger participated on two oral board interviews in February and one in March.