



To: Administrator Carol Mitten, Assistant City Attorney Michelle Brooks

From: Benjamin E. Gehrt

Date: October 30, 2020

Re: "Personal Knowledge" Requirement for CPRB Complaints

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In response to your inquiry, below is my opinion on whether under its current ordinance the CPRB can accept complaints that are not based upon personal knowledge.

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I. [REDACTED]

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- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]

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**II.** [REDACTED]

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I hope this opinion is helpful to the City while it grapples with the challenging issues of social justice and police reform. Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.