

# FREQUENTLY CALLED NUMBERS

## City of Detroit

Mayor's Office ..... 313-224-3400  
 City Council ..... 313-224-3443  
 City Clerk ..... 313-224-3270

**Board of Police Commissioners ..... 313-596-1830**  
**Complaints against Police/DPD Staff ... 313-596-2499**

Police/Fire/Health Emergency ..... 911  
 Police Telephone Crime Reporting ..... 313-267-4600  
 • Chief of Police ..... 313-596-1800  
 • Detroit Detention Center ..... 313-596-2242  
 • Prisoner Info Hotline ..... 313-267-4601  
 • Detroit Police Victim Assistance ..... 313-833-1660  
 • Vehicle Tows/impoundments ..... 313-596-8832  
 • Abandoned Vehicles ..... Use **Improve Detroit** app  
 or **Report to Precinct**

• Downtown Services ..... 313-237-2850  
 • 2nd Precinct ..... 313-596-5200  
 • 3rd Precinct ..... 313-596-5300  
 • 4th Precinct ..... 313-596-5400  
 • 5th Precinct ..... 313-596-5500  
 • 6th Precinct ..... 313-596-5600  
 • 7th Precinct ..... 313-596-5700  
 • 8th Precinct ..... 313-596-5800  
 • 9th Precinct ..... 313-596-5900  
 • 10th Precinct ..... 313-596-1000  
 • 11th Precinct ..... 313-596-1100  
 • 12th Precinct ..... 313-596-1200

Animal Control ..... 313-922-DOGS (3647)  
 Board of Ethics ..... 313-224-9521

### Buildings, Safety, Engineering & Environmental

• Main ..... 313-224-2733  
 • Business License ..... 313-224-3179  
 • Dangerous Buildings ..... 313-224-3215  
 • Environmental Affairs ..... 313-471-5115  
 D-DOT ..... 313-933-1300 or 313-224-4400

Employment (City Jobs) ..... [www.detroitmi.gov](http://www.detroitmi.gov)  
 Finance Department

• Citizen Tax Help Center ..... 313-224-3315  
 • Property Tax Division ..... 313-224-3560  
 Illegal Dumping ..... 313-267-4600  
 Institute for Population Health ..... 313-309-9350  
 • COVID/Diseases/HIV ..... 313-876-4000  
 Inspector General ..... 313-964-TIPS (8477)  
 Municipal Parking ..... 313-221-2500  
 Ombudsman Office ..... 313-224-6000

Parks & Recreation ..... 313-224-1100  
 Potholes/Sidewalk/Street Repair ..... 313-224-0033  
 Street Light Outage/Installation ..... 313-324-8290  
 Trash Pickup (weekly & bulk)  
 • Westside ..... 844-233-8764  
 • Eastside & Southwest ..... 844-464-3587  
 Tree Removal (Emergency) ..... 313-871-5461  
 • 24-Hour Line ..... 313-590-3336  
 Traffic Signal (outage/malfunction) ..... 313-267-4100  
 Water Main Break ..... 313-267-7401  
 Water Bill Assistance (WRAP) ..... 313-267-8000

## Community Programs

CrimeStoppers ..... 1 800-Speak UP 800-773-2587  
 THAW (Heat Assistance) ..... 800-866-8429  
 United Way of Southeast Michigan ..... 211  
 Community Help Line ..... 311  
 Birth/Death Certificates ..... 313-224-0270  
 Mental Health/Opioid Crisis/Trauma ..... 988

## Civilian Public Safety Training Programs

CERT Community Emergency Response Team  
 ..... 313-596-2590  
 Citizens Police (DPD) Academy ..... 313-596-2520

## WEBSITE/APPS



**Commissioner Darryl Woods • At-Large**  
**313-938-2408 • [Darryl.Woods1@detroitmi.gov](mailto:Darryl.Woods1@detroitmi.gov)**

### BOPC Administration

Detroit Public Safety Headquarters  
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 313-596-1830 • [bopc@detroitmi.gov](mailto:bopc@detroitmi.gov)

### BOPC Office of the Chief Investigator

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**POLICE COMMISSIONER**

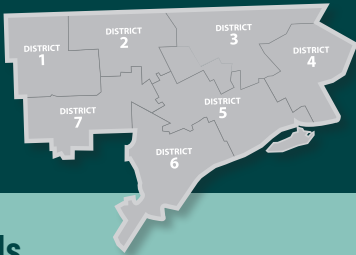
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WOODS**



**BOARD OF  
Police Commissioners**

ACCOUNTABILITY THROUGH CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT

## POLICE COMMISSIONER Darryl Woods



### Darryl Woods

became a minister while serving a life sentence without the possibility of parole.

During 29 years in prison, he started programs to reduce parolee recidivism and the school-to-prison pipeline. His work led thousands to transform their lives. He chaired the NAACP Detroit Branch Prison Program Committee and served on the Chance for Life Board before Gov. Rick Snyder commuted his sentence in 2018.

Police Commissioner Woods continues to inspire youth and others through his story to show anyone can rebuild their lives – and commit to building the community around them. On any given day, you might find him speaking at events; urban planning with politicians, billionaires and pastors; or working with judges, the FBI, DEA, US Attorney Office, and others on public safety.

Since his release, he has worked with Mitch Albom SAY Detroit and Growth Works. He served on the State Appellate Defenders Commission and the Detroit Wayne Integrated Health Network's Substance Use Disorder Board. He is a licensed Elder at Greater Grace Temple and the founder and CEO of Fighting the Good Fight LLC.

Police Commissioner Woods joined the Board in January 2024 after appointment by the Mayor to a five-year term and confirmation by the City Council.

# About the Detroit Board of Police Commissioners

## The Board of Police Commissioners

(BOPC) is comprised of 11 members. Seven (7) are elected by districts like City Council members, and four (4) are at-large mayoral appointees approved by the Council. All 11 Board members serve without compensation as a vital civilian board to help ensure police powers and practices comply with Constitutional protections and community policing standards.

The 1974 City Charter first established a civilian oversight board. The BOPC derives its current powers and duties from the 2012 Charter, which strengthened independent, citizen oversight.

**Authority:** The Board has supervisory control and oversight of the Police Department.

**Meeting Schedule:** The Board is required to meet at least once each week but may vote to recess during the Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year holidays. All meetings are held in accordance with the Open Meetings Act.

## Specific Duties:

- Establish policies, rules and regulations in consultation with the Chief of Police, and with the approval of the Mayor
- Review and approve the departmental budget before its submission to the Mayor
- Receive and resolve any complaint concerning the operation of the Police Department except those involving criminality
- Act as final authority in imposing or reviewing discipline of employees of the department
- Make an annual report to the Mayor, the City Council, and the public of the department's activities during the previous year, including the handling of crime and complaints, and of future plans

## Other Board Responsibilities:

**Staff\*:** The Board appoints a Board Secretary and a Chief Investigator, along with other investigators to handle citizen complaints against police/DPD.

**Chief of Police:** Whenever the Chief of Police position becomes vacant, the Board is responsible for conducting a professional search to identify qualified candidates. The Board submits a list of the final candidates to the Mayor, who makes the appointment subject to City Council approval.

**Police Personnel:** The Board appoints a civilian as Director of Police Personnel. The Board also approves all promotions made within the