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Secretary Stacy Youngblood,

In April of 2023, the Police Commission voted unanimously in favor of DGO 9.07, a comprehensive policy to prohibit racially-biased traffic stops in San Francisco. Nearly a year later, with the meet and confer process over, it is time for you to unanimously approve and implement the policy.

This DGO process has been refreshingly open to the public. There were 11 public meetings, listening sessions, and presentations held at various locations throughout the city. The Commission's website has a dedicated link placed prominently on the homepage that contains each draft of the policy, notes from the Human Rights Committee's listening sessions, relevant traffic stop data, comparable policies from other jurisdictions, reports from the Center for Policing Equity, and recommended changes from various interested parties.

This transparency must continue as the Commission and the Department transition to implementing this vital policy. The policy's reporting requirements should result in as much open discussion and sharing of information as the policy's creation.

San Francisco mirrors the state and nation in over-policing communities of color via pretextual stops. To address this recurring problem, I am asking you to vote to approve DGO 9.07 and maintain the degree of transparency through the policy's implementation period and beyond.

Thank you,

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