

Date **September 30, 2018**

To: **BART Board of Directors**

From: **BART Police Citizen Review Board**

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 July, August, and September 2018.

BART Police Citizen Review Board Members:

Kenneth Loo	District 1
Pete Longmire	District 2
William White (Vice Chairperson)	District 3
Darren White	District 4
VACANT	District 5
Les Mensinger	District 6
Aman Sebahtu	District 7
David Rizk	District 8
George Perezvelez (Chairperson)	District 9
VACANT	Public-At-Large
Richard Knowles	BART Police Officers and Managers Associations

Meetings:

The BPCRB normally meets in the District Board Room 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 27th 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 Office of the Independent Police Auditor (OIPA) has received complaints which are being investigated. During this quarter, three cases (OIPA Case #17-42, #18-01, and #18-03 Govt. Code 54957) were presented to the BPCRB and the OIPA recommendations were agreed to by at least a majority of BPCRB Members.

Public Comments from family and friends of Sahleem Tindle concerning the officer involved shooting in West Oakland in January was received by the Board.

Recommendations on Procedures, and Practices

Proposed revisions to BART Police Department (BPD) Policy #310 related to an officer's fitness for return to duty after an involved shooting was presented. The Board formed a sub-committee to review and recommend additional changes.

Board Development Recommendations

George Perezvelez and William C. White were re-elected as Chair and Vice Chair. Aman Sebahtu District 7 resigned from the Board. Pete Longmire was sworn in to represent District 5, and Christina Gomez was sworn in to represent District 7.

Training

Chair Perezvelez, Vice Chair W. White, Mr. Loo, and Mr. Longmire attended Force Option Simulation training at BPD.

Participation in Oral Boards

Board Member Les Mensinger participated in two Oral Boards for new BPD candidates.

Community Outreach and Other Activities

Board Member Les Mensinger met with District 6 Board Candidate, Anu Nataraju.