



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
INDEPENDENT CIVILIAN ADVISORY COMMISSION

San Mateo County Manzanita
Hall, 500 County Center,
Redwood City, CA
www.smcgov.org/icac

July 2, 2025

7:30pm

Please take notice that the Chair of the San Mateo County Independent Civilian Advisory Commission on the Sheriff's Office, acting pursuant to the authority of Government Code §54956, called a Special Meeting of the San Mateo County Independent Civilian Advisory Commission on the Sheriff's Office on Wednesday, July 2, 2025.

The San Mateo County Independent Civilian Advisory Commission on the Sheriff's Office will advise the Board of Supervisors in its effort to facilitate public transparency, accountability, and public engagement with respect to the Sheriff's Office. It will provide a public forum for input from the community regarding the Sheriff's Office, develop and implement an annual work plan, and make recommendations to the Board of Supervisors.

This Special Meeting of the Independent Civilian Advisory Commission was held in person at the San Mateo County Manzanita Hall (500 County Center, Redwood City) and by teleconference using zoom: <https://smcgov.zoom.us/j/91622172189>.

This meeting can be viewed in its entirety and shows each agenda item here: [YouTube Video](#)

1. ROLL CALL

Present:

Commissioners: Shirley Melnicoe, Kalimah Salahuddin, Rob Silano, James Simmons

Alternates: Rebecca Carabez, Alexis Lewis

CARE Liaisons: Michael Klobuchar (via zoom)

Sheriff's Office Liaison: George Dale

County Staff: Jennifer Castro-Lara, Megan Gosch, Emma Gonzalez, Tara Heumann, Marisol Escalera Durani, Jacki Rigoni

Absent:

Commissioner: Bill McClure

CARE Liaisons: Bruce Von Herrmann, Stanley E Roberts

2. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT

In-Person Comments:

None

Comments via Zoom:

X

3. MOTION TO APPROVE AGENDA

Motion to approve the agenda.

Motion: Melnicoe/ Second: Simmons

Yes: 6 – Carabez, Lewis, Melnicoe, Salahuddin, Silano, Simmons

No: 0

Absent: 1 - McClure

4. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING: GRAND JURY RETURNED ACCUSTATIONS

Speakers:

Chair Kalimah Salahuddin and Commissioner Rob Silano

- Commission held a discussion in response to [Civil Grand Jury Press Release](#) published on June 30th, 2025.
- Commissioners were provided with a copy of the [County's](#) and [District Attorney Office's](#) Press Releases to review and discuss.

Commissioner Inquiries:

1. Provide the total legal fees at the next Commission meeting, and determine if the Sheriff is being compensated for all her fees (Action for County Attorney's Office)
2. Bring back the topic of the Grand Jury Returned Accusations to next agenda for discussion if need be. (Action for Staff)
3. Request to add a recommendation and possible action item for the next agenda recommending the Board of Supervisors to refer specific allegations of misconduct involving the Sheriff to the FBI or US Department of Justice, or outside investigative agency. (Action for Staff)
4. Forward the information to Commissioners from the District Attorney's Office once its available. (Action for Staff)

In-Person Comments:

David Vallerga

Comments via Zoom:

NobleTruthSeeker

5. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.