



CITY OF ALEXANDRIA
Alexandria Independent Policing Auditor

Office of the Independent Policing Auditor: June 2026 Update To City Council



AGENDA



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What is Civilian Oversight?

Civilian oversight is a process in which individuals who are not sworn law enforcement officers are authorized to investigate, review, and audit police conduct, policies, and internal investigations.

- **Authorized by:**
 - **Statutory Authority**
 - **Federal Consent Decree**
 - **Community**



CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT IN ALEXANDRIA

AIPA

Investigative arm of
civilian oversight in Alexandria

Independent receipt and
investigation of complaints and
commendations regarding APD
officers

Monitor APD internal
investigations

Access to all APD systems,
records and personnel

Supports ICPRB with meetings,
training, and review of
investigations

BOTH

Ensure transparency,
accountability, and public trust in
local law enforcement

Appointed by and report to City
Council

Community engagement and
feedback

Policy reviews of APD directives

NACOLE & APD Training
including ride-a-longs

Public reporting & community
engagement

ICPRB

Review and community arm of
civilian oversight in Alexandria


Independent review of APD and
AIPA investigations for fairness,
objectivity, and thoroughness

Reviews APD directives and
practices to recommend reform
based on patterns in
complaints, community
feedback, and best practices

How to File A Complaint with the Auditor & Board



Office of the Alexandria Independent Policing Auditor

 703.746.3993

How to File a
Complaint or
Commendation
with the AIPA
or the ICPRB

 By email to the
ICPRB or AIPA

 Walk-In / In
Person or by
mail

 Online via the
ICPRB or AIPA
website



Scan below to make a Complaint or Submit
a Commendation to the Alexandria
Independent Policing Auditor



CONTACT US

703.746.3993

POLICEOVERSIGHT@ALEXANDRIAVA.GOV

123 N. PITT STREET

SUITE 225

ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314

FILE A COMPLAINT

THANK AN ALEXANDRIA POLICE OFFICER

[Learn about the complaint and commendation process](#)

Make a Complaint

OR

Submit a Commendation



If you would like to file a complaint or commendation, please fill out this form using the appropriate button, to submit a general inquiry please contact us at the email provided below.
policeoversight@alexandriava.gov
703.746.3993

Reminders

- You may file a complaint or compliment with the Independent Policing Auditor by emailing policeoversight@alexandriava.gov
- You do not need to be a U.S. Citizen or Alexandria resident to file a complaint
- Incident must have occurred within 2 years of filing the complaint
- You may file a complaint anonymously
- Please include the following helpful information:
 - Date, Time and Location of the Incident
 - Officer Name and Badge Number
 - Witness Information
 - Supporting Evidence: Photographs, Videos, etc.
- Jurisdiction is limited to members and policies of the Alexandria Police Department

Investigations



January – June 2026 Investigations

5 Complaints

2 Critical Incidents

7 of Sustained Allegations

Recommended Policy Reviews

- **Body-worn camera**
- **Medical Transport**

2 Complaints Dismissed or Referred to Another Agency

The Chief of Police retains the sole authority on implementation of findings and recommendations by the Board and Auditor.

All rejected findings and recommendations must be made in writing to the Board, Auditor, City Council and public within 30 days.



Officer Involved Shooting: Canterbury Square

- AIPA was notified of the incident by the Chief of Police and City Manager.
- AIPA will open an independent administrative investigation following the criminal investigation by CIRT and receipt of all relevant evidence from APD.
- Briefed and confirmed access to all available evidence and records.



In-Custody Death of Allan Tucker, Jr.

- The Auditor's final report including findings and recommendations was released on June 22.**
- The Board will hold a public hearing to review the investigation and hear public comment from community members on July 29 at 6:30 at the Del Pepper Community Center. Virtual attendance available.**
- The Board independently assesses the investigation for fairness, thoroughness, and objectivity.**

Community Engagement



Community Engagement

1

Board meetings in the Community: Charles Houston Recreation Center

2

Partnered with RASE & Office of Human Rights for Increased Presence at City Events

3

Youth Engagement:

- ACPS PTSA
- AHS BSU
- DCHS Teen Summit

Event Highlight: Juneteenth 6/19 –

What Does Public Safety Owe Black Communities?

1

**Presentation on History
of Policing and Civilian
Oversight in Alexandria**

2

**Listening Session:
1) What is community?
2) What does public
safety owe Black
communities?**



UPCOMING PROJECTS AND EVENTS

- Summer 2026: MOU Review & Revision Advisory Group.**
- Summer & Fall 2026: How to File A Complaint – see City Calendar.**
- September 2026: ICPRB Annual Report.**



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Thank You!

