



Monthly Police Board Meeting
City of Chicago
18 JUNE 2015



**POLICE BOARD
CITY OF CHICAGO**

PUBLIC MEETING

**CHICAGO PUBLIC SAFETY HEADQUARTERS
3510 SOUTH MICHIGAN AVENUE
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS**

**JUNE 18, 2015
7:30 P.M.**

AGENDA

1. Approval of the minutes of the previous public meeting
2. Next regular public meeting of the Police Board: Thursday, July 16, 2015, at 7:30 p.m.
3. Disciplinary actions
4. Orders issued by the Superintendent of Police during the previous month
5. Report of the Superintendent of Police
6. Questions and comments from the public (see the Policy Regarding the Attendance of and Participation by the Public at Board Meetings)

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THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2015, 7:30 P.M.

MINUTES [Draft]

Board Members Present: President Demetrius E. Carney, Vice President Ghian Foreman, Melissa M. Ballate, William F. Conlon, Michael Eaddy, Rita A. Fry, Elisa Rodriguez, and Rhoda D. Sweeney.

Board Members Absent: None.

Others Present: Superintendent of Police Garry F. McCarthy, First Assistant General Counsel to the Superintendent William E. Bazarek, Independent Police Review Authority Chief Administrator Scott M. Ando, Police Board Executive Director Max A. Caproni, and members of the public.

President Carney called the meeting to order. He reported that Susan McKeever resigned her position as a Board member on May 4 due to health reasons.

1. Vice President Foreman moved to approve the minutes of the Board's public meeting of April 16, 2015. The motion passed by a vote of 8 in favor (Carney, Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, Rodriguez, and Sweeney) to 0 opposed.

2. President Carney announced that the Board's next public meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 18, 2015, at Chicago Public Safety Headquarters. Ms. Ballate moved to close a series of executive sessions of the Board for the purposes of considering litigation and personnel matters, as authorized by sections 2(c)(1), (3), (4), and (11) of the Illinois Open Meetings Act. The motion passed by a vote of 8 in favor (Carney, Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, Rodriguez, and Sweeney) to 0 opposed.

3. President Carney stated that a report of disciplinary actions taken by the Board during the previous month has been made available at the meeting and on the Board's website, and he noted that the Board's written findings and decisions are posted on the website.

President Carney provided an overview of the Board's role in the disciplinary process. He then announced that the Board considered disciplinary cases in a closed meeting, and that the Board will now take final action on these disciplinary matters.

- Case No. 14 PB 2878. Ms. Ballate moved to find Police Officer Rhea Robinson guilty of falsely issuing parking tickets, and to discharge her from the Chicago Police Department. The motion passed by a vote of 6 in favor (Carney, Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Rodriguez, and Sweeney) to 0 opposed. Ms. Ballate moved to adopt the written findings and decision that was reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case. The motion passed by a vote of 6 in favor (Carney, Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Rodriguez, and Sweeney) to 0 opposed.
- Case No. 14 PB 2874. President Carney noted that the Superintendent recommended a sixty-day suspension in this case. Ms. Ballate moved to find Police Officer Eugene Posey not guilty of charges related to an off-duty altercation. The motion passed by a vote of 4 in favor (Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, and Sweeney) to 1 opposed (Rodriguez). Ms. Ballate moved to adopt the written findings and decision and dissent that were reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case. The motion passed by a vote of 5 in favor (Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Rodriguez, and Sweeney) to 0 opposed.

President Carney stated that the decisions in the above cases will be entered as of today's date and will be issued to the parties, and that a copy of the written decisions will be posted on the Board's website within ten business days pursuant to the Municipal Code of Chicago.

4. President Carney announced that copies of orders issued by the Superintendent of Police during the previous month are listed in the blue books made available at the meeting and are available on the Police Department's website.

