

**Cleveland Community Police Commission**

**Meeting of the Rules Committee**

Tuesday, January 13, 2026 ~ 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM

3631 Perkins Ave. 4th Floor

Public Livestream Will Not Be Available

	<b>Agenda</b>
6:30 PM	<b>Welcome &amp; Call to Order</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Call to Order</li><li>• Welcome &amp; Roll Call</li><li>• Meeting Decorum</li><li>• Adoption of Agenda</li></ul>
6:35 PM	<b>Public Comment 1</b>
6:45 PM	<b>Committee Report</b>
6:50 PM	<b>New Business</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Vote on Revisions to Evidentiary Hearing Procedure Manual</li></ul>
If Time Allows	<b>Public Comment 2</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Comments Limited to Rules Committee Discussion Please</li></ul>
7:30 PM	<b>Adjournment</b>

Agenda subject to change.

**Committee Members:**

- Tera Coleman
- Piet van Lier
- Sharena Zayed

**Thank you all for the investment of time, intellect and heart toward building community collaboration in police reform. You are appreciated.**

**From Charter Section § 115-5 Community Police Commission**

Voter findings. The voters of the City of Cleveland find, based on continuing, serial instances of police misconduct, that there is a need to significantly strengthen civilian oversight of the police force, and to hold the police force more accountable; strengthen the police reform initiated by, but grossly insufficient in, the Consent Decree in *United States of America v. City of Cleveland*, U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio Case No. 1:15-cv-2046; institutionalize cultural change within the Division of Police; and reform the arbitration process by which unelected arbitrators who do not reflect the values, concerns, or diversity of the community - and who themselves often do not live in the community and therefore do not personally bear the burden of any problematic police practices - routinely undermine police accountability by reducing or reversing disciplinary decisions.

**GUIDELINES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

The purpose of public comment is to hear as many community voices and points of view as possible. In order to achieve this, please follow the community guidelines:

- Everyone is encouraged to participate.
- Please sign up prior to making a comment
- Please keep comment to 3 min or under
- Please step to the mic, state your name and where you live.
- If you have already voiced your ideas, let others have an opportunity to speak. Be brief and to the point.
- One person speaks at a time. Please refrain from side conversations.
- Try your best to understand the pros and cons of every perspective, not just those you prefer. Be as objective and fair-minded as you can be.
- Public comment will occur for approximately 30 minutes during the CPC meeting. After the allotted timeframe, if a pressing issue arises any additional comments can be directed to Ms. Williams, CPC community engagement specialist.
- If time permits, the co-chairs may reopen the public comment portion if all CPC business items are addressed.
- Commissioners will generally not respond to comments or questions but will consider all comments and questions. Community members are encouraged to follow up with questions and concerns via email at [clecpc@clevelandohio.gov](mailto:clecpc@clevelandohio.gov).