



## **LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION**

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Hearing Date: 6/10/2022

AGENDA ITEM:   2  

**Motion to Ratify the Issuance of Subpoenas to Personally Appear and Testify under Oath at Special Public Hearings of the Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission Regarding the Commission's Investigation into Deputy Cliques, Gangs and Exclusionary Subgroups**

WHEREAS, at the April 21, 2022 meeting of the Los Angeles County Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission (Commission), the Commission adopted a Motion authorizing the Chair or Vice-Chair of the Commission to sign subpoenas pursuant to any and all authority the Commission has to subpoena witnesses to appear and testify under oath before it;

WHEREAS, the Motion provided that such subpoenas shall be ratified by the Commission after review by the Commission's Ad Hoc Committee re Subpoena and issuance by the Commission's Chair or Vice Chair;

WHEREAS, the Commission's Ad Hoc Committee re Subpoenas reviewed and approved the issuance of each of the subpoenas for the appearance and testimony of the below named individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Chair of the Commission duly signed and issued subpoenas for each of them to appear and testify before the Commission,

Now, therefore, on motion, duly seconded, the Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission ratifies the issuance of subpoenas issued and served on:

**Larry Waldie**

**Eli Vera**

**Matthew Burson**

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Copies of the subpoenas and proofs of service of same are hereby attached and made part of the official records of the Commission.

I hereby certify that the Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission unanimously adopted and approved the foregoing motion at its June 10, 2022 special hearing.

Dated: June 10, 2022

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Brian K. Williams  
Executive Director  
Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission

**CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION**

Address: 350 S. Figueroa St., Suite 288  
Los Angeles, CA 90071  
Phone: (213) 253-5678

**SUBPOENA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE****BEFORE THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY  
SHERIFF CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION**

THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION, TO (name, address, telephone number, and email address of witness, if known):

Larry Waldie



1. **YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED, PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 25303.7 AND LOS ANGELES COUNTY CODE SECTION 3.79.190 (Measure R), TO PERSONALLY APPEAR AS A WITNESS** before the Los Angeles County Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission at the date, time, and place shown below.

a. Date: May 24, 2022

Time: 9:00 a.m.

b. Address: Loyola Law School, Robinson Auditorium

919 Albany Street, Los Angeles, CA 90015

2. **IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS SUBPOENA, INCLUDING THE DATE AND TIME SET FOR YOUR APPEARANCE OR HOW TO APPEAR VIRTUALLY, PLEASE CONTACT THE FOLLOWING PERSON BEFORE THE DATE AND TIME ON WHICH YOU ARE TO APPEAR:**

- a. Name of subpoenaing parties: Chair of the Civilian Oversight Commission, Attention: Brian Williams, Executive Director, Civilian Oversight Commission.  
b. Telephone number: 213-974-6100 or (213) 253-5678.

3. **Witness Fees**: You are entitled to witness fees and mileage actually traveled both ways, as provided by law, if you request them at the time of service. You may request them before your scheduled appearance from the person name in item 2.

**DISOBEDIENCE OF THIS SUBPOENA MAY BE PUNISHED AS CONTEMPT BY A COURT.  
YOU WILL ALSO BE LIABLE FOR THE SUM OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND  
ALL DAMAGES RESULTING FROM YOUR FAILURE TO OBEY.**

Date issued: May 6, 2022

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sean Kennedy".

Sean Kennedy  
Chair of the Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission  
County of Los Angeles  
State of California

## PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUBPOENA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE

1. I served this Subpoena for Personal Appearance by personally delivering a copy to the person served as follows:
  - a. Person served (name):
  - b. Address where served:
  
  - c. Date of delivery:
  - d. Time of delivery:
  - e. Witness fees (check one):
    - (1) ☐ were offered or demanded and paid. Amount .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_
    - (2) ☐ were not demanded or paid
  - f. Fee for service .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_
2. I received this subpoena for service on (date): \_\_\_\_\_
3. Person serving:
  - a. ☐ Not a registered California process server.
  - b. ☐ California sheriff or marshal.
  - c. ☐ Registered California process server.
  - d. ☐ Employee of independent contractor of a registered California process server
  - e. ☐ Exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22350(b)
  - f. ☐ Registered professional photocopier
  - g. ☐ Exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22451
  - h. Name, address, telephone number and, if applicable, county of registration and number

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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(Signature)

1 **PROOF OF SERVICE**

2 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

3 At the time of service, I was over 18 years of age and not a party to this action. I am  
4 employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California. My business address is 10100 Santa  
Monica Blvd., Suite 1725, Los Angeles, CA 90067.

5 On May 16, 2022, I served true copies of the following document(s) described as  
6 **SUBPOENA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE TO LARRY WALDIE** on the interested  
parties in this action as follows:

7 Alan Romero  
8 ROMERO LAW, APC  
251 S. Lake Avenue, Suite 930  
9 Pasadena, CA 91101-4873  
(626) 396-9900 Office  
10 (626) 396-9990 Facsimile  
ajr@romerolaw.com

11 **BY E-MAIL OR ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION:** I caused the document(s) to be sent to  
12 each interested party at the email addresses listed above or on the attached service list. I did not  
13 receive, within a reasonable time after the transmission, any electronic message or other indication  
that the transmission was unsuccessful.

14 **BY FEDERAL EXPRESS:** I caused the document to be delivered by Federal Express.

15 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the  
16 foregoing is true and correct.

