



# D1EC Board of Directors - Meeting Minutes (DRAFT)

March 4, 2026 | 6:30–8:00 PM | Location: PPB East Precinct Community Room, 737 SE 106th Ave, Portland OR & Zoom

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## 1. Call to Order & Introductions

The meeting was called to order at approximately 6:30 PM by Lin Felton.

### Attendance:

- **In-Person:** Alison Stoll (D1EC), Ronda Johnson (D1EC), Lin Felton (Argay Terrace NA), Virginia Petersen (Sumner NA), Jennifer Martin (Woodland Park NA), Elizabeth Linder (Woodland Park NA), Denell Graham (Sumner NA), Nic Luland (Sumner NA), Nathan Zilka (Centennial NA), Bob Earnest (Hazelwood NA), Shana Koalska (Wilkes NA), Karen McAninch (Sumner), Yvonne Rice (Sumner), Wayne H. Stoll (Argay Terrace), Jasmine Stoner (Mill Park NA), Reilly Benton-Collins (Mill Park NA), Jesse Dicter (PGNA), Klint Finley (Parkrose Heights NA), Sharon Y. (Hazelwood), Sabina Urdes (Avalos' Office), Malynda Valentine (Smith's Office), Emma Jenson (Dunphy's Office), Kelly Burris (Multnomah Co. Deputy DA), Nathan Vasquez (Multnomah Co. DA).
- **Zoom:** Mary Jaron Kelley (Civic Life), Patti Hall, Matt.

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## 2. Consent Agenda

- **Action Item:** Approval of March 4, 2026, Agenda.
- **Amendment:** Moved DA Nathan Vasquez's presentation before the PPB update.
- **Motion:** Lin Felton moved to accept; Elizabeth Linder seconded. **Motion passes.**

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## 3. Guest Speakers: Multnomah County District Attorney's Office

### Nathan Vasquez, District Attorney & Kelly Burris, Deputy DA

- **Office Overview:** DA Vasquez highlighted the "MAPS" program, which places Deputy DAs like Kelly Burris directly in the community to improve access and interface with neighborhoods. The office currently has 95 attorneys and processed 15,000 cases last year.

- **Crime Trends:** Homicide rates decreased from over 100 per year in 2022–23 to approximately 60 last year. Auto theft has also seen a significant drop due to the East Precinct’s Auto Theft Task Force.
- **Strategic Prosecution:**
  - **Burglary Task Force:** Launched last fall to address repeat burglaries of small businesses.
  - **Human Trafficking:** Recently secured state legislative changes to more aggressively prosecute illegal massage parlors, focusing on shutting down hubs and treating workers as victims.
- **Public Defender Crisis:** Vasquez addressed the 600 dismissed cases due to the lack of defense attorneys. He noted that the issue is often contractual rather than strictly a lack of funding, and he is working with the Oregon Public Defense Commission to bring in 5 to 9 new attorneys to address the backlog.
- **Budget Concerns:** The DA’s office is facing a potential 10% cut in the upcoming county budget. Vasquez advocated for a \$5 million increase instead to further support community-forward programs.

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## 4. Portland Police Bureau – East Precinct Update

### Sergeant John Hughes

- **Staffing:** East Precinct expects four new officers to finish probation and join the precinct in May.
- **Patrols & Technology:** \* Officers continue "beat car" patrols at the 122nd & Glisan bottle drop to increase community interaction.
  - The precinct has a new truck equipped with an **Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR)** system to identify stolen vehicles.
  - Drones are being used frequently for overhead photos on shooting calls and to assist in canine tracks.
- **Command Center:** The precinct is awaiting two new electric Mobile Command Centers to replace the current 32-year-old unit.

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## 5. Neighborhood, Committee, & Staff Reports

- **Hazelwood NA:** Reported receiving a communication dollars check from D1EC.
  - **Land Use & Transportation:** Mary Jaron Kelley reported on the BPS Housing Bonus Alignment Project and PBOT safety projects on SE Stark and SE Division.
  - **Staff Updates:** Alison Stoll noted the success of the Leadership Roundtable held at Argay Terrace. Volunteer recruitment training is ongoing, with a Zoom-only session scheduled for April.
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## 6. Announcements

- **March 5:** Human Trafficking Community Conversation at McDaniel High School.
  - **March 10:** Meet Your District 1 Councilors Town Hall (Formal) hosted by City Club.
  - **March 20:** Coffee with a Cop and Councilor Loretta Smith, 9:00–11:00 AM.
  - **March 21:** Informal Town Hall with District 1 Councilors at 14814 SE Powell Blvd, 11:00 AM–12:30 PM.
  - **April 20:** Mayor’s proposed budget to be released.
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## 7. Adjournment

- **Action Item:** Approval of minutes from December 3, 2025, and February 4, 2026.
  - **Motion:** Lin Felton moved to approve; Elizabeth Linder seconded. **Motion passes.**
  - The meeting adjourned at approximately 8:05 PM.
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