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POLICE OVERSIGHT

# CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MARCH 26, 2019



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## Agenda

- New Framework for Civilian Police Oversight
- OPO Transition Advisory Committee
- Mission, Branding, Community Engagement
- Online Complaint Form and Website

# New Framework



# OPO Transition Advisory Committee

- Pastor Gaylon Clark – Greater Mount Zion Church
  - Juniper Lauren – Undoing White Supremacy
  - Maira Sheikh – Council on American Islamic Relations
  - Paulette Blanc – MEASURE
  - Pooja Sethi – Asian American Quality of Life Commission
  - Matthew Ramirez – Neighborhood Housing & Community Development
  - Sukyi McMahon – Austin Justice Coalition
  - Estrella DeLeon – GAVA
  - Justin Berry – Austin Police Association
  - Rachel Manning – Undoing White Supremacy
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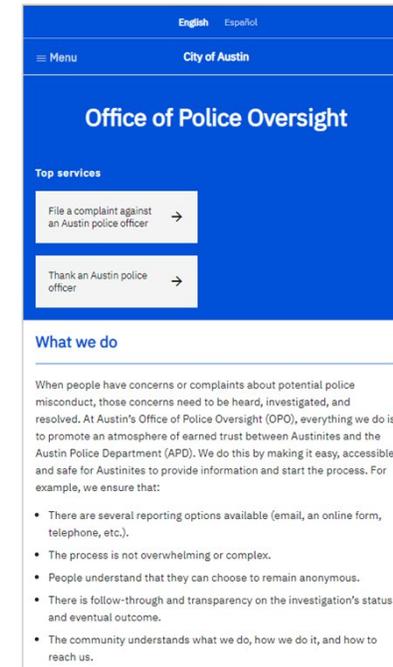
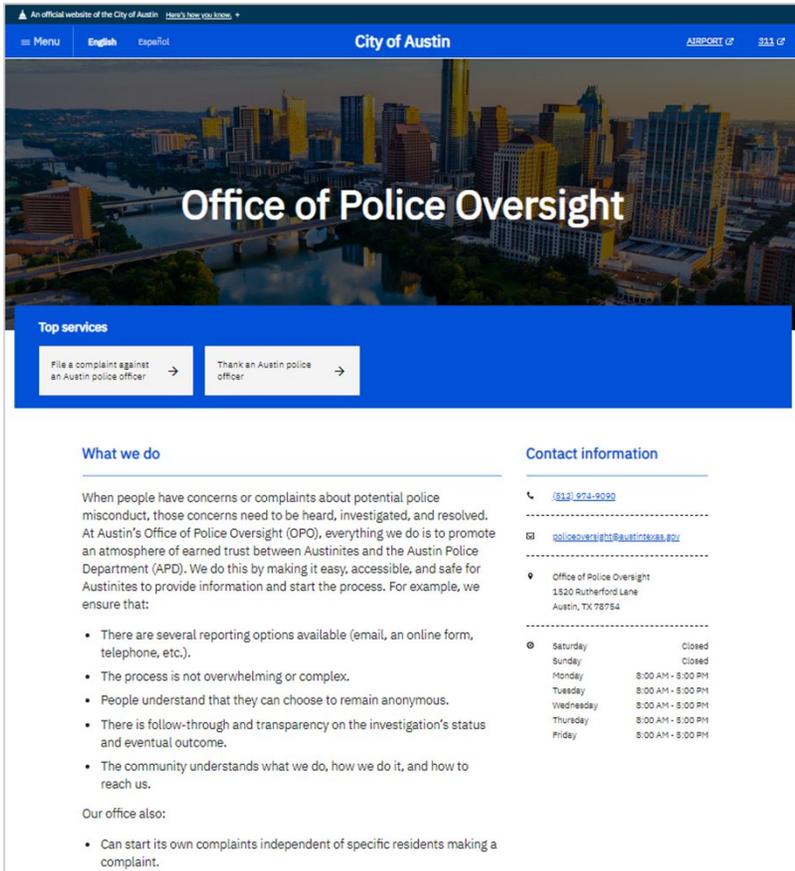
## Mission Statement

The Office of Police Oversight (OPO) provides impartial oversight of the Austin Police Department's conduct, practices, and policies to enhance accountability, inform the public to increase transparency, and build sustainable partnerships throughout the community.

# OPO COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Vision
  - Partnering with our community to create positive change.
- Staffing
  - Two Community Engagement Specialist
  - Two Community Engagement Interns
- Engagement Efforts
  - School Resource Fairs
  - Black Business Week
  - Chinese New Year
  - Community Office Hours
    - Held twice a month at city libraries from 3-7
    - Wednesday March 27, 2019 at Ruiz Branch Library
- Next Steps
  - Community Partners
    - Community Organizations
    - Boards and Commissions
    - Neighborhood Associations
    - Faith Based Organizations
    - Legal Community
  - Know Your Rights Info Sessions
  - Info Sessions on the Complaint Form

# New Website atxpoliceoversight.org



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### File a complaint

You DO NOT have to give personal information in order to file a complaint.  
By telling us about your experience, you help us better serve you and your community. Thank you.

**Select an option**

Online **-**

**Required information**

- What happened
- Time

**Optional information**

- Officer(s) involved
- Witness(es)
- Your contact information for us to follow up with you (interpreters available)

**Start**

Over the phone **+**

In person **+**

By mail **+**

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# Online Complaint Form

**Tell us what happened**

**Description (\*Required)**

Describe your experience with the Austin Police Department.

Date and time, if known? (\*Required)

I received a ticket during this interaction.

**Location**

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# Thank You Form

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## Questions

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