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TO: City Council Members  
FROM: Office of the Mayor  
DATE: May 20, 2026  
RE: Appointment to the Privacy Advisory Commission

The Mayor's Office respectfully requests City Council consideration for the appointment of one qualified individual to serve on the Privacy Advisory Commission. This appointment is intended to fill one of the current vacancies and ensure continuity of operations and the uninterrupted performance of the Commission's essential functions.

The Privacy Advisory Commission provides advice to the City of Oakland on best practices to protect Oaklanders' privacy rights in connection with the City's purchase and use of surveillance equipment and other technology that collects or stores our data.

**Proposed Actions:**

- Appoint one qualified individual to the Privacy Advisory Commission
- Ensure uninterrupted Commission operations and avoid future quorum issues

We appreciate the Council's consideration and support in advancing this appointment in a timely manner.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.  
Office of the Mayor