5. President Carney noted that the next item of business is the Superintendent's report. Superintendent McCarthy discussed the Department's community-relations strategy, and reported on the decreases in police-related shootings, number of arrests, and complaints against police officers. *(See the transcript of the meeting, posted on the Board's website, for a complete report of the discussion.)*

6. President Carney called upon those members of the public who had signed up in advance to speak *(see the transcript of the meeting, posted on the Board's website, for a complete report of the discussion)*.

- Crista Noel, Monica James, Grant Newburger, LaCreshia Birts, Jason Tompkins, Janae Bonsu, Rachel Williams, and Chelsea Springer spoke on the fatal shooting of Rekia Boyd by Detective Dante Servin while off duty, and about police-involved shootings.

- Travis McDermott, David Rodriguez, and Jonathan Terrasi from the Homan Square Opposition Coalition asked several questions about policies pertaining to individuals in police custody. Mr. Bazarek responded to the questions, and noted that all Chicago Police Department general orders and other directives are available on the Department's website.
- President Carney called upon Billy Joe Mills, Martinez Sutton, and Queen Sister, and there was no response.
- Otis Buckley expressed his concerns about Compstat, police-involved shootings, and other matters.
- Robert More spoke on a variety of matters.

President Carney stated that all persons that had signed up in advance to speak had been called. Vice President Foreman moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed by a vote of 8 in favor (Carney, Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, Rodriguez, and Sweeney) to 0 opposed.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Max A. Caproni
Executive Director

**Chicago Police Board
Monthly Report of Decisions
May 2015**

	<u>BIA This Month</u>	<u>BIA Year-to-Date</u>	<u>IPRA This Month</u>	<u>IPRA Year-to-Date</u>	<u>Total This Month</u>	<u>Total Year-to-Date</u>
<u>DISCHARGE CASES</u>						
Guilty, Discharged	1	2	0	0	1	2
Guilty, Suspended	0	1	0	0	0	1
Not Guilty	0	4	0	3	0	7
Charges Withdrawn--Respondent Resigned	0	0	0	0	0	0
Charges Dismissed	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	7	0	3	1	10
<u>SUSPENSION CASES: GREATER THAN 30 DAYS</u>						
Guilty, Recommended Penalty	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guilty, Penalty Increased	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guilty, Penalty Reduced	0	0	0	1	0	1
Not Guilty	0	0	1	1	1	1
Charges Withdrawn	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	1	2	1	2
<u>SUSPENSION CASES: 6 THROUGH 30 DAYS</u>						
Cases Decided	0	0	0	0	0	0

Note: Under the current union contracts, an officer no longer has the option of requesting Police Board review of a suspension of 30 days or fewer (except in cases in which the union decides to not advance the officer's grievance to arbitration).

**POLICE BOARD
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**Policy Regarding the Attendance of and Participation by
the Public at Board Meetings**

(Adopted 15 December 2005)

The Police Board values the attendance of the public at its meetings and the opportunity to receive comments and questions on matters concerning the Board or the Police Department. The Board will treat members of the public with courtesy and respect, and expects that the public will treat Board members and Department members in a similar manner.

Toward that end, the Board has adopted the following rules governing conduct at Board meetings:

1. An individual wishing to address the Board must sign-up in advance by contacting the Board's office by phone, fax, or in person no later than 4:30 p.m. of the day before the meeting.
2. When called upon to address the Board, each speaker is to identify him/herself and speak clearly so that all in attendance may hear and so that the court reporter may make an accurate record of the proceedings.
3. Due to time constraints, each speaker is limited to two minutes and must conclude when asked to do so by the Board member acting as parliamentarian.
4. Personal attacks, obscene language, fighting words, threats, conduct intended to disrupt or interfere with the meeting, and comments not related to matters within the Board's or the Department's jurisdiction, by a speaker or any person in attendance, are strictly prohibited.

Violation of any of the above rules may result in the removal of the violator from the meeting room, or in the immediate adjournment of the meeting; in addition, repeated violations may result in the violator not being permitted to attend or participate in future Board meetings.

