



Thursday, January 15, 2026
Executive Conference Room
701 East Carson Street
Carson, CA 90745

6:30 PM

Commissioners:	Jeffrey Allen Samuel Dacus Prentiss Lewis	Keith Arnold Donnie Dorsey Angela Rivers	Louis Joseph Cogut Lawrence Flinton Heidi Romero
Alternates:	Alternate 1 Michael Wilson	Alternate 2 Randy Brown	Alternate 3 Brandon Fields
Staff:	Kaitlin Sanchez Public Safety Services Manager	Priscilla Palma Division Secretary	
Legal:	Isaac C. Young, ESQ. City Attorney	Olivia McGovern, ESQ. City Attorney	

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CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PRESENTATIONS

None.

PUBLIC ORAL COMMUNICATIONS ON AGENDA ITEMS

The public may address the Commission on any matters within the jurisdiction of the Public Safety Commission or on any items on the agenda of the Public Safety Commission, prior to any action taken on the agenda. Speakers are limited to no more than three minutes, speaking once. Oral communications will be limited to one (1) hour unless extended by order of the Chair with the approval of the Public Safety Commission.

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. Approval of Minutes – Regular Meeting on Thursday, October 18, 2025

CONTINUED BUSINESS

1. Ethics Training – Update from Attorney Young

NEW BUSINESS

1. 2026 Election
2. 2026 Public Safety Commission Meeting Schedule
3. Department Report
4. Attorney's Report

PUBLIC ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FOR MATTERS NOT LISTED ON THE AGENDA

The public may at this time address the members of the Public Safety Commission on any matters within the jurisdiction of the Public Safety Commission. No action may be taken on non-agendized items except as authorized by law. Speakers are requested to limit their comments to no more than three minutes each, speaking once.

COMMISSIONERS' ORAL COMMUNICATIONS



CONTINUED BUSINESS

ITEM #1

ETHICS TRAINING

ORAL



CITY OF CARSON

STAFF REPORT

TO: Public Safety Commission
FROM: Nora Garcia, Director of Public Safety & Emergency Management
Kaitlin Sanchez, Public Safety Manager
SUBJECT: Statements of Economic Interests – 700 Form
DATE: January 15, 2026

BACKGROUND

The City of Carson's City Charter designates that all boards, commissions and committees appoint a Chair and Vice Chair after the first day of the new calendar year, in procedural conduct accordance with the Brown Act.

RECOMMENDATION

Hold the 2026 election for Chair and Vice Chair of the Public Safety Commission in accordance with the City of Carson City Charter and Brown Act and submit the names of the 2026 Chair and Vice Chair to the City Clerk.



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BACKGROUND

The City of Carson's City Charter designates that all boards, commissions and committees approve their meeting schedule for the year at the start of every new calendar year.

OVERVIEW

The City of Carson's City Charter and Carson Municipal Code designate the regular meeting date and time of the Public Safety Commission as the third Thursday of the month at 6:30pm.

RECOMMENDATION

Approve the 2026 Public Safety Commission meeting dates and direct staff to submit the approved schedule of meeting dates to the City Clerk.

ATTACHMENT 1 – 2026 MEETING SCHEDULE

2026 Public Safety Commission Meeting Dates

Meeting Date	Agenda Documents Due	Agenda Posts
January 15, 2026	January 1, 2026 by 12:00pm	January 12, 2026
February 19, 2026	February 5, 2026 by 12:00pm	February 16, 2026
March 19, 2026	March 5, 2026 by 12:00pm	March 16, 2026
April 16, 2026	April 2, 2026 by 12:00pm	April 13, 2026
May 21, 2026	May 7, 2026 by 12:00pm	May 11, 2026
June 18, 2026	June 4, 2026 by 12:00pm	June 15, 2026
July 16, 2026	July 2, 2026 by 12:00pm	July 13, 2026
August 20, 2026	August 6, 2026 by 12:00pm	August 10, 2026
September 17, 2026	September 3, 2026 by 12:00pm	September 14, 2026
October 15, 2026	October 1, 2026 by 12:00pm	October 12, 2026
November 19, 2026	November 5, 2026 by 12:00pm	November 16, 2026
December 17, 2026	December 3, 2026 by 12:00pm	December 14, 2026
**January 21, 2027	January 7, 2027 by 12:00pm	January 14, 2027 (MLK Holiday 1/18/27)

****Informational only – not part of 2026 schedule**



NEW BUSINESS
ITEM #3
DEPARTMENT REPORT
ORAL



NEW BUSINESS

ITEM #4

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

ORAL