

Ad-Hoc Committee	Recommendation Topic/Scope	Description of Recommendation	Justification for Recommendation	Anecdotal Evidence for Recommendations	Key Decision Making Party	Implementation Steps
Staff, Management, and Accountability	Recruitment/Hiring Policy	<p>The Task Force recommends, in addition to current criteria already in place, that the City Council utilize the following priority hiring criteria to guide the Chief of DPS when it comes to hiring for DPS: #residents of Dublin, #broader representation of race/gender/ethnicity/sexual orientation based on individuals DPS engages with on a daily basis, #community policing engagement experience, #experience working in/on diverse communities/teams. The Task Force also recommends that the City Council and the Chief of DPS meet from time to time to review the hiring criteria and adjust if necessary.</p>	<p>There is evidence that if we hire officers that are responsive/relatable to the community that there is less conflict, bias, etc. In general, a more diverse workplace brings a broader knowledge base and experience set that is also important to share with the staff as well as the community at large.</p>	<p>DUBLIN/ACSO CONTRACT; https://ballotpedia.org/Changes_to_policing_policy_in_the_states_and_100_largest_cities,_2020; https://www.dublin.ca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/26265/2021-3-11-Memo-on-DPS-Recruiting?bidId=1 EEOC: ADVANCING DIVERSITY IN LAW ENFORCEMENT: https://www.eeoc.gov/advancing-diversity-law-enforcement, THE RECRUITMENT AND SELECTION OF MINORITY POLICE OFFICERS - https://digitalcommons.cedarville.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1111&context=history_and_government_publications</p>	City Council	Council direct City Manager to work with Chief
	Disciplinary Action	<p>The Task Force recommends that City Council sponsor and hire an independent third-party to coordinate an annual public study session (includes workshops, breakout groups, open comment, etc.) between the community, the City Council and DPS/ACSO that covers "best practices" across the US in regards to community policing (including disciplinary policies/procedures, hiring/recruiting/retention, bias, and other topics that are of interest to all stakeholders involved) and the City Council will be responsible for compiling and releasing a report covering the recommendations/actions to the public following these sessions. The Task Force recommends that the City Council requests that DPS/ACSO review and report back to the City Council on potential revision/adopt current/new policies/procedures based on the outcome of these sessions.</p>	<p>These types of public review sessions will keep civilians, city officials and the police force up to date and informed on "best practices". These review sessions will enable open, transparent dialogue and should lead to better communication and coordination between city and police officials on these types of matters. No policy changes would be required to have these recurring review sessions and costs will most likely be minimal.</p>	<p>https://ballotpedia.org/Changes_to_policing_policy_in_the_states_and_100_largest_cities,_2020; https://www.courier-journal.com/story/news/politics/metro-government/2021/02/08/review-recommends-102-fixes-for-louisville-police-department/4345959001/</p>	City Council	Council to direct City Manager to coordinate and hold these public sessions and require both the Chief of DPS and a representative from The Alameda County Sheriff's Office to attend and participate.

Reporting	<p>The Task Force recommends that the City Council requests that DPS and ACSO enable civilians to file complaints/commendations online (via ACSO's website/mobile app). The Task Force also recommends that DPS compiles 1) statistics of all complaints/commendations filed with DPS broken down by race, gender, age, time of day, location, and related data, 2) statistics of types of disciplinary actions taken by DPS and for what actions, and 3) statistics on how/if complaints were resolved. The Task Force recommends that the City Council and ACSO releases these statistics to the public on a quarterly basis via their respective websites/mobile apps. All data released will be anonymous.</p>		<p>https://www.santa-ana.org/cm/police-oversight; https://scarincilawyer.com/nj-supreme-court-upholds-newark-civilian-review-board-with-limited-investigatory-powers/; https://www.alamedacountysheriff.org/admin_ia_complaint.php; https://dublin.ca.gov/Faq.aspx?TID=25, It's in #15 under FAQs; https://dublin.ca.gov/91/Police-Services</p>	City Council	
Reporting	<p>The Task Force supports the DPS "Crossroads E-Citation" initiative to accurately collect demographic related data of civilians that officers engage with via electronically scanning driver licenses and related methods. The Task Force recommends that the City Council endores this initiative and supports the use of technology needed to implement this initiative to the fullest, and that the DPS accelerates the full rollout of this initiative as quickly as possible.</p>		<p>Current method of officers perceived impression of ethnicity of those stopped is inaccurate at best, and allows for data manipulation at worse. Allows for more accurate data reporting & transparency.</p>	<p>https://legistarweb-production.s3.amazonaws.com/uploads/attachment/pdf/836202/Staff_Report OTS TRIP Grant New_Format_2_1.pdf; https://web.crossroadssoftware.com/ecitations</p>	

