



**CITIZENS' POLICE REVIEW BOARD**  
**Meeting of Thursday, May 28, 2015 - 6:15 P.M.**  
City Council Chambers, Third Floor  
ONE FRANK H. OGAWA PLAZA, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA  
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	<b>Attachments</b>
I. Call to Order	
II. Roll Call	
III. Minutes	
A. May 14, 2015	1
IV. Open Forum	(10 minutes)
V. Director's Report	(5 minutes)
A. Announcements	2
B. Pending Cases as of May 22, 2015	3
VI. Agenda Discussion	(5 minutes)
VII. Discussion – Board Member Representation at consultation with CAO/OPD Chief/OPD IAD/CPRB ED regarding Board Decisions	(15 minutes)
A. Public Discussion	
B. Discussion	
VIII. Board Member Qualifications	(30 minutes) 4
A. Discussion	
IX. CPRB Special Committee Reports	(10 minutes)
A. Outreach Planning	
1. General Updates	
2. Next Meeting	
B. Transparency and Legislation	
1. General Updates	
2. Next Meeting	
X. Closed Session: New Business	(30 minutes)

A. Cases Proposed for Administrative Closure / Pursuant to Ordinance No. 12454 C.M.S. section 6, paragraph G subsection 9, hearing would not facilitate the fact-finding process; and that no good cause is shown for further action.

1. Based on the findings of the investigation

Case No. 14-0533, Maleesha Garner, Shavon Pilot, and Phillip Grimes

- a. Complainant's Comment
- b. Staff Report
- c. Discussion
- d. Action

Complainants alleged that OPD officers forced entry into their home while executing a search warrant, exceeding the scope of the warrant. Complainants also alleged an OPD officer falsified a police report to obtain a search warrant.

**Rationale for administrative closure** – The CPRB staff recommends administrative closure of this complaint with a finding of **Not Sustained** to the allegations as the investigation did not disclose sufficient evidence to determine whether or not the alleged conduct occurred.

The CPRB staff recommends administrative closure of this complaint on the basis a hearing would not facilitate the fact-finding process and that no good cause has been shown for further action.

Case No. 14-0551, Mebrahtu Tsehai

- a. Complainant's Comment
- b. Staff Report
- c. Discussion
- d. Action

Complainant alleged that OPD officers did not promptly respond to telephone calls he made to 911 dispatch.

**Rationale for administrative closure** – The CPRB staff recommends administrative closure of this complaint with a finding of **No Finding** for the allegation as the investigation revealed the act or acts which provided the basis for the complaint does not rise to the level of an OPD Manual of Rules violation, Constitutional or State law violation, which would be considered officer misconduct.

The CPRB staff recommends administrative closure of this complaint on the basis a hearing would not facilitate the fact-finding process and that no good cause has been shown for further action.

- Case No. 15-0210, Donnie Hardaway
- a. Complainant's Comment
  - b. Staff Report
  - c. Discussion
  - d. Action

Complainant alleged that the handcuffs where too tight and that OPD officers kned him when they arrested him.

**Rationale for administrative closure** – The CPRB staff recommends administrative closure of this complaint with a finding of **Not Sustained** to the allegations as the investigation did not disclose sufficient evidence to determine whether or not the alleged conduct occurred.

The CPRB staff recommends administrative closure of this complaint on the basis a hearing would not facilitate the fact-finding process and that no good cause has been shown for further action.

- B. Pending Cases for Administrative Hearing Discussion
- C. Board Policy, Procedure, Bylaws Discussion

- XI. Open Session  
Disclosure of non-confidential closed session matters (5 minutes)
- XII. Adjournment

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### **CPRB MISSION STATEMENT**

The Citizens' Police Review Board strives to provide the community with a public forum to voice its concerns on policy matters and individual cases alleging police misconduct, through a mechanism of independent, impartial, fair, and transparent civilian oversight.