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This communication summarizes new or amended directives issued by Superintendent Garry F. McCarthy between **01 May 2015** and **31 May 2015**.

The following directives, along with all of the Chicago Police Department's orders, are available for review in their entirety on the Department website listed below:

<http://directives.chicagopolice.org>

GENERAL ORDERS

G08-02 Court Attendance and Responsibilities

SPECIAL ORDERS

S04-18-02 Reporting and Court Responsibilities for Narcotics Cases
S04-22 Municipal Administrative Hearings
S06-01-12 Processing Persons Under Department Control – DuPage County
S06-04 Processing of Juveniles and Minors Under Department Control
S08-02-02 Court Section Program

EMPLOYEE RESOURCE

E01-15 Department Member Political Activity

RESOURCES

Department Forms: Series 11.000
Incident Reporting Guide – CPD-63.451
Department Forms: Series 12.000 through 20.000

PERSONNEL AND TRAINING

During the month of **May 2015**, **124** training blocks were conducted for Chicago Police Recruits, Metropolitan Recruits (including surrounding agencies) and In-Service Courses.

A total of **8,164** Department attendees received In-Service/E-Learning training, which included: Patrol Carbine Operator Course and Requalification, Gang Violence Reduction Strategy, Procedural Justice 1, Procedural Justice 2, Taser Qualification and Recertification, Automated Contact Card User Guide, Domestic Violence 4-Part Refresher, Firearms Concealed Carry Act Online Course, Contact Information System, First Amendment Online Training, Crowd Control Online Review, Hate Crime Online Training (ADL) – 3 Part Program, Hazmat Annual Refresher, Pedestrian Safety, Occupational Exposure to Disease Refresher, Vehicle Pursuits and Balancing Test, Use of Force Policy, Meth Awareness 4-Part Program.

A total of **295** Chicago Police Recruits were in training along with **32** Metropolitan Police Recruits.

**IAD AND IPRA STATISTICS
COMPLAINTS RECEIVED, COMPLETED AND DISPOSITION**

Police Board May 2015 Complaint Statistics

Log Numbers Received in ICLEAR

	Total Received	Assigned to BIA	Percent of Total	BIA Admin Closed	Percent of BIA Total
May 2014	625	467	74.7%	209	33.4%
2014 Year to Date	2,683	1,972	73.5%	831	31.0%
May 2015	477	364	76.3%	100	21.0%
2015 Year to Date	2,242	1,697	75.7%	601	26.8%

Pre-Affidavit Investigations

	Assigned to BIA	Percent of Total	Assigned to IPRA	Percent of Total	Total Received
May 2014	258	71.5%	103	28.5%	361
2014 Year to Date	1,141	71.2%	462	28.8%	1,603
May 2015	264	75.0%	88	25.0%	352
2015 Year to Date	1,096	75.1%	363	24.9%	1,459

BIA Investigations Received

	2014	2015	+/-
May	258	264	6
Year to Date*	1,141	1,096	-45

BIA Investigations Closed (Investigation Completed)

	2014	2015	+/-
May	283	118	-165
Year to Date*	1,269	1,056	-213

BIA Investigative Findings (Includes Field Units)**

	May 2014	Percent of Total	YTD 2014	May 2015	Percent of Total	YTD 2015	YTD +/-
Sustained	27	9.5%	130	14	11.9%	101	-29
Exonerated	5	1.8%	32	2	1.7%	26	-6
Unfounded	47	16.6%	172	39	33.1%	180	8
Not Sustained	22	7.8%	117	9	7.6%	103	-14
No Affidavit /NC	182	64.3%	818	54	45.8%	646	-172
	283		1,269	118		1,056	-213

NOTE: Investigative findings are based on the date the investigation has been completed, not received. The new intake system generates Log Numbers representing informational records. Pursuant to Illinois State Law, Complaint Register numbers are generated upon execution of an affidavit.

