Community Advisory Committee Member – Long Beach Police Department

The Office of Constitutional Policing (OCP) analyzes current policies and practices to ensure alignment with the highest standards, legislative mandates, and community perspectives.

In February 2021, OCP established the Community Advisory Committee (CAC) to act as a vital resource for the Police Department by providing additional community perspectives in the forming of public-facing policies and practices. The CAC acts in an advisory capacity and is intended to provide a forum for discussion to gain a broad spectrum of viewpoints for the Long Beach Police Department executive team to consider while forming policies and practices. The CAC also helps the Police Department increase transparency and public trust.

The CAC is comprised of active Long Beach community members representing a diverse collection of backgrounds and experiences, including but not limited to education, non-profit organizations, public relations, faith community, business, and youth representation.

CAC members are encouraged to attend the Long Beach Police Department’s Community Police Academy to familiarize themselves with Department operations and participate in other community-police events.

**Ideal Members:**

- Reside in Long Beach or have strong ties to the community
- Have integrity and a strong commitment to their community
- Can engage in an honest and productive dialogue
- Can lean into and learn from discomfort

**Requirements:**

- Attend bi-weekly Monday meetings from 4:00 - 5:30 pm
- Have no more than 3 unexcused absences within any given three-month period
- Treat each other with dignity and respect
- Not use the meetings to advance a personal agenda
- Be over 18 years old
- Have no outstanding warrants
- Have no recent felony convictions

**Selection Process:**

To apply:

- Email your resume to OCP@longbeach.gov (Subject Line: CAC)
- Provide a short description of why you are interested in serving on this committee
- Describe your existing ties to the Long Beach community