



City of Oakland Meeting Agenda

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*Special Public Safety Committee

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Tuesday, May 27, 2008

7:00 PM

Hearing Room One - 1st Floor

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DEFINITION OF TERMS:

Consent Item: any action item that a subject matter Committee has forwarded to the full Council with unanimous recommendation for approval and is not controversial, and does not have a high level of public interest as determined by the Rules Committee.

Non-Consent Item: any action that a subject-matter Committee has forwarded to the full Council without unanimous recommendation for approval, or having a high level of public interest, or is controversial as determined by the Rules Committee.

Action Item: any resolution, ordinance, public hearing, motion, or recommendation requiring official vote and approval of the City Council to be effective.

Informational Item: an item of the agenda consisting only of an informational report that does not require or permit Council action.

Roll Call / Call to Order

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP:

Nancy Nadel, District 3; Jean Quan, District 4; Patricia Kernighan,
District 2; Chairperson Vice Mayor Larry Reid, District 7

1 Approval of the Draft Minutes from the Committee Meeting held on May 13, 2008

2 Determination of Schedule of Outstanding Committee Items

(PSC 5-27-08 Pnd Lst)

3 Subject: Taxicab Ordinance - Amendment
From: Office of the City Administrator
Recommendation: Adopt The Following Pieces Of Legislation:

1) An Ordinance Amending Oakland Municipal Code Chapter 5.64 To

A) Require Companies Holding A Fleet Management Permit That Utilize Two Or More Taxis To Provide Proof That Permitted Taxis Are Driven By Either The Permittee Or Employees Of The Fleet Management Company

- B) Require Companies To Provide To Drivers Receipts For Fees Paid To The Company By The Drivers
- C) Require Companies To Provide Drivers With Documentation On Insurance Claims For Accidents Involving A Driver
- D) Require Cameras In Taxicabs That Do Not Have Safety Shields And Prohibit Retread Tires
- E) Require In-Cab Signage Informing Passengers Of Their Rights And The Procedure For Filing Complaints
- F) Require GPS Systems In Taxicabs
- G) Establish Additional Driver Training Requirements
- H) Issue Permits On The Basis Of Service Proposals, Instead Of By Lottery
- I) Increase Basic Fare Components, Add New Fare Components, And Authorize Collection From Passengers Of All Mandatory Fees Paid By Drivers
- J) Place A Temporary Freeze On The Taxicab Lease Rates Charged By Taxi Companies To Drivers
- K) Authorize Administrative Citations For Violations Of The Chapter
- L) Establish A Process And A Fee For The Establishment And Maintenance Of Taxi Stands
- M) Require That Permits Issued After June 1, 2008 Be Driven A Minimum Number Of Hours And Days Per Year By The Permit Holder Or By Employees Of The Permit Holder
- N) Allow Revocation Of Vehicle Permit If Vehicle Not Used More Than 10 (Ten) Days In Any 30 (Thirty) Day Period
- O) Provide Prompt Hearings On Suspended Permits
- P) Authorize City Administrator To Establish A Gasoline Surcharge Should Gasoline Prices Warrant
- Q) Require Companies Of 10 Or More Vehicles To Submit Plan For 24 Coverage Of City
- R) Allow Transfer Of Vehicle Permits Only With Sale Of Company, With No Consideration For The Permit; And

[\(07-0710\)](#)

2) A Resolution That Public Convenience And Necessity Requires The Issuance Of Fourteen (14) New Taxi Medallions For Ramped Taxicabs And Thirty-Six (36) New Taxi Medallions For Standard Vehicles And Authorizing The City Administrator To Request Proposals In Order To Award The New Medallions On The Basis Of Proposals That Best Meet The Taxi Service Needs Of The City Of Oakland; And

[\(07-0710-1\)](#)

3) An Ordinance Amending Ordinance Number 12809 C.M.S. (Master Fee Schedule), As Amended, To Establish An Inspection Fee For Taxicab Inspections Required In Excess Of The One Inspection Included In The Initial Permitting And Annual Permit Renewal Processes

[\(07-0710-2\)](#)

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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) Waive the Competitive Bid Process, 2) 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 Forty-Five Thousand, And Five Dollars (\$645,005) For Deployment To All Sworn, Uniformed, Police Personnel, And 3) Appropriate Funds In The Amount Of Fifty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$55,000) Annually To The Police Department To Cover Annual And Recurring Costs Associated With Full Deployment Of The TASER Conducted Energy Weapons
[\(07-0901\)](#)

5 Subject: Unequipped Police Vehicles - Status Report
From: Councilmember Larry Reid
Recommendation: Receive A Joint Informational Report From The Police Department And Public Works Agency Detailing 1) The Current Status Of Unequipped Police Vehicle, 2) Outlining A Comprehensive Plan To Prevent The Same Problem From Occurring Later This Year And In The Next Several Years; 3) Assessing All Future Equipment Needs To Ensure That New Hires Have The Necessary Tools To Perform Their Duties
[\(07-1072\)](#)

6 Subject: Consent To Search Report
From: Councilmembers Brooks and Kernighan
Recommendation: Action On A Report And Recommendation From The Office Of Chief Of Police On The Development Of A Consent To Search Program For The City Of Oakland, Which Is A Gun Control Strategy Used In Other Cities Across The Country To Locate Guns That May Be In Possession Of Juveniles, And May Have Been Use In The Commission Of Crimes In The City
[\(07-1080-4\)](#)

At the April 15, 2008 Council Meeting this item was withdrawn by Councilmember Brooks and referred back to the May 27, 2008 Public Safety Committee for additional discussion.

7 Subject: Technology Report
From: Oakland Police Department And Department Of Information Technology
Recommendation: Receive A Joint Informational Report From The Department Of Information Technology And The Oakland Police Department On Technological Programs And Projects Specifically Related To Crime. This Report Includes Any Problems with Implementation, Operational Challenges, Technological Issues And Delays In Dates Of Implementation. This Report Also Includes Current Initiates And Projects To Provide Better Capabilities And Enhanced Features For Public Accessibility To Crime Data
[\(07-1373\)](#)

8 Subject: Bay Area Task Force - Reimbursements
From: Oakland Police Department
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Authorizing The City Administrator, Or Her Designee, To Accept And Appropriate Reimbursement Funds In An Amount Not-To-Exceed Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) In Federal Funds From The Department Of Justice, United States Drug Enforcement Administration (USDEA) To The Oakland Police Department (OPD) In Overtime Costs For Six (6) Police Officers And One (1) Sargeant For The Period Of March 15, 2008 To June 30, 2008 For Work

Associated With The USDEA Greater East Bay Area Task Force (DEA Task Force)
(07-1243)

- 9 Subject: Global Positioning System (GPS) - Ankle Bracelet Monitoring Service
 From: Oakland Police Department
 Recommendation: Adopt The Following Pieces of Legislation:

1) A Resolution Waiving The Competitive Bid Process And Authorizing The City Administrator To Award A Lease Contract For Global Positioning System (GPS) Tracking Equipment And Tracking Services To Securealert, Inc., In An Amount Not-To-Exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) To Be Used In The Monitoring Of Persons On Probation In The City Of Oakland; and
(07-1282)

2) A Resolution Authorizing The City Administrator To Enter Into Memorandums Of Understanding With The Adult And Juvenile Divisions Of The Alameda County Probation Department For The Loan, At No Cost To The County, Of The City's Global Positioning System (GPS) Monitoring Bracelets And Tracking Services For The Purposes Of Monitoring Persons On Probation Living In The City Of Oakland
(07-1282-1)

- 10 Subject: B&B Auto, LLC - Vehicle Towing Service
 From: Oakland Police Department
 Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Awarding A Five-Year Contract, Plus Two One-Year Extension Options, With an Estimated Gross Revenue Value of \$8,000,000 To B&B Vehicle Processing, LLC For Towing And Storage Of Vehicles, Collection And Administration Of City's Administrative Towing Fees, Lien Sale By Public Auction Of Abandoned Vehicles And Various Administrative Services Connected With The Towing Operation, And Authorizing The City Administrator To Accept And Appropriate An Estimated Annual Payment In The Amount Of \$1,300,000 From B&B Vehicle Processing, LLC For Payment Of Administrative And Other Costs In Connection With The Requirements Of The Contract
(07-1299)

Open Forum (TOTAL TIME AVAILABLE: 15 MINUTES)

Adjournment

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ORA - Oakland Redevelopment Agency
S - Supplemental Item