



# City of Oakland Meeting Minutes

## \*Public Safety Committee

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**Tuesday, January 22, 2008**

**7:30 PM**

**Hearing Room One - 1st Floor**

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### Roll Call / Call to Order

Councilmember Present: 4 - Member Nadel, Member Kernighan, Member Quan and Chair Reid

*The Oakland City Council Public Safety Committee convened at 7:42 p.m, with Councilmember Larry Reid presiding as Chairperson.*

1 Approval of the Draft Minutes from the Committee Meeting held on January 8, 2008

**A motion was made by Member Quan, seconded by Member Nadel, to  
\*Approve the Minutes. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Councilmember Aye: Member Nadel, Member Kernighan, Member Quan and Chair Reid

2 Determination of Schedule of Outstanding Committee Items

**A motion was made by Member Nadel, seconded by Member Quan, to  
\*Approve with the following amendments. The motion carried by the  
following vote:**

**Votes:** Councilmember Aye: Member Nadel, Member Kernighan, Member Quan and Chair Reid

### FROM THE FEBRUARY 26, 2006 AGENDA

#5 Subject: Equipment Purchase - TASER X26 Conducted Energy Weapon  
From: Oakland Police Department  
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Authorizing The City Administrator, Or Her Designee To 1) Purchase Four Hundred Fifty (450) TASER X26 Conducted Energy Weapons And Associated Equipment From TASER International, Inc., In An Amount Not To Exceed Six Hundred Twenty Thousand, Eight Hundred Ninety-Four Dollars (\$620,894) For Deployment To All Sworn, Uniformed, Police Personnel, And 2) Appropriate Funds In The Amount Of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50, 000) Annually To The Police Department To Cover Annual And Recurring Costs Associated With Full Deployment Of The TASER Conducted Energy Weapons  
[07-0901](#)

#6            Subject:    California Model Fire Code - Local Amendments  
                 From:            Fire Department  
                 Recommendation: Adopt An Ordinance Adopting Local Amendments To The 2007 Edition Of  
                 The California Model Fire Code, California Code Of Regulation Title 24, Part 9 Making  
                 Express Findings For The Modification And Adoption Of The 2007 California Fire Code,  
                 Reference National Fire Protection Association Standards, Including Annual Supplements And  
                 State Amendments And Amending Oakland Municipal Code Chapter 15.12 To Establish The  
                 2008 Oakland Fire Code  
                 [07-0869](#)

#7            Subject:    Taxicab Ordinance - Amendment  
                 From:            Office of the City Administrator  
                 Recommendation: Adopt An Ordinance Amending Oakland Municipal Code Chapter 5.64,  
                 "Taxicabs"  
                 [07-0710](#)

3             Subject:    Citizen's Options For Public Safety Funding  
                 From:            Oakland Police Department  
                 Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Authorizing (1)The Acceptance And Appropriation Of  
                 A State Of California "Citizen's Options For Public Safety" (State COPS) Grant In The Amount  
                 Of Seven Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred And Fifty-Three Dollars (\$798,953)  
                 (2) Implementing California Government Code Sections 30061-30065, And (3) Approving The  
                 Oakland Police Department's Fiscal Years 2007-2009 State Cops Grant Spending Plan, Which  
                 Includes The Hiring Of Three Full-Time, One Year Limited Duration Professional Staff  
                 Positions For The Research, Planning, And Crime Analysis Division And The Property And  
                 Evidence Unit  
                 [07-0903](#)

**A motion was made by Member Nadel, seconded by Member Kernighan, that this matter be \*Approve the Recommendation of Staff, and Forward to the Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Agency / City Council, due back on February 19, 2008 as a Public Hearing. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Councilmember Aye: Member Nadel, Member Kernighan, Member Quan and Chair Reid

*The following individual spoke on this item:*

- Sanjiv Handa  
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4 Subject: Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant  
From: Oakland Police Department  
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Authorizing The City Administrator, On Behalf Of The City Of Oakland, To Accept And Appropriate Grand Funds In Amount Not To Exceed Twenty Thousand Eighty-Six (\$20,086) From The U.S. Department Of Justice, Bureau Of Justice Assistance, Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program, And Appropriate Said Funds To The Police Department  
[07-0904](#)

**A motion was made by Member Nadel, seconded by Member Quan, that this matter be \*Approve the Recommendation of Staff, and Forward to the Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Agency / City Council, due back on February 19, 2008 as a Consent Calendar item.**

**The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Councilmember Aye: Member Nadel, Member Kernighan, Member Quan and Chair Reid

*The following individual spoke on this item:*

- Sanjiv Handa

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5 Subject: Anti-Gang Initiative Program Grant  
From: Oakland Police Department  
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Authorizing The City Administrator, On Behalf Of The City Of Oakland, To Accept And Appropriate Grand Funds In An Amount Not To Exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) From The State Of California, Governor's Office Of Emergency Services, Anti-Gang Initiative Program, And Appropriate Said Funds To The Police Department  
[07-0905](#)

**A motion was made by Member Nadel, seconded by Member Quan, that this matter be \*Approve the Recommendation of Staff, and Forward to the Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Agency / City Council, due back on February 19, 2008 as a Consent Calendar item.**

**The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Councilmember Aye: Member Nadel, Member Kernighan, Member Quan and Chair Reid

*The following individual spoke on this item:*

- Sanjiv Handa

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6 Subject: United States U Visa Program  
 From: Office of the City Attorney  
 Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Declaring Support For (1) The United States U Visa Program, Which Is A Temporary Visa That Authorizes Non-United States Citizen Crime Victims Who Assist Law Enforcement Agencies With Crime Investigations To Remain In This Country Up To Four Years, And (2) Supporting The Federal Policy That Authorizes The U Visa For Applicants Who Have Contributed To The Public Safety Of This City  
[07-0827](#)

**A motion was made by Member Quan, seconded by Member Kernighan, that this matter be \*Approve the Recommendation of Staff, and Forward to the Concurrent Meeting of the Oakland Redevelopment Agency / City Council, due back on February 19, 2008 as a Consent Calendar item.**

**The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Councilmember Aye: Member Nadel, Member Kernighan, Member Quan and Chair Reid

*The following individual(s) spoke on this item:*

- Elena Muniz
- Eloina Gonzalez
- Shawn Roberts
- Susan Senger Bowyer

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7 Subject: Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Audit Reports  
 From: Finance and Management Agency  
 Recommendation: Receive An Informational Report Presenting The Fiscal Year 2006/2007 Measure Y - Violence Prevention & Public Safety Act Of 2004 Audit Report, And The Oakland Wild Fire Prevention Assessment District Audit Report  
[07-0945](#)

**A motion was made by Member Nadel, seconded by Member Quan, that this matter be \*Received and Filed The following individual spoke on this item:**

**- Sanjiv Handa The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Councilmember Aye: Member Nadel, Member Kernighan, Member Quan and Chair Reid

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**Open Forum (TOTAL TIME AVAILABLE: 15 MINUTES)**

*The following individual spoke under Open Forum:*

- Sanjiv Handa

**Adjournment**

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