COMMUNITY POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION (CPRC)

REGULAR CALLED MEETING MINUTES

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2026

The Community Police Review Commission convened in a Regular meeting on Friday, October 16, 2026, at Austin City Hall, Boards and Commissions Room 1101, 301 West 2nd Street, in Austin, Texas.

Chair Carlos Greaves called the meeting to order at 3:02 p.m.

Commissioners in Attendance:

Carlos Greaves, Chair
Laura Cortes Franco, Vice Chair
Ruben De La Paz (arrived at 3:10 p.m.)
Darrick Eugene
Marissa Johnson
Lauren Peña
Celesta Williams (arrived at 3:17 p.m.)

Commissioners in Attendance Remotely:

Lee Peterman
Kathy Russell

Commissioners Absent:

Christopher Harris

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PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approve the minutes of the Community Police Review Commission regular-called meeting on August 21, 2026.
   The minutes from the Community Police Review Commission regular meeting of August 21, 2026, were approved on Commissioner Darrick Eugene's motion and Commissioner Marissa Johnson's second, on a 7-0 vote. Commissioners Ruben De La Paz, Christopher Harris, and Celesta Williams were absent.

2. Approve the minutes of the Community Police Review Commission regular-called meeting on September 18, 2026.
   The minutes from the Community Police Review Commission regular meeting of September 18, 2026, were approved on Commissioner Darrick Eugene's motion and Vice Chair Laura Cortes Franco's second, on a 6-0 vote. Commissioner Lauren Peña abstained. Commissioners Ruben De La Paz, Christopher Harris, and Celesta Williams were absent.

STAFF BRIEFING

3. Staff briefing by Director Gail McCant regarding updates related to Austin Police Oversight (APO), including an overview and key highlights; administrative and operational updates; commission support and follow-up; community engagement; policy highlights; and upcoming items and priorities.
   Presentation was made by Gail McCant, Director, Austin Police Oversight.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

4. Discussion of and approval of the Community Police Review Commission meeting schedule for the 2027 calendar year.
   The recommendation to maintain the Community Police Review Commission's meeting schedule on the third Friday of each month for 2027 was approved on Commissioner Lauren Peña's motion and Commissioner Marissa Johnson's second, on an 8-0 vote. Commissioner Darrick Eugene abstained. Commissioner Christopher Harris was absent.

WORKING GROUP UPDATE

5. Update from the CPRC Year in Review Working Group regarding preparation of the Commission's Year in Review report.
   The update was given by Commissioner Darrick Eugene.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Announcement of the Opening of Nominations for the First Responders 4-Way Test Award, Hosted by Austin Rotary, on 10/16

NACOLE Conference Summary by CPRC Commissioners Who Attended

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Carlos Greaves adjourned the meeting at 3:39 p.m. without objection.

APPROVAL

The minutes were approved at the [insert next meeting date] meeting on Commissioner [Name]'s motion, Commissioner [Name]'s second on a [vote] vote.

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