



CITY OF BOSTON
OFFICE OF POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY
Evandro C. Carvalho, Executive Director

OPAT COMMISSION PUBLIC MEETING

Public Session Minutes
Tuesday, April 28, 2026 | 3:30 p.m.
Zoom Meeting | Online

Call to Order

Executive Director Evandro Carvalho called the meeting to order at **3:35 p.m.**

Commission Members Present:

Evandro Carvalho, Executive Director and Chair of the Commission

Samuel Harold, Chair of the Civilian Review Board (CRB)

Anthony Fugate, Chair of the Internal Affairs Oversight Panel (IAOP)

OPAT Staff

(All Commission Members were in attendance)

Introduction

Executive Director Carvalho welcomed attendees and noted that this was the Commission's third public meeting of 2026. He stated that the Commission was well ahead of schedule with its meeting calendar and referenced the prior community meeting held on April 9, 2026 at the Grove Hall Library where members of the public attended and provided comments.

Executive Director Carvalho further advised the public that they may contact OPAT via the agency email address and through OPAT's website.



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Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

Executive Director Carvalho presented the minutes from the April 9, 2026 public meeting and invited corrections.

Motion to Approve Minutes as Presented:

- **Moved by:** Evandro Carvalho
 - **Roll Vote:** Anthony Fugate (approved), Samuel Harold (approved), Evandro Carvalho (approved).
- Motion unanimously approved.

Other Business

Executive Director Carvalho invited Commissioners to raise any additional business not anticipated on the agenda.

During this portion of the meeting, the Commission experienced a brief technical interruption due to Zoom audio issues. The meeting resumed shortly afterward.

Public Comment

Executive Director Carvalho opened the floor for public comment and invited members of the public to raise their hands via Zoom if they wished to speak.

No public comments were offered.



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Executive Director Carvalho reminded members of the public that comments could also be submitted via email to OPAT.

Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn:

- **Moved by:** Samuel Harold
 - **Seconded by:** Anthony Fugate
 - **Vote:** Anthony Fugate (yes), Evandro Carvalho (yes), Samuel Harold (yes)
- Motion unanimously passed

Executive Director Carvalho stated that the Commission would enter executive session pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(1) and Section 21(a)(2) for discussions relating to complaints against public employees and strategy sessions involving negotiations.

He noted that the Commission did not anticipate returning to public session following the executive session.

The meeting adjourned at 3:47 p.m.

Minutes prepared by: Office of Police Accountability and Transparency Staff
Submitted to: OPAT Commission for approval.

The Links to the zoom recordings can be found below:

Public Session [Part 1](#)

Public Session [Part 2](#)