17 Executed on May 16, 2022, at Los Angeles, California.

*Carla K. Rossi*

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Carla K. Rossi



**CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION**

Address: 350 S. Figueroa St., Suite 288  
Los Angeles, CA 90071  
Phone: (213) 253-5678

**SUBPOENA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE****BEFORE THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY  
SHERIFF CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION**

THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION, TO (name,  
address, telephone number, and email address of witness, if known):

Eli Vera



1. **YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED, PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 25303.7 AND LOS ANGELES COUNTY CODE SECTION 3.79.190 (Measure R), TO PERSONALLY APPEAR AS A WITNESS** before the Los Angeles County Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission at the date, time, and place shown below.

a. Date: May 24, 2022

Time: 9:00 a.m.

b. Address: Loyola Law School, Robinson Auditorium

919 Albany Street, Los Angeles, CA 90015

2. **IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS SUBPOENA, INCLUDING THE DATE AND TIME SET FOR YOUR APPEARANCE OR HOW TO APPEAR VIRTUALLY, PLEASE CONTACT THE FOLLOWING PERSON BEFORE THE DATE AND TIME ON WHICH YOU ARE TO APPEAR:**

- a. Name of subpoenaing parties: Chair of the Civilian Oversight Commission, Attention: Brian Williams, Executive Director, Civilian Oversight Commission.  
b. Telephone number: 213-974-6100 or (213) 253-5678.

3. **Witness Fees**: You are entitled to witness fees and mileage actually traveled both ways, as provided by law, if you request them at the time of service. You may request them before your scheduled appearance from the person name in item 2.

**DISOBEDIENCE OF THIS SUBPOENA MAY BE PUNISHED AS CONTEMPT BY A COURT.  
YOU WILL ALSO BE LIABLE FOR THE SUM OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND  
ALL DAMAGES RESULTING FROM YOUR FAILURE TO OBEY.**

Date issued: May 17, 2022

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Sean Kennedy".

Sean Kennedy  
Chair of the Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission  
County of Los Angeles  
State of California

## PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUBPOENA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE

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  - c. ☐ Registered California process server.
  - d. ☐ Employee of independent contractor of a registered California process server
  - e. ☐ Exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22350(b)
  - f. ☐ Registered professional photocopier
  - g. ☐ Exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22451
  - h. Name, address, telephone number and, if applicable, county of registration and number

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

At the time of service, I was over 18 years of age and not a party to this action. I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California. My business address is 10100 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 1725, Los Angeles, CA 90067.

On May 17, 2022, I served true copies of the following document(s) described as **SUBPOENA TO ELI VERA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE** on the interested parties in this action as follows:

**Eli Vera**  
**eliezervera21@gmail.com**

**BY E-MAIL OR ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION:** I caused the document(s) to be sent to each interested party at the email addresses listed above or on the attached service list. I did not receive, within a reasonable time after the transmission, any electronic message or other indication that the transmission was unsuccessful.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on May 17, 2022, at Los Angeles, California.



Carla K. Rossi



**CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION**  
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**SUBPOENA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE**

**BEFORE THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY  
SHERIFF CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION**

**THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT COMMISSION, TO (name, address, telephone number, and email address of witness, if known):**

Matthew Burson



- 1. YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED, PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 25303.7 AND LOS ANGELES COUNTY CODE SECTION 3.79.190 (Measure R), TO PERSONALLY APPEAR AS A WITNESS before the Los Angeles County Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission at the date, time, and place shown below.**

- a. Date: June 10, 2022 Time: 9:00 a.m.
- b. Address: Loyola Law School, Robinson Auditorium  
919 Albany Street, Los Angeles, CA 90015

- 2. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS SUBPOENA, INCLUDING THE DATE AND TIME SET FOR YOUR APPEARANCE OR HOW TO APPEAR VIRTUALLY, PLEASE CONTACT THE FOLLOWING PERSON BEFORE THE DATE AND TIME ON WHICH YOU ARE TO APPEAR:**

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ALL DAMAGES RESULTING FROM YOUR FAILURE TO OBEY.**

Date issued: May 31, 2022

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Sean Kennedy".

Sean Kennedy  
Chair of the Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission  
County of Los Angeles  
State of California

## PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUBPOENA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE

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  - c. Date of delivery:
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  - e. Witness fees (check one):
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    - (2) ☐ were not demanded or paid
  - f. Fee for service .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_
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  - b. ☐ California sheriff or marshal.
  - c. ☐ Registered California process server.
  - d. ☐ Employee of independent contractor of a registered California process server
  - e. ☐ Exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22350(b)
  - f. ☐ Registered professional photocopier
  - g. ☐ Exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22451
  - h. Name, address, telephone number and, if applicable, county of registration and number

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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(Signature)

PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUBPOENA FOR PERSONAL APPEARANCE

1. I served this Subpoena for Personal Appearance by personally delivering a copy to the person served as follows:

a. Person served (name): MATTHEW BURSON  
b. Address where served: 6218 SKYLINE LANE  
FONTANA, CA 92336

c. Date of delivery: 6/2/22  
d. Time of delivery: 7:46 AM

e. Witness fees (check one):  
(1) ☒ were offered or demanded and paid. Amount .....\$ 59.00  
(2) ☐ were not demanded or paid

f. Fee for service .....\$

2. I received this subpoena for service on (date): 6/1/22

3. Person serving:

- a. ☐ Not a registered California process server.  
b. ☐ California sheriff or marshal.  
c. ☐ Registered California process server.  
d. ☐ Employee of independent contractor of a registered California process server  
e. ☒ Exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22350(b)  
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g. ☐ Exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22451  
h. Name, address, telephone number and, if applicable, county of registration and number

J. MIKE WOLFORD  
GAILEY ASSOCIATES, INC.  
1560 BROOKHOLLOW DR  
SANTA ANA, CA 92705 #207  
714/622-1900

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: 6/2/22

J. Mike Wolford  
(Signature)