**IAD AND IPRA STATISTICS
COMPLAINTS RECEIVED, COMPLETED AND DISPOSITION**

**CRMS Disciplinary Codes Entered for Members, *Not Unique Log#*
BIA Investigations Only**

(Discipline at 'Final Finding', Case Closed in Records with Sustained Finding)

	May 2014	Percent of Total	YTD 2014	May 2015	Percent of Total	YTD 2015	YTD +/-
000 - Violation Noted	14	21.9%	49	2	5.1%	38	-11
100 - Reprimand	19	29.7%	76	6	15.4%	88	12
200 - Susp Over 30 days	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0
800 - Resigned Not Served	3	4.7%	17	1	2.6%	10	-7
900 - Penalty Not Served	2	3.1%	9	3	7.7%	8	-1
Suspended 1 to 5 days	22	34.4%	86	17	43.6%	75	-11
Suspended 6 to 15 days	3	4.7%	13	4	10.3%	13	0
Suspended 16 to 30 days	1	1.6%	8	6	15.4%	9	1
	64	100.0%	258	39	100.0%	241	-17

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SUMMARY OF SEPARATIONS FOR MAY 2015 - CIVILIAN

SEPARATION CODE	DESCRIPTION	MAY 2015	JAN - MAY 2015	MAY 2014	JAN - MAY 2014	ALL OF 2014
810	RESIGN PENSION	2	11	1	13	59
812	RESIGN OTHER EMPLOY	1	4	0	1	4
815	RESIGN MEDICAL REASN	0	0	0	0	2
819	SEPI/OTHER CITY POS	0	3	0	0	10
821	RESIGN/OTHER	1	5	2	4	10
824	RESIGN FROM LAY-OFF	0	0	0	0	1
825	JOB ABANDONMENT	0	1	0	1	2
826	RESIGN/PERSONAL	0	0	0	0	1
827	RELOCATION	0	0	0	0	1
828	RESIGN FROM LOA	1	3	1	2	4
845	MANDATORY RETIREMENT	0	0	0	1	1
855	DISCHARGED	0	0	1	1	1
858	PROGRAM TERMINATION	0	0	0	0	1
860	DEATH	0	0	0	1	1
881	EXPIRATION OF LOA	0	0	0	1	2
CIVILIAN TOTALS		5	27	5	25	100

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SUMMARY OF SEPARATIONS FOR MAY 2015 - SWORN

SEPARATION CODE	DESCRIPTION	MAY 2015	JAN - MAY 2015	MAY 2014	JAN - MAY 2014	ALL OF 2014
807	RES/DISCHARGE APPROV	0	0	1	1	1
808	RESIGN PENSIO/INVEST	0	2	1	4	10
809	RESIGN/UNDER INVEST	1	1	0	2	7
810	RESIGN PENSION	35	148	20	101	268
812	RESIGN OTHER EMPLOY	1	4	0	3	11
816	RESIGN FIN SCHOOL	0	1	0	0	0
819	SEP/OTHER CITY POS	0	1	0	11	16
821	RESIGN/OTHER	1	8	2	8	15
825	JOB ABANDONMENT	0	0	0	0	1
826	RESIGN/PERSONAL	0	0	0	0	3
827	RELOCATION	0	0	0	1	2
828	RESIGN FROM LOA	0	3	2	4	16
829	RESIGN FROM DPR	0	7	1	12	22
845	MANDATORY RETIREMENT	3	19	4	13	44
855	DISCHARGED	0	0	0	2	3
856	DISCH/PROBATIONARY	1	3	0	2	8
860	DEATH	0	0	0	7	8
881	EXPIRATION OF LOA	0	0	0	4	5
SWORN TOTALS		42	197	31	175	440

NOTE: THE INFORMATION IS CURRENT AS OF THE DATE AND TIME OF THE REPORT.