

**MPTC Committee Agenda**  
**MPTC Headquarters, Randolph**  
**Tuesday, January 21, 2025**

**Review/Approval of Minutes**

December 18, 2024 Committee Meeting Minutes.....**Tab 1**

**Police Standards**

Requests for waivers/exemptions from basic recruit training requirements.....**Tab 2**

**Temporary Waivers**

None

**Out-of-State Exemptions**

James Dawson	Burlington PD
Adam Ganz	Westwood PD
Donald Rhodes	Hinsdale PD
Joshua Aguero	Southcoast Health PD

**Bridge Exemptions**

January Exemption Lists.....**Tab 3**

**Update on Disciplinary Dismissal Appeals**

Jermaine Lewis – Boylston Academy: appeal withdrawn.

Joshua Almestica – Plymouth Academy: hearing held on 12/18/24; decision pending.

**Update on Instructor Certification Revocation Appeals**

Edmond Bussiere: hearing held on 12/17/24; decision pending.

Freddie O’Neal: hearing held on 12/17/24; decision pending.

Robert Curran: hearing held on 12/17/24; decision pending.

Ray Anair: hearing held on 12/17/24; decision pending.

Matthew Ritvo-Cabezas: hearing held on 12/17/24; decision pending.

Cory Taylor: hearing held on 12/17/24; decision pending.

Otis Harewood: hearing held on 1/15/25; decision pending.

John Stone: hearing held on 1/15/25; decision pending.

James Dugan: hearing held on 1/15/25; decision pending.

David Ostrovitz; hearing held on 1/15/25; decision pending.

**Executive Director’s Report**

FY25 Budget update

Facilities update

Farnsworth

Lydon

Recruit training update  
 In-Service and Specialized Training update  
 Bridge training update  
 ASHER/ALERT training update

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**Open Discussion for Items Not Requiring Votes**

**Old Business (items may be taken out of order)**

POST/Police Reform Updates  
 Working Group Updates  
     Academy and Buildings Review Working Group  
     Campus Police Training Programs Working Group  
     Sheriff's Training Programs Working Group  
     Fitness Working Group  
 POST LEA Certification Standards – Update  
 MPTC Regulations (550 CMR 3.00) – Revised/Updated  
 OSA Audit of MPTC  
 Cannabis Control Commission – Social Consumption

Hicks/Melander  
 Nardone  
  
 O'Brien/Melander  
 Melander  
 O'Brien.....**Tab 7**  
 Nardone.....**Tab 8**

**New Business**

Greenfield Community College – Request for Authorization  
 MPTC 0222 Legislative Report

Chief Vanasse.....**Tab 9**  
 Farnsworth/O'Brien.....**Tab 10**

**Matters not known at the time of posting that legally come before the Committee**

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