October 21, 2026 **REGULAR MEETING, CITY HALL**

The Police Commission of the City and County of San Francisco met in Room 400, City Hall, #1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco at 5:35 p.m.

PRESENT: President Clay, Vice President Tekkey, Commissioners Elias (arrived:5:53pm), Leung, Low
EXCUSED: Commissioners Scott and Benedicto

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT
Name not stated: Provided opinion and feedback regarding members' conduct. Questioned actions at Stud Alley during the Trans March. Provided other incidents and questioned Commission and department. Continued to provide opinions regarding a Department General Order.
Paulette Brown: Played a video documentary about unsolved homicides.
Jon S.: Resident of San Francisco. Castro. Provided personal incidents, DPA cases.
Continued to elaborate on matter.
Jessica: Provided opinion regarding department and investigative processes.

Consent Calendar (RECEIVE & FILE; ACTION)
- Semi-Annual Report to the Police Commission Sexual Assault Evidence Kit (SAEK) Jan 1 – June 30, 2026

Motion by Commissioner Leung to receive and file. Second by Commissioner Tekkey. Approved 3-2.

AYES: President Clay, Vice President Tekkey, Commissioner Leung

NAY: Commissioner Low and Elias

EXCUSED: Commissioners Scott and Benedicto

Commissioner Tekkey requested a presentation from SVU.

PUBLIC COMMENT
Ivy Lee: Director at Mayor's Office for Victims' Rights. Thanked Chief Lew and Assistant Chief Jones for collaborating with Mayor's Office, engaging in discussions around sexual assault investigations and ways to support Officers' doing this work. Requested collaboration with SFPD and the Commission regarding full implementation of recommendations discussed at a previous hearing. referred to a Hearing on recommendations. Recognized the Chief's leadership at the previous Board of Supervisors Hearing.
Lili Carillo: Director of the Office of Sexual Harassment & Assault Response + Prevention (SHARP) at the Mayor's Office for Victims' Rights. Echoed Director Lee and expressed appreciation for the support and collaboration from Chief Lew. Echoed importance of this topic and report. Continued to elaborate on opinion.

Chief's Report
- **Weekly crime trends**
- **Major/Significant Incidents**

Provided update regarding Trans March, public meeting to be on Tuesday, 11/24 at 6pm at PHQ.
Officer of the Month Ceremony at City Hall – Honored 6 Officers. Recognized Ofc. Brittany Taylor.
Thanked Commissioners Low and Leung for their attendance.
Mentioned Medal of Valor Awards on November 4th.
Provided update from Board of Supervisors Sexual Assault Hearing at the request of Commissioner Elias.

Chief Lew then reported on crime trends YTD compared to 2025: Part I crime down 17%. Violent Crime is down 10%. Property Crime down 19%. Homicides at 22, compared to 22 YTD in 2025. One in this reporting period. One non fatal shooting.

Shooting Incidents: One non fatal shooting, 10/13 Taraval 300 block of Briton, open investigation, no arrest made.

Homicide Incidents: One homicide in the reporting period, 10/16 20:38 1100 block of Wisconsin, shooting, Victim declared deceased on scene. Homicide investigators responded and investigated through the night. On 10/17 a juvenile suspect arrested.

Notable Arrests: 10/1 homicide occurred on 1100 block of Thomas, Bayview, suspect ID'd via investigation, 10/15 numerous Officers including Homicide detail located suspect on 600 block of Gilman and placed into custody.

Community Engagement: Highlighted Police Activities League, serves nearly 1200 youth yearly, through sports, leadership programs and other healthy activities, supported by more than 100 volunteer coaches and mentors, including both active and retired sworn members. On 10/13 members of the SFPAL delivered 6 months' worth of food supplies to ST. Anthony's Dining room.

PUBLIC COMMENT
Jon S: directed questions and matter to Chief Lew regarding personal cases, matters. Provided details of matters.
Name not stated: Provided opinions regarding Trans March Town Hall meeting and SFPD processes and training for members.
Paulette Brown: Played video documentary about unsolved homicides.
Name: Provided feedback regarding Department's Crime Trends.

DPA Director's Report
- **Report on recent DPA activities, and announcements**

Director Paul Henderson, reported on 2026 3rd quarter report, on their website. Complaints increased by over 17%, comparison of years online. Continued outreach with Officers to understand the DPA and discipline process, partnering with Lt. Lisa Springer, visited Ingleside and Richmond Stations, will continue to visit additional stations. Launched online weekly activity report for Police Commission.

Weekly report: 17 cases opened; 21 cases closed. Most common allegation is Neglect of Duty.

November 8th is the National Conference for Civilian Oversight for Law Enforcement Agencies. DPA will be presenting.

DPA can be contacted at 415-241-7711, sfgov.org/DPA.

PUBLIC COMMENT:
Name not stated: directed question to Paul Henderson regarding Trans March.
Jon S.: Provided opinion regarding DPA. Elaborated on his matters.

