

A G E N D A

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MEETING

Wednesday, October 21, 2026, at 9:30 a.m.

522 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
Los Angeles, California 90012

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Executive Session - Consideration of the appointment, employment, evaluation of performance, discipline, or dismissal of public employees pursuant to Government Code Section 54957, for the positions listed below.

Open Session agenda to start immediately upon conclusion of Executive Session.

Minutes of the meeting of Wednesday, October 7, 2026, for approval

Consideration of Consent Calendar

Unfinished Business

1. *Petition of **Carlisa Carter** for a hearing on the **suspension** not to exceed thirty (30) days following judgment of a criminal matter, effective July 16, 2025, from the position of Law Enforcement Technician, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 25-121**.*

Communication received withdrawing the petition. Request to cancel hearing pending.

2. *Petition of **Irina Contreras** for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective October 21, 2025, from the position of Program Associate, LA County Arts and Culture, **Case No. 25-189**.*

Communication received withdrawing the petition based on the settlement. Request to cancel hearing pending.

3. *Petition of **Nequoia Williams** for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective March 23, 2026, from the position of Children's Social Worker III, Department of Children and Family Services, **Case No. 26-65**.*

Communication received withdrawing the petition. Request to cancel hearing pending.

4. *Petition of **Anthalanette Andrews** for a hearing on the **reinstatement** to the position of Senior Typist-Clerk, Department of Medical Examiner, **Case No. 26-101**.*

This was continued from the meeting of August 26, 2026, at the request of Anthony Martinez, representative for the department, in order to file a response.

5. *Petition of **Guillermo Arce** for hearing on the **civil service status, return to duty, compensation and merit system matter** in the position of Human Services Administrator I, Department of Public Social Services, based on a claim of a Civil Service Rule 25 violation, **Case No. 26-104**.*

This was continued from the meeting of August 26, 2026, at the request of Anthony Martinez, representative for the department, in order to file a response.

Unfinished Business (continued)

6. *Petition of **William H. Charles** for a hearing on the ten (10) day **suspension**, effective September 8, 2025, from the position of Intermediate Typist-Clerk, Department of Public Social Services, **Case No. 26-25**.*

Consideration of timeliness. This was continued from the meeting of September 9, 2026, for a full Commission. Commissioners Donner and Segal were absent. This was previously continued from the meeting of June 17, 2026, for a full Commission. Commissioners Huntley and Segal were absent. This was also previously continued from the meeting of April 8, 2026, for a full Commission. Commissioner Segal was absent.

New Business

7. *Amended petition of **Abraham Merino Jr.** for a hearing on the **probationary discharge**, effective February 11, 2026, from the position of Nursing Attendant I, Department of Health Services, Los Angeles General Medical Center, based on a claim of a Civil Service Rule 25 violation, **Case No. 26-73**.*

Originally denied by the Commission at the meeting of July 1, 2026.

Commissioner Segal moved to deny the petition.

Commissioner Braun: Second

Commissioner Duran: Aye

President Donner: Aye

The motion carried with a vote of 4-0. Commissioner Huntley was absent.

8. *Amended petition of **Lijing Sun** for a hearing on the **probationary reduction**, effective March 23, 2026, from the position of Secretary II to Intermediate Typist-Clerk, Department of Public Works, based on a claim of a Civil Service Rule 25 violation, **Case No. 26-76**.*

Originally denied by the Commission at the meeting of July 1, 2026.

Commissioner Braun moved to deny the petition.

Commissioner Duran: Second

Commissioner Segal: No

President Donner: Aye

The motion carried with a vote of 3-1. Commissioner dissented. Commissioner Huntley was absent.

Miscellaneous

9. Opportunity for members of the public to address the Commission on items of interest that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission.

CLOSED SESSION

Consideration of confidential peace officer appeals pursuant to Copley Press.

Unfinished Business

10. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective March 27, 2025, from the position of Deputy Sheriff, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 25-76**.*

Proposed decision to be rendered (Hearing Officer: Joseph Scully).

11. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective May 13, 2024, from the position of Deputy Probation Officer II, Probation Department, **Case No. 24-117**.*

Proposed decision to be rendered (Hearing Officer: Samuel Reyes).

12. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective May 29, 2024, from the position of Deputy Probation Officer II, Probation Department, **Case No. 24-122**.*

Proposed decision to be rendered (Hearing Officer: Carol Vendrillo).

13. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective October 16, 2024, from the position of Deputy Sheriff, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 24-202**.*

Proposed decision to be rendered (Hearing Officer: Daniel Saling).

14. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective November 3, 2023, from the position of Sergeant, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 23-166**.*

Proposed decision to be rendered (Hearing Officer: Robert Klepa).

15. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective November 18, 2023, from the position of Detention Services Officer, Probation Department, **Case No. 23-172**.*

Findings are submitted to sustain the department, and petitioner's objections thereto (Hearing Officer: Craig Renetzky).

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Unfinished Business (continued)

16. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective August 28, 2024, from the position of Deputy Sheriff, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 24-176**.*

Findings are submitted to sustain the department, and petitioner's objections thereto (Hearing Officer: Stephen Biersmith).

17. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the fifteen (15) day **suspension**, effective May 22, 2023, from the position of Deputy Probation Officer II, Probation Department, **Case No. 23-66**.*

Findings are submitted to sustain the department, and petitioner's objections thereto (Hearing Officer: Craig Renetzky).

18. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective November 1, 2023, from the position of Deputy Probation Officer II, Probation Department, **Case No. 23-159**.*

Findings are submitted to sustain the department, and petitioner's objections thereto (Hearing Officer: Angela Shaw).

19. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective March 16, 2023, from the position of Deputy Sheriff, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 23-48**.*

Petitioner's objections to the Commission's new proposed decision to impose discharge. (At the meeting of January 28, 2026, the Commission sustained the department's objections, and rejected the recommendation of the Hearing Officer, Samuel Reyes, to reduce the discharge to twenty (20) day suspension and announced as its new proposed decision to impose discharge.)

Commissioner Duran moved to sustain the department's objections.

Commissioner Huntley: Second

Commissioner Segal: No

Commissioner Braun: No

President Donner: Aye

The motion carried with a vote of 3-2. Commissioners Segal and Braun dissented.

CLOSED SESSION

Unfinished Business (continued)

20. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective November 6, 2025, from the position of Lieutenant, Sheriff's Department, **Case No. 26-6**.*

Communication received withdrawing the petition. Request to cancel hearing pending.

21. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the **discharge**, effective December 24, 2024, from the position of Deputy Probation Officer II, Field, Probation Department, **Case No. 25-21**.*

Communication received withdrawing the petition based on a settlement. Request to cancel hearing pending.

22. *Petitioner's request for a hearing on the Director of Personnel's denial of the appeal of the **application rejection** in the examination for Supervising Deputy Probation Officer, **Case No. 26-86**.*

This was continued from the meeting of July 29, 2026, at the request of Michelle Hua, representative for the department, in order to review all information and file a response. Commissioner Braun was absent.