



# Community Police Advisory Review Board (CPARB)

## Minutes

Ward 6 Community Room

Hybrid Meeting

3202 E. First Street, Tucson, AZ 85716

Tuesday, January 20, 2026

### 1. Call to Order and Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair Nuñez at 5:40 p.m. Those present and absent were:

#### Members Present:

Annabelle Nuñez, *Vice Chair*

Kate Calhoun (*Hybrid/Virtual*)

Carlos R. Portillo

Jerry Flanary (*Non-Voting Advisory Member*)

#### Representing:

Ward 3

Ward 4

Ward 5

CPARB

#### Ex-Officio Members:

Mitch Kagen, *Ex-Officio (Non-Voting)*

City Manager's Office

Stacie Schaner, *Assistant Police Chief, Tucson Police Department* Tucson Police Department

#### Members Absent:

Jaime Tadeo, *Chairperson*

Sgt. Darrell Hussman, *Ex-Officio (Non-Voting)*

Vacant

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#### Representing:

Mayor

Tucson Police Department

Ward 1

Ward 2

Ward 6

#### Others Present:

Lt. Jesse Chamberlain

(TPD) Office of Professional Standards

Lt. Dominic Flores

Tucson Police Department

Ana Juarez, Administrative Assistant

City Clerk's Office

Jessica Figueroa, Administrative Assistant

City Clerk's Office

**2. Approval of Legal Action Report and Summary Minutes from October 21, 2025 (No meeting for November and December)**

It was moved by Commissioner Kate Calhoun, duly seconded by Commissioner Carlos Portillo, and passed by a roll call vote of 3 to 0, to approve the Legal Action Report and Summary Minutes from October 21, 2025.

**3. Report from Chairperson (Information Only)**

No report was given.

**4. Call to the Audience**

The City Clerk's Office did not receive any requests to speak.

**5. Review of TPD Investigations:**

**1. Case # 25-0299**

It was moved by Commissioner Kate Calhoun, duly seconded by Commissioner Carlos Portillo, and passed by a roll call vote of 3 to 0 to find Case #25-0299, to have been a fair and thorough investigation.

*(Annabelle Nuñez abstained from voting, per Mayor & Council Rules and Regulations "Failure to vote by a council member shall be counted as an affirmative vote"). **The motion passed by a vote of 3 to 0.***

**2. Case # 23-0433**

It was moved by Commissioner Carlos Portillo, duly seconded by Commissioner Kate Calhoun, and passed by a roll call vote of 3 to 0 to find Case #23-0433 to have been a fair and thorough investigation.

*(Annabelle Nuñez abstained from voting, per Mayor & Council Rules and Regulations "Failure to vote by a council member shall be counted as an affirmative vote"). **The motion passed by a vote of 3 to 0.***

**3. Case # 25-0374**

Vice Chair Nuñez requested that Case # 25-0374 be tabled for the next meeting in February.

**6. Tucson Police Department:**

**A. TPD Updates regarding events or developments relating to TPD during the prior month**

Lt. Schaner stated the department recently completed several personnel rotations and promotions, resulting in four new lieutenants being assigned to the patrol divisions. The new lieutenants officially began their roles last week, coinciding with increased activity following

the holiday slowdown.

The department is also actively participating in the Safe City Task Force Initiative, including the Transit Safety Action Plan. This collaborative effort brings together city departments, community and faith-based organizations, and other governmental partners to identify system gaps, improve efficiencies, and strengthen outcomes. A key focus of the Transit Safety Action Plan is improving both actual and perceived safety within and around the transit system through data collection and short- and long-term strategic improvements.

**B. Office of Professional Standards/ Updates regarding events or developments relating to the Office of Professional Standards during the prior month.**

Lt. Chamberlain stated as Chief Shannon noted, the department recently experienced several personnel changes. Jesse Chamberlain has moved into the Special Standards position, previously held by Gomez. Lieutenant Chamberlain was born and raised in Tucson and lived on the south, west, and east sides of the city. He has been with the Tucson Police Department for 26 years, reaching that milestone this April. His career includes patrol assignments on the south and east sides, work in the Gang Tactical Unit and Metro Response Teams, and supervisory roles downtown. He also supervised the department's former Directed Enforcement Team before spending approximately eight and a half years supervising a counter-narcotics squad. Lieutenant Chamberlain was promoted in July 2024 and most recently served in patrol on the east side prior to assuming his current role. He has previously presented to the group on street racing enforcement. Looking ahead, he will introduce a new team member at the next meeting and provide updated enforcement statistics. He expressed appreciation and looks forward to continuing to attend meetings regularly.

**7. Office of Independent Police Auditor**

Recent case reviews and complaint follow-ups were conducted, including review of body-worn camera footage. While many complaints involved individuals experiencing mental health crises, all were evaluated and none were substantiated. A large protest along Broadway was noted. TPD deployed significant staffing and preparation, and no complaints have been received related to the event. This was highlighted as a positive reflection of effective planning, community relationships, and clear communication regarding the department's role in federal immigration matters. There were no new updates from national civilian oversight organizations, including NACOLE. While broader interest in civilian oversight initiatives has declined, training opportunities and webinars on topics such as critical incident review boards and mental health response remain available for those interested.

**8. Possible Ordinance/Tucson Code Changes regarding the future of the Community Police Advisory Review Board (CPARB) direction (Discussion/Action).**

The board discussed a potential amendment to the Tucson City Code regarding term limits for the Community Police Advisory Review Board (CPARB). Under current code (Article 13, Section 10A-134), members are limited to eight consecutive years of service, with certain committee exceptions. The board discussed pursuing an ordinance change to add CPARB as an exempt body. It was noted that the City Manager supports the board's continued effectiveness, but Vice Chair Nuñez advised

that any ordinance amendment must be sponsored by a City Council member, typically through a ward office. Due to upcoming term expirations, the matter was identified as time sensitive. The board agreed that action should be taken to request a change to remove term limits for CPARB members.

It was moved by Vice Chair Nuñez, duly seconded by Commissioner Kate Calhoun, and passed by a roll call vote of 3 to 0, to pursue removal of term limits and to direct the Vice Chair to draft a letter to Ward offices seeking Council sponsorship for an ordinance amendment.

**9. CPARB Vacancies**

Vice Chair Nuñez stated that there are still ongoing vacancies in Wards 1 and 2.

**10. Future Agenda Items**

- March report BCC's
- Elections of Chair and Vice Chair
- Training
- Code Changes
- Lt. Schaner Events of 1-20-2026

**11. Adjournment**

Vice Chair, Nuñez adjourned the meeting at 6:26 p.m.

**NEXT MEETING:**  
Tuesday, February 17, 2026  
*Ward 6 Community Room, Hybrid Meeting*  
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