

**CITY OF LONG BEACH
CITIZEN POLICE COMPLAINT
COMMISSION MINUTES**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2017
333 W. OCEAN BOULEVARD
COUNCIL CHAMBER, 5:30 PM**

Miles Nevin, Chair
Suely Saro, Vice Chair
Leonard Adams Jr., Commissioner
Raúl A. Añorve, Commissioner
B. Terhune (Terry) Beebe, Commissioner



Christian Cooper, Commissioner
Desmond Fletcher, Commissioner
Rianne Howard, Commissioner
Richard Lindemann, Commissioner

Anitra Dempsey, Executive Director

FINISHED AGENDA & MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER (5:30 PM)

At 5:30 PM, Chair Nevin called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL (5:30 PM)

Commissioners Raúl Añorve, Beekman "Terry" Beebe, Christian Cooper,

Present: Desmond Fletcher, Rianne Howard, Richard Lindemann, Suely Saro and Miles Nevin

Commissioners Leonard Adams Jr.

Absent:

Also present: Anitra Dempsey, Executive Director; Celenia Perez, Special Investigator; Patrick Weithers, Special Investigator; Lloyd Cox, Commander, Long Beach Police Department; Jonathan Nagayama, City Clerk Specialist.

CONSENT CALENDAR (5:31 PM)

Passed the Consent Calendar

A motion was made by Commissioner Beebe, seconded by Commissioner Cooper, to approve Consent Calendar Item. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Beekman "Terry" Beebe, Christian Cooper, Desmond Fletcher, Rianne Howard, Richard Lindemann, Suely Saro and Miles Nevin

Absent: 2 - Leonard Adams Jr. and Raúl Añorve

1. [17-064CP](#) Recommendation to receive, file and close the following cases due to lack of evidence and/or witness cooperation or staff recommendation:

<u>CPCC NO.</u>	<u>ALLEGATION(S)</u>
16-221	Use of Force
16-182	Use of Force
16-202	Harassment
16-229	Failure to Take Action
16-247	Unbecoming Conduct
16-245	Unbecoming Conduct
16-197	Failure to Care for Property
16-237	Unbecoming Conduct
16-206	Dishonesty
15-248	Unbecoming Conduct
16-211	Use of Force
15-132	Use of Force & Failure to Care for Property
16-249	Use of Force
16-212	Profanity
16-193	Unbecoming Conduct, Failure to Care for Property, Failure to Take Action & Use of Force
16-186	Unbecoming Conduct
16-217	Unbecoming Conduct
17-081	Unbecoming Conduct
16-226	Unbecoming Conduct & Profanity

A motion was made to approve recommendation on the Consent Calendar.

REGULAR AGENDA (5:32 PM)

2. [17-065CP](#) Recommendation to approve the minutes of the Citizen Police Complaint Commission Regular Meeting held Thursday, September 14,

2017.

Commissioner Anorve joined the meeting.

A motion was made by Commissioner Lindemann, seconded by Commissioner Fletcher, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 8 - Raúl Añorve, Beekman "Terry" Beebe, Christian Cooper, Desmond Fletcher, Rianne Howard, Richard Lindemann, Suely Saro and Miles Nevin

Absent: 1 - Leonard Adams Jr.

3. [17-066CP](#)

Recommendation to receive and file City Manager's Report.

Anitra Dempsey, Executive Director, spoke; and introduced Patrick Weithers, Special Investigator.

Patrick Weithers, Special Investigator, presented the staff report.

A motion was made by Commissioner Cooper, seconded by Commissioner Lindemann, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 8 - Raúl Añorve, Beekman "Terry" Beebe, Christian Cooper, Desmond Fletcher, Rianne Howard, Richard Lindemann, Suely Saro and Miles Nevin

Absent: 1 - Leonard Adams Jr.

PUBLIC COMMENT (5:34 PM)

No members of the public addressed the commission.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT (5:34 PM)

Anitra Dempsey, Executive Director, reminded the Commission that the November 9th meeting would be held at a different location, on the 13th floor of City Hall in the large meeting room.

REMARKS FROM THE CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS (5:35 PM)

There were no remarks from the Chair and Commissioners.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION (5:35 PM)

At 5:35 PM, there being no objection, Chair Nevin recessed the meeting to Closed Session.

RECONVENE FROM CLOSED SESSION (8:45 PM)

At 8:45 PM, Chair Nevin reconvened the meeting.

ROLL CALL (8:45 PM)

Commissioners Raúl Añorve, Beekman "Terry" Beebe, Christian Cooper,
Present: Desmond Fletcher, Rianne Howard, Richard Lindemann, Suely
Saro and Miles Nevin

Commissioners Leonard Adams Jr.

Absent:

4. [17-067CP](#) Recommendation to receive Commission's vote and refer findings to the City Manager.

Chair Nevin reported out from Closed Session the following actions taken:

[1] Case No. 17-084 Commissioners laid the item over due to lack of quorum;

[2] Case No. 16-225 Commissioners voted 8-0 on Allegation Nos. 1 - Use of Force and 2 - Vehicle Search for First and Second Officers accused;

[3] Case No. 16-228 Commissioners voted 8-0 on Allegation No. 1 - Failure to Take Report and 7-1 on Allegation No. 2 - Failure to Take Action for Officer accused;

[4] Case No. 16-201 Commissioners voted 8-0 on Allegation Nos. 1 - Use of Force for First, Second and Third Officers accused, and 2 - Use of Force for First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Officers accused; and

[5] Case No. 16-194 Commissioners voted 6-2 on Allegation No. 2 - Misuse of Authority for Officer accused.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Saro, seconded by Commissioner Cooper, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 8 - Raúl Añorve, Beekman "Terry" Beebe, Christian Cooper, Desmond Fletcher, Rianne Howard, Richard Lindemann, Suely Saro and Miles Nevin

Absent: 1 - Leonard Adams Jr.

PUBLIC COMMENT (8:47 PM)

No members of the public addressed the commission.

Anitra Dempsey, Executive Director, spoke.

ADJOURNMENT (8:47 PM)

At 8:47 PM, there being no objection, Chair Nevin declared the meeting adjourned.

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