

The San Francisco Sentencing Commission

City & County of San Francisco

(Administrative Code 5.250 through 5.250-3)

AGENDA

Tuesday March 21st, 2023

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

San Francisco District Attorney's Office
350 Rhode Island, Suite 400N, San Francisco

Public Remote Meeting via Video Conference

Zoom Link: <https://sfdistrictattorney.zoom.us/j/86037257374>

Members of the Sentencing Commission will attend this meeting in-person. Members of the public are invited to observe the meeting in-person or remotely online as described above. Members of the public attending the meeting in person will have an opportunity to provide public comment at the beginning and end of the meeting, each member of the public will be allotted no more than 3 minutes to speak on any item(s). In addition to in-person public comment, the Sentencing Commission will hear up to 20 minutes of remote public comment in the order that commenters add themselves to the queue to comment on an item. Because of the 20-minute time limit, it is possible that not every person in the queue will have an opportunity to provide remote public comment. Remote public comment from people who have received an accommodation due to disability (as described below) will not count toward the 20-minute limit. Members of the public are encouraged to participate remotely by submitting written comments electronically to Patricia Martinez via email at patricia.e.martinez@sfgov. These comments will be made part of the official public record in these matters and shall be brought to the attention of the members of the Subcommittee. Explanatory and/or Supporting Documents, if any, will be posted at: <https://sfdistrictattorney.org/sentencing-commission-relevant-documents>

1. Call to Order; Roll call.

Pursuant to Sentencing Commission bylaws, the Chair shall present the ancestral homeland acknowledgement of the Ramaytush Ohlone, who are the original inhabitants of the San Francisco Peninsula.

2. Public Comment on Any Item Listed Below (discussion only).
3. Citywide Guidance for City Policy Bodies (discussion only).
4. Review and Adoption of Meeting Minutes from December 13th, 2023 (discussion & possible action).
5. Staff Report on Sentencing Commission Activities and Reports from the Reentry Council, the Family Violence Council, and the Criminal Justice Racial Equity Workgroup (CJREW) (discussion & possible action).
 - a. Update from Representative of the Reentry Council, Director Karen Roye.
 - b. Update from Representative of the Family Violence Council, Andrew Tan.
 - c. Update from Representative of the CJREW, Patricia Martinez.
6. CalAIM Updates by Bernadette Gates, CalAIM Manager, Department of Public Health. (discussion & possible action).
7. Safety and Justice Challenge Updates (discussion & possible action).
 - a. Update from Edward McCaffrey, Chief of Communication and Policy, San Francisco District Attorney's Office.
 - b. Update from Lucas B. Jennings, Senior Administrative Analyst, San Francisco Sheriff's Office.
8. Young Adult Justice Initiative Updates by Patricia Martinez, Coordinator of the Young Adult Justice Initiative, San Francisco District Attorney's Office (discussion & possible action).
9. Members' Comments, Questions, Requests for Future Agenda Items (discussion & possible action).
10. Public Comment on Any Item Listed Above, as well as Items not Listed on the Agenda.
11. Adjournment.

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