Commission Reports

- **Commission President's Report**
- **Commissioners' Reports**
- **Commission announcements and scheduling of items identified for consideration at future Commission Meetings**

President Clay: City Attorney's Office will meet with the Commission regarding evaluations.
Commissioner Elias: Wished everyone for Filipino American History Month.

PUBLIC COMMENT:
None

6. Discussion and possible action to adopt revised Department General Order 3.01, "Department Written Directives" (DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE ACTION) *(previously sent to meet & confer with Resolution 26-33 approved on June 10, 2026)*

Director Asja Steeves presented.

Motion: Commissioner Leung, with 30 business day implementation. Second: Commissioner Tekkey. 4-1.

AYES: President Clay, Vice President Tekkey, Commissioners Leung, Low

NAY: Commissioner Elias

EXCUSED: Commissioners Scott and Benedicto

PUBLIC COMMENT
None

7. Discussion and possible action to adopt revised Department General Order 6.05, "Death Cases" (DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE ACTION) *(previously sent to meet & confer with Resolution 26-35 approved on June 17, 2026)*

Director Asja Steeves presented.

Motion: Commissioner Leung, with 30 business day implementation. Second: Commissioner Tekkey. 5-0.

AYES: President Clay, Vice President Tekkey, Commissioners Elias, Leung, Low

EXCUSED: Commissioners Scott and Benedicto

PUBLIC COMMENT
None

8. Discussion and possible action to approve revised Department General Order 5.14, "Interagency Operations" for the Department to use in meeting and conferring with the effected bargaining units as required by law (DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE ACTION)

Captain Mason presented.

Motion by Commissioner Leung. Second by Commissioner Tekkey. Approved 5-0.

AYES: President Clay, Vice President Tekkey, Commissioners Elias, Leung, Low

EXCUSED: Commissioners Scott and Benedicto

PUBLIC COMMENT
None

9. Discussion and possible action to approve revised Department General Order 8.11, "Investigations of Officer Involved Shootings and Firearm Discharges" for the Department to use in meeting and conferring with the effected bargaining units as required by law (DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE ACTION)

Lieutenant Lisa Springer and Director Asja Steeves presented.

Motion by Commissioner Leung, with three (3) Amendments from Director Steeves and one (1) amendment by DPA. Second by Commissioner Elias. Approved 5-0.

AYES: President Clay, Vice President Tekkey, Commissioners Elias, Leung, Low

EXCUSED: Commissioners Scott and Benedicto

PUBLIC COMMENT
Jamal Anderson: DPA Policy Director, presented a DPA requested amendment.

10. Public Comment on all matters pertaining to Item 12 below, Closed Session, including public comment on Item 11, vote whether to hold Item 12 in Closed Session, and public comment on Item 13, vote whether to disclose any or all discussion on Item 12 held in closed session.

None

11. Vote on whether to hold Item 12 in Closed Session pursuant to Government Code Section 54957(b)(1) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10(b) (ACTION)

Motion by Commissioner Leung to go into Closed Session. Second by Commissioner Clay. Approved 5-0.

AYES: President Clay, Vice President Tekkey, Commissioners Elias, Leung, Low

EXCUSED: Commissioners Scott and Benedicto

12. Closed Session
Roll Call;

a. **PERSONNEL EXCEPTION. Pursuant to Government Code section 54957(b)(1) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10(b) and Penal Code Section 832.7:** Assignment of a Commissioner for the taking of evidence on the disciplinary charges filed in IAD Case No. 2025-0192 (ACTION)

(Present: Commissioners Clay, Tekkey, Leung, Low, Elias, Chief Lew, Assistant Chief Nicole Jones, Sergeant Stacy Youngblood, Sergeant Sondra Reynolds, Kristine Singh)

b. **PERSONNEL EXCEPTION. Pursuant to Government Code section 54957(b)(1) and San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.10(b) and Penal Code Section 832.7:** Assignment of a Commissioner for the taking of evidence on the disciplinary charges filed in IAD Case No. 2025-0147 (ACTION)

(Present: Commissioners Clay, Tekkey, Leung, Low, Elias, Chief Lew, Assistant Chief Nicole Jones, Sergeant Stacy Youngblood, Sergeant Sondra Reynolds, Kristine Singh)

13. Vote to elect whether to disclose any or all discussion on Item 12 held in closed session (San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.12(a)) (ACTION)

Motion by Commissioner Benedicto to not disclose any or all discussion held in Closed Session. Second by Commissioner Low. Approved 5-0.

AYES: President Clay, Vice President Tekkey, Commissioners Elias, Leung, Low

EXCUSED: Commissioners Scott and Benedicto

ADJOURNMENT

Thereafter, the meeting was adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

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Sergeant Stacy Youngblood
Secretary
San Francisco Police Commission