

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE SELECTION PANEL'S SLATE OF ONE ALTERNATE POLICE COMMISSIONER (TARA ANDERSON) TO SERVE ON THE CITY OF OAKLAND POLICE COMMISSION

WHEREAS, On November 8, 2016, Oakland voters approved Measure LL – Establishing a Police Commission with 83.19% (137,032 votes) in favor of the measure; and

WHEREAS, Measure LL establishes a seven-member Police Commission to oversee the Oakland Police Department's policies and procedures, and a Community Police Review Agency to investigate police misconduct and recommend discipline; and

WHEREAS, Section 604(c)(2) of Measure LL requires the Mayor to appoint three Oakland residents as members of the Commission and one Oakland resident as an alternate member and to submit those names to the City Council for approval; and

WHEREAS, Section 604(c)(3) establishes a nine-member Selection Panel to review applications, interview applicants, and submit a slate of four regular members of the Police Commission, and one alternate member, to the City Council for approval; and

WHEREAS, Section 604(c)(8) of Measure LL states that for vacancies occurring for reasons other than the expiration of a regular member's term, the Commission shall select one of the alternates to replace the regular member for that regular member's remaining term of office. If the alternate chosen to replace the regular member was appointed by the Selection Panel, the Selection Panel shall appoint another alternate. If the alternate chosen to replace the regular member was appointed by the Mayor, the Mayor shall appoint another alternate; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Mike Nisperos resigned his position as Police Commissioner effective November 7, 2018 and the Police Commission appointed Ms. Maureen Benson at its meeting on October 25, 2018 to replace Mr. Mike Nisperos and to serve his remaining term through October 16, 2020; and

WHEREAS, since Ms. Benson was a Selection Panel appointee, the Selection Panel has the responsibility of appointing another Alternate Police Commissioner to serve Ms. Benson's remaining term through October 16, 2019; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That pursuant to City Charter Section 604(c)(3), the City Council hereby accepts Ms. Tara Anderson as the Selection Panel's Alternate Commissioner appointment to serve on the Police Commission.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, FEB 26 2019

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES – FORTUNATO BAS, GALLO, GIBSON MCELHANEY, KALB, ~~REID~~ TAYLOR, THAO AND PRESIDENT KAPLAN – 7

NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - 0

Excused - 7 Reid

ATTEST: 

LaTonda Simmons
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California