



City of Santa Barbara

**FIRE & POLICE COMMISSION
WESTSIDE NEIGHBORHOOD
CENTER**

**423 WEST VICTORIA STREET
SANTA BARBARA, CA**

**SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA
JUNE 27, 2024
4:00 P.M.**

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Commissioners

Linda Dozer (Chair)
Gary Hill (Vice Chair)
Dan Herlinger
Aaron Jones
Lizzie Rodriguez

City of SB Council Liaison – Oscar Gutierrez

Staff

Chris Mailes, Fire Chief
Kelly Gordon, Police Chief
John S. Doimas, Assistant City Attorney
Barbara Andersen, Senior Assistant to
the City Administrator
Talia Dorado, Administrative Specialist,
City Administrator's Office
Nicole Grisanti, Supervisor,
City Administrator's Office

PUBLIC COMMENT: At the beginning of the meeting, any member of the public may address the Fire and Police Commission on any subject matter within the jurisdiction of the Fire and Police Commission that is not on the Commission's agenda. The total amount of time for public comments will be 10 minutes, and no individual speaker may speak for more than 2 minutes. Contact Commission Secretaries at least 24 hours in advance to participate in public comment remotely, should a member of the public require an Americans with Disabilities Act accommodation.

IN-PERSON PUBLIC COMMENT: A member of the public may address the Fire and Police Commission regarding any scheduled agenda item. Any person wishing to make such address should first complete and deliver a "Request to Speak" form prior to the time that the item is taken up by the Commission.

REMOTE PUBLIC COMMENT: Members of the public wishing to make a remote public comment must "raise their hand" in the Zoom Webinar by selecting the virtual hand icon. The keyboard shortcut for this is Alt+Y for Windows and Option+Y for Macs. Staff will activate the speaker's microphone when the speaker's name is called. The speaker will then need to unmute themselves. The keyboard shortcut for this is Alt+M for Windows and Command+Shift+A for Macs.

WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENT: Public comments sent via email to FPCComments@santabarbaraca.gov and received no later than one (1) hour before the meeting will be submitted to the Fire and Police Commissioners and will become part of the public record.

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CONSENT CALENDAR: The Consent Calendar is comprised of items that will not usually require discussion by the Fire and Police Commission. A Consent Calendar item is open for discussion by the Fire and Police Commission upon request of a Commissioner, Fire and Police staff, or a member of the public. Items on the Consent Calendar may be approved by a single motion.

Members of the public wishing to speak on an item listed on the Consent Calendar must turn in a "Request to Speak" form or "Raise their Hand" in the Zoom webinar prior to the Consent Calendar items being approved by the Fire and Police Commission.

AMERICAN WITH DISABILITIES ACT: If you need auxiliary aids or services or staff assistance to attend or participate in this meeting, please contact Talhia Dorado, Commission Secretary at (805) 564-5305 or Nicole Grisanti, Administrator's Office Supervisor at (805) 564-5301. If possible, notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will usually enable the City to make reasonable arrangements. Specialized services, such as sign language interpretation or documents in Braille, may require additional lead time to arrange.

NOTICES: This Agenda was duly posted in the Office of the City Clerk and on the Public Notice Board on the outside balcony of City Hall, 735 Anacapa Street, as well as on the Internet at least 72 hours prior to the date and time of the meeting.

PUBLIC STATEMENTS FROM THE COMMISSION: Santa Barbara Municipal Code Section 2.09.060 prescribes the method and process for official statements from the Commission, which must be approved by majority vote of the entire membership taken at a public meeting. The Commission by majority vote of the entire membership may also choose to designate one of its members to make official statements to the public. This section is to provide notice to the public that the Commission may make an official statement for each item on the agenda, thereby, making any agenda item an action item for this specific purpose.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA**
- 4. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT**

Any member of the public may address the Fire and Police Commission for up to two (2) minutes on any subject within the jurisdiction of the Commission that is not scheduled for a public discussion before the Commission.

- 5. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES FROM MAY 23, 2024**
- 6. INFORMATIONAL PRESENTATION ON THE SANTA BARBARA CITY COLLEGE (SBCC) RISING SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

Noel Gomez, Program Coordinator, will share information regarding the SBCC Rising Scholars Program that supports formerly incarcerated students with the opportunity to enroll and receive the academic and financial resources necessary to succeed at Santa Barbara City College.

- 7. UPDATE ON E-BIKE SAFETY AND EDUCATION EFFORTS**

Police Chief Kelly Gordon and Commander Charlie Katsapis will provide an update on the e-bike safety and education efforts that have been facilitated by the Santa Barbara Police Department in response to the increasing use of electric bikes among residents and tourists in the City of Santa Barbara.

- 8. COMMISSION AND STAFF COMMUNICATION**
- 9. ADJOURNMENT**



**CITY OF SANTA BARBARA
FIRE & POLICE COMMISSION
May 23, 2024
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
Santa Barbara City Hall, Council Chambers
735 Anacapa Street, Santa Barbara CA 93101**

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting on Thursday, May 23, 2024 was called to order at 4:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Commissioners Present:

Gary Hill, Vice Chair
Dan Herlinger, Commissioner
Aaron Jones, Commissioner
Lizzie Rodriguez, Commissioner

Commissioners Absent:

Linda Dozer, Chair

Staff Present:

Kelly Gordon, Police Chief
Charlie Katsapis, Commander, Santa Barbara Police Department
Joshua Morton, Commander, Santa Barbara Police Department
Chris Mailes, Fire Chief
Brad Hess, Principal Project Manager
Barbara Andersen, Senior Assistant to the City Administrator
Nicole Grisanti, Administrator's Office Supervisor
Talhia Dorado, Commission Secretary

CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

No changes to the Agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Public Comment Received.

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES FROM APRIL 25, 2024

MOTION: A motion was made by Vice Chair Hill to approve the April 25, 2024 meeting minutes. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Herlinger.

VOTE: Vote by name results showed **4:0**; (4) in favor of approving minutes. Motion Passes unanimously.

PRESENTATION ON THE SANTA BARBARA POLICE STATION PROJECT

City of Santa Barbara Principal Project Manager Brad Hess, Brian Cearnal and Jeff Hornbuckle from Cearnal Collective, and Police Commander Joshua Morton shared a detailed presentation on the new Santa Barbara Police Station that will be located at the corner of Cota and Santa Barbara Streets.

SANTA BARBARA POLICE DEPARTMENT MISSION STRATEGIES REPORT

Commander Katsapis presented the quarterly report on the Mission Strategies of the Santa Barbara Police Department.

SANTA BARBARA FIRE DEPARTMENT INCIDENT REPORTING DATA

Fire Chief Mailes presented a quarterly report on the calls for service received by the Santa Barbara Fire Department.

COMMISSION AND STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

Commissioner Rodriguez shared her experience attending Coffee with a Cop at the Eastside Library and encouraged the public to do the same. Commissioner Rodriguez asked Vice Chair Hill to attend the City Council Meeting on June 4th to read the Fire and Police Commission Announcement regarding City's Budget for Fire Department Training.

Commissioner Herlinger shared his experience on his second ride-along with the Police Department and shared he will be completing another ride-along with the Fire Department.

Barbara announced Kelly McAdoo plans on attending the Fire and Police Commission meeting in June.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 5:44 p.m.