

COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD

Alameda County Board of Supervisors



Assembly Bill 1185
County Board of
Supervisors,
Sheriff's Oversight



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A diverse group of smiling people of various ethnicities and ages, including men and women, are shown in a close-up shot. They are all looking towards the camera with bright, happy expressions. The background is plain white.

Today's Objective

- ✓ To obtain the Community Advisory Board's opinion on whether the Alameda County Board of Supervisors should establish a Sheriff's Oversight Board and/or an Office of the Inspector General pursuant to Assembly Bill 1185.



Overview Of Assembly Bill 1185

- ✓ Signed into law by Governor Newsom on September 30, 2020
- ✓ Effective January 1, 2021
- ✓ Adds section 25303.7 to the Government Code
- ✓ Authorizes each of the 58 California counties, either by board of supervisor action or vote of county residents, to create civilian oversight bodies over their elected sheriffs and to vest them with the power of subpoena.
- ✓ Supports accountability through independent oversight
- ✓ Can include a Sheriff's Oversight Board and/or an Office of the Inspector General

Community Outreach & Stakeholder Meetings

- **Community Engagement Meetings**
 - December 2021
 - January 2022
- **Focus Group Meetings**
- **Meetings with Researchers, Academia and Jurisdictions with Existing Oversight Bodies**
- **Educational Seminar -- National Association for Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement**





Questions

- 1. What is your general opinion about the establishment of a Sheriff's Oversight Board and Office of the Inspector General?**
- 2. What do you see as the role of the Sheriff's Oversight Board and Office of the Inspector General?**
- 3. What do you think the qualifications should be of those serving on a Sheriff's Oversight Board?**
- 4. Do you think retired peace officers should be allowed to serve on the Sheriff's Oversight Board?**
- 5. What should the qualifications of the Inspector General be?**
- 6. What additional information do you think is important for the Board of Supervisors to consider related to this topic?**

Alameda County's Civilian Oversight
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THANKYOU!



Additional information from the National Association for the Civilian Oversight of
Law Enforcement can be found at www.NACOLE.org