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Mayor Liccardo Announces Independent Police Auditor Selection Process

SAN JOSE—Today, San José Mayor Sam Liccardo announced the selection process to replace retiring Independent Police Auditor (IPA) Judge LaDoris Cordell. The Mayor’s Interim Budget Director, Lee Wilcox, will lead the search for the next IPA with assistance from the City’s Human Resources Department. San José residents will have multiple opportunities to express their opinion, including two community meetings.

“I thank Judge Cordell for her tremendous service to the residents of San José,” said Mayor Liccardo. “Through this community-based process we hope to find a candidate who will continue to promote accountability and strengthen the relationship between the San José Police Department and the community it serves.”

The selection process for the next IPA will play out over the next two to three months. The Mayor’s Office will be hosting two community meetings where stakeholders can provide input:

When: Monday, April 27th at 6:30 p.m.
Where: Mayfair Community Center
2039 Kammerer Ave.
San Jose, CA 95116

When: Thursday, April 30th at 7:00 p.m.
Where: City Hall Wing 118-120
200 E. Santa Clara St.
San Jose, CA 95113

The results of the community meetings will be used to develop a workplan and candidate profile. Recruiting materials will be published in early May with panel interviews occurring shortly after. Finally, the Mayor and City Council will appoint the new IPA in late June or early July.

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