

Police Accountability Board (Thursday, November 20, 2025)

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Members present

Nickolas Cromwell
John Lydon
Dr Linda Lymas
Thomas Phelan
Bruen Kidd
Jenna Aubert

John Sterling Houser, Deputy County Attorney
Gillian Bacon, Legal Assistant, II
Lt. Joshua Krum, SMCSO Representative

Members absent

Michelle Dowleyne
Leslie Everett
Charles Shilling

Meeting called to order at 6:30 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER

Call to Order: A. CALL TO ORDER

Nickolas Cromwell, Chair, called the November 20, 2025, meeting of the Police Accountability Board to order at 6:30pm Chesapeake Building Meeting Room, Governmental Center.

2. ROLL CALL

Action: A. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

I move to approve the agenda as submitted.

Motion by Thomas Phelan, second by Dr Linda Lymas.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Nickolas Cromwell, John Lydon, Dr Linda Lymas, Thomas Phelan, Bruen Kidd, Jenna Aubert

Minutes, Action: B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

I move to approve the meeting minutes of the August 21, 2025, meeting of the Police Accountability Board.

Motion by Thomas Phelan, second by Dr Linda Lymas.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Nickolas Cromwell, John Lydon, Dr Linda Lymas, Thomas Phelan, Bruen Kidd, Jenna Aubert

3. OLD BUSINESS

Discussion: A. 2025 ANNUAL REPORT

I move to approve the draft 2025 annual report as written with the exception already provided digitally.

Motion by Dr Linda Lymas, second by John Lydon.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Nickolas Cromwell, John Lydon, Dr Linda Lymas, Thomas Phelan, Bruen Kidd, Jenna Aubert

4. NEW BUSINESS

Action: A. DRAFT 2026 MEETING SCHEDULE

I move to accept the 2026 tentative meeting schedule of the Police Accountability Board with the exception of attempting to move the February 19th meeting date to February 12th.

Motion by John Lydon, second by Dr Linda Lymas.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Nickolas Cromwell, John Lydon, Dr Linda Lymas, Thomas Phelan, Bruen Kidd, Jenna Aubert

Discussion: B. REVIEW OF ACC DISPOSITIONS

Nickolas Cromwell, Chairman, provided a brief summary of the dispositions for the following Administrative Charging Committee investigatory files: OPR2024-5102, OPR2024-7025, OPR2024-6054, OPR2024-5478, OPR2025-0787, and OPR2025-0946.

5. ADJOURN

Action: A. MOTION TO ADJOURN

I move to adjourn the November 20, 2025, meeting of the Police Accountability Board.

Motion by Jenna Aubert, second by Dr Linda Lymas.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Nickolas Cromwell, John Lydon, Dr Linda Lymas, Thomas Phelan, Bruen Kidd, Jenna Aubert

Meeting adjourned at 6:55 PM.