



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of Police Accountability and Transparency

Internal Affairs Oversight Panel (IAOP) Public Session Meeting

Public Session Minutes

Tuesday, June 17, 2025

In-Person Meeting | 2201 Washington St, Suite 102, Roxbury, MA 02119

Call to order at 11:32 a.m.

IAOP Members Present: Internal Affairs Oversight Panel (IAOP) Chair Anthony Fugate; IAOP Panelist Eron Hackshaw; IAOP Panelist Quoc Tran. IAOP Panelist Christina Miller.

Introduction and Meeting Minutes

Chair Anthony Fugate opened the public session to approve the public session minutes from the IAOP meeting held on March 25, 2025. The panel unanimously approved the approval of the draft Public session minutes.

OPAT Executive Director's Report

Evandro Carvalho, Executive Director of the Office of Police Accountability and Transparency (OPAT), provided updates on the office's activities since the last board meeting held on March 25.

Mr. Carvalho began by acknowledging the continued development of OPAT's internal capacity. He announced the addition of Mario Beauzile as OPAT's new Administrative Assistant. Mr. Beauzile, who holds a Bachelor of Science in Business from UMASS Boston, brings valuable experience in communications, marketing, and event organization. He serves as the first point of contact at the office and has been supporting a variety of operational tasks.

Mr. Carvalho noted that OPAT is in the process of hiring for key positions. Longtime Investigator Tastery Reed recently departed for an investigations role with the state, prompting the office to open two new Investigator positions. These hires are expected to significantly enhance OPAT's investigative capacity.



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Community engagement efforts remain a priority for the office. OPAT continues to host biweekly Coffee Hours in various neighborhoods, monthly OPAT Open Door Days, and actively participates in a variety of local events, including the Mayor's Coffee Hours and community task forces. The next Executive Director's Coffee Hour will take place on Friday from 10:00 to 11:00 AM at Recreo in West Roxbury, located at 1876 Centre Street.

Mr. Carvalho announced that applications for OPAT's Youth Advisory Council will open next month. The July 2 Open Door Day will center around youth engagement.

The office held its first OPAT Commission Community Meeting of the year on April 30 at the Bolling Building. Mr. Carvalho reported that the meeting was a success and shared that the second community meeting will take place from 5:00 to 7:00 PM on July 1 at the Vine Street Community Center in Roxbury. Among the items on the agenda will be a discussion and decision by the OPAT Commission on how to handle General Inquiry IAD cases referred to OPAT without an IAD ruling.

Mr. Carvalho shared that OPAT is currently working on the Fiscal Year 2025 Annual Report, which will be released next month. He emphasized OPAT's continued daily engagement with Boston residents both in person and via social media. The office maintains an active presence on Instagram, Twitter, and LinkedIn under the handle @BostonOPAT.

In closing, Mr. Carvalho announced that the Fiscal Year 2026 budget has been approved in the amount of \$1,472,015. This budget ensures that OPAT will be able to maintain and expand its critical functions in the upcoming fiscal year.

Mr. Carvalho concluded by thanking everyone present for their continued commitment to the essential work of ensuring accountability, transparency, and trust in the Boston Police Department. He expressed optimism for the progress and developments to come.

Other Business

Chair Fugate moved on to other business, where they chose the next IAOP meeting of 2025. These meetings are to take place September 29 and December 1, 2025.



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Executive Session

Chair Fugate asked the audience if any officers were present who wished for their case(s) to be heard in an open session. None were present.

Panelist Eron Hackshaw motioned to go into Executive Session and adjourn the public meeting, pursuant to Open Meeting Law, M.G.L. c.30A, § 21, to discuss complaint appeals brought against and/or by Boston Police Officers in the matter of Cases #340 and 322; and in anticipation of discussion and approval of the minutes of prior executive sessions. The motion was seconded by Panelist Hobbs and was unanimously agreed upon by the IAOP by a roll call vote.

The Executive Session began, and the public meeting adjourned at 10:47 a.m.