



# City of Oakland

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## Legislation Text

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**File #:** 21-0242, **Version:** 1

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**Subject:** Support For SB 271 The Sheriff Diversity And Democracy Act

**From:** Council President Fortunato Bas

**Recommendation:** Adopt A **Resolution In Support Of Senate Bill 271 (Weiner), The Sheriff Diversity And Democracy Act, Which Would Return California To Its Original Constitutional Language For Candidates Seeking The Office Of County Sheriff, Which If Enacted Would No Longer Require Law Enforcement Experience To Seek The Office Of Sheriff And Lead To A Broader Pool Of Eligible Candidates, Ideally With More Diverse Backgrounds And Skill Sets Favoring De-Escalation, Mental Care, And Health Care**