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	Look into other ways to recruit / create awareness regarding recruitment	Recommends that City Council and City Staff actively engage with local nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, DUSD, to announce/apprise citizens of upcoming vacancies on boards, commissions, task forces, and other city committees.	Broadening the outreach efforts for recruitment for City opportunities, therein increases the pool of diverse candidates to represent their community on various board and commissions.	Not all residents are actively engaged on social media, but many are connected to their community through other local organizations. This would assist in reaching those members of the City of Dublin without regular social media or City of Dublin website engagement.	City Manager / Staff	Utilize Public Information Officer, Community Development staff to reach out and engage with community organizations - pull from CDBG grant applicants and other local nonprofits with a City of Dublin focus.
		Recommends that City Council encourages City Staff, commissioners, task force and committee members, as well as the City Council itself, to actively post, share, engage in social media to share information regarding upcoming vacancies on boards, commissions, task force and other city committees.	Broadening the outreach efforts for recruitment for City opportunities, therein increases the pool of diverse candidates to represent their community on various board and commissions.	Current members can share their experiences with potential candidates and if the 'one-year' hiatus requirement (per Rameet's suggestion) is implemented, there is no political incentive in not doing it as they cannot retaining their seat for an immediate subsequent term. A number of task force members were apprised of task force openings via current commissioners' sharing on social media, not via the City's website or other communications.	City Council / City Manager	Offer "incentives" for active community engagement - sharing of website links, to information regarding upcoming vacancies, including "commentary" regarding their past experience as representatives of the City.
Recruitment (Kathy)		Recommends that current city staff actively post, share, engage in social media to share information regarding upcoming vacancies on boards, commissions, task force and other city committees.	Broadening the outreach efforts for recruitment for City opportunities, therein increases the pool of diverse candidates to represent their community on various board and commissions.		City Manager	Offer staff "incentives" for active community engagement - sharing of website links, to information regarding upcoming vacancies
		Recommend that City Council instruct City Staff to ensure that all upcoming vacancies are posted with sufficient notice to apply on the new monthly newsletter, "Backyard Brief" as well as all other City publications.	Broadening the outreach efforts for recruitment for City opportunities, therein increases the pool of diverse candidates to represent their community on various board and commissions.	https://dublin.ca.gov/2298/Backyard-Brief-Newsletter	City Manager	In order for this to be effective, Dublin residents should be able to access this newsletter on a variety of social media as well as hard copies - that can be made available at civic events such as the weekly farmers market - i.e., offering a raffle prize for signing up for its receipt via email.
		Recommend city staff maintain a targeted database of all current, former, and unsuccessful commission applicants, as well as past Dublin 101 graduates, to receive updated notices about additional commission/board/council/task force/ committee opportunities, with links and website details for sharing on social media.	Provides outreach for interested community members to either re-engage and/or share notices to engage with other interested community members.			Work with City Communications staff regarding a database carve-out for these specific individuals. (Add checkbox on new applications to be added to this targeted database)
		Recommend providing the public with realistic expectations of time commitments required for commission/board/task force/committee appointments.	Applicants need to know the time commitment expected to realistically engage as an active community representative	DEI Community Task Force application originally indicated that applicants had to be available for a minimum of a single monthly meeting, however, it has far exceeded that amount.	City staff	City staff to clearly articulate in the announcement the time requirements if selected.
		-Recommends that City Council instructs City Staff to request demographic information on all applicatons (e.g. race, gender, income level, etc.)				
	-ask for demographic data on application					

	-look into questions for bias				
Application/Selection Process (Cliff)	-look at applications through dei lens	-Recommends that City Council instruct City Staff to add a DEI focused weighted scoring system to evaluating all applications (e.g. demographics, underserved communities, etc.)		https://us.openforms.com/Form/c65ab6ea-d65b-4c62-8bf3-35b6ee3e49ba	
	-consider rounds of applications/selections				
	-consider an independent commission to give a dei score to applicants and recommend to city council			https://www.lynnwoodwa.gov/Government/Boards-and-Commissions/Diversity-Equity-Inclusion-Commission	
	-expand commissions	-Recommends that City Council expand all commissions to no less than seven members to allow for more opportunities for residents to serve on commissions.			
	-for some commissions divide up geographically/demographically			https://bend.granicus.com/MetaViewer.php?view_id=9&event_id=487&meta_id=41298	
	-rec city council releases to the public reasons why each applicant was selected				
	-Create database of all those who apply for boards/commissions/committees/task forces	-Recommends City Council direct City Staff to review the current process to collect, store and disseminate information of all current, former, and unsuccessful commission applicants, as well as past Dublin 101 graduates, and determine if the process needs to be revised to ensure that updated notices about additional commission/board/council/task force/ committee opportunities are being shared with all current/former/unsuccessful applicants.	-To ensure that there exists a growing pool of residents across the City that the City Council who can easily be contacted by City officials to continue keep them interested and engaged in participating in activities to better the City of Dublin.		City Council
	-set up a certification program/feeder system/mentor program	-Recommends that City Council instruct City Staff to create a formal certification and mentor program that prepares Dublin residents to serve on commissions and similar bodies. This could include taking the Dublin 101 course and similar training sessions. The certification would "fast track" these individuals through the application process and have them ready to serve as seats open up. The mentor program portion will be voluntary and enlist former/current commissioners and similar appointees to volunteer their time to educate and share experiences with Dublin residents interested in serving. All sessions (classes, mentor meetings, etc.) should have a virtual option to attend to make it more equitable to Dublin residents. The City should focus on recruiting both former applicants and residents from under-served and underrepresented communities within the City to participate in the program.	-To ensure that future board/commission/committee/task force members stay engaged and are ready to hit the ground running if they are selected to serve. It also provides the City with a pool of ready-to-serve residents to select from. The mentor piece ensures that there is continuity between former, current and future board/commission/committee/task force members and enables future members to stay engaged and hit the ground running if they are selected to serve.		City Council

	<p>-create more volunteer opps (e.g committees, task forces, etc.)</p> <p>-Recommends that the City Council assess on an annual basis the need to create more volunteer opportunities in the form of boards/commissions/committees/task forces for former applicants who are deemed qualified to serve in those roles. All seats will still be open to the general population to apply for based on current City rules and guidelines.</p>	<p>-This is a way to keep interested and engaged residents involved.</p>		City Council	
Pipeline of Qualified Candidates (Rameet)	<p>-revisit term durations and term limits/rotate seats on commissions/boards/task forces more frequently</p> <p>-Recommends that City Council limit the duration of a term that a commissioner serves on a commission to be no more than a period of four years. Commissioners will not be allowed to serve successive terms on the same Commission but will have the opportunity to reapply for non-successive terms. Commissioners will also have the opportunity to apply to be placed on another commission once their term ends. This allows for more equity by providing an opportunity for more citizens to be placed on commissions.</p>	<p>-This allows more residents to get a chance to serve.</p>		City Council	
	<p>-messaging/content might need to be revised (testimonials by current/former appointees, make it less scary to apply, etc.)</p>				
Communications (All of us)					