



Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING AND AGENDA

November 20, 2024

10:00 a.m.

Board members, staff, agency heads requesting a review, and individuals, or their attorneys, who have a final action review, may attend electronically. Notice must be provided 7 days in advance of the Board meeting in order to present electronically. Otherwise, physical attendance for this meeting is another option. The meeting will be livestreamed and instructions for viewing will be posted on the AZPOST website. Members of the public will have access to the meeting room at 9:30 a.m.

Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board endeavors to ensure the accessibility of its meetings to all persons with disabilities. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by calling the AZPOST main number at (602) 223-2514. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

Upon a vote of the majority of the quorum, the Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3) to receive confidential legal advice from the Board's attorneys regarding any item on this agenda. The chair may take items out of order.

- A. Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance
- B. Introductions, Presentations and Announcements
- C. Executive Director's Report

The Board may receive updates on any of the following Report items; it may discuss, provide direction or ask questions of the Executive Director on any of these items. The order of the Report is at the discretion of the Executive Director and the Chairman and may be revisited at any time during the meeting:

- Update on Budget
- Update on Communications with Law Enforcement Associations, Groups and Agencies
- Update on Staff and Personnel Issues
- Legislative Update

D. Consent Agenda

The following items make up the Consent Agenda. These items will be considered for approval as a single action, unless a Board member or any other interested party wishes to remove an item to be discussed.

1. Approval of Minutes:
October 16, 2024 Board Meeting
2. Review, discussion and decision on Ministerial Actions. The following ministerial actions have been taken by staff upon Board instruction. By approving these items, the Board adopts and ratifies those actions:
 - a. Consent Agreements for Voluntary Relinquishment/Denial of Peace Officer Certification for the following:
 1. 2024-078 Dayton O. Boddie Glendale Police Department
 2. 2024-231 Aaron Herder Colorado River Indian Tribe Police Dept.
 3. 2024-251 Brandon Mendoza Maricopa County Sheriff's Office
 4. 2024-259 Larry C. Hernandez Bullhead City Police Department
 5. 2024-263 Daryl A. Hall Sierra Vista Police Department
 6. 2024-270 Travis W. Baxley Gila County Sheriff's Office
 - b. Petitions for Waiver pursuant to R13-4-105(C). The Applicant's only disqualifying conduct is legally consuming marijuana more than six months, but within two years of appointment, in violation of R13-4-105(A)(10):
 1. Applicant Eric Victorino Coolidge Police Department
 2. Applicant Rashad Rhodes Gila River Police Department
 3. Applicant Livan P. Ramos Nogales Police Department
 4. Applicant Jose Renteria Phoenix Police Department
- E. Review, Discussion and Possible Action on a Petition from the Arizona Department of Liquor Licenses and Control pursuant to A.A.C. R13-4-103(G) requesting a restriction of peace officer certification for Deputy Director Jason Zdilla.
- F. Review, Discussion and Possible Action on a Petition from the Phoenix Police Department pursuant to A.A.C. R13-4-105(C) for Applicant Ian C. Brannigan.
- G. Review, Discussion and Possible Action on a Petition from the Pima County Sheriff's Department pursuant to A.A.C. R13-4-105(C) for Applicant Emily Hubbard.
- H. Review, Discussion and Possible Action regarding the annual 40 shot (day and nighttime) firearms qualification, which was approved by the Board on May 17, 2023.

I. Discussion regarding the degree of sanction options, and the factors to consider, related to peace officer misconduct involving dishonesty, as outlined in R13-4-109A. The acts of misconduct may include untruthfulness in word or deed, both before and after a Garrity admonishment, as well as to peace officer trainees in an academy setting. Following the discussion, the Board may offer administrative guidance to AZPOST staff.

J. Final Action Cases – Review, Discussion and Decision
(An Independent Legal Advisor will be available for all Final Action Cases)

Accept, Reject or Modify the proposed Consent Agreements in the following cases:

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| 1. 2022-012 | Kevin A. Lamoreaux | Safford Police Department |
| 2. 2023-235 | Adam J. Barzar | Tucson Airport Authority Police Department |
| 3. 2024-085 | Jeffrey S. Pokrant | Maricopa Police Department |
| 4. 2024-163 | Conner D. Epley | Oro Valley Police Department |
| 5. 2024-086 | Geoffrey M. Gomez | Payson Police Department |
| 6. 2023-217 | Robert V. Villescaz Jr. | Quartzsite Police Department |

Accept, Reject or Modify the proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and vote on appropriate disposition in the following cases:

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| 7. 2024-008 | Adam Shipley | Tempe Police Department |
| 8. 2024-095 | Ricardy Etienne | Maricopa Police Department |
| 9. 2024-121 | Michael Y. Uyehara | Maricopa County Sheriff's Office |

K. New Cases – Review, Discussion and Decision

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| 1. 2023-192 | Nathaniel R. Clark | Pinal County Sheriff's Office |
| 2. 2024-238 | Warren K. Jackson Jr. | Phoenix Police Department |
| 3. 2024-206 | Juan J. Diaz | Superior Police Department |
| 4. 2024-178 | Tyler D. Johnson | Scottsdale Police Department |
| 5. 2024-276 | Melvin J. Secundino | Tohono O'odham Nation Police Department |


L. Future Agenda Items

M. Adjournment

A copy of the agenda provided to the Board members is available for public inspection, at least 24 hours prior to the meeting, at the Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training Board office, 2643 East University Drive, Phoenix, AZ.

Dated: November 12, 2024

ARIZONA PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING BOARD

By: 

Matt Giordano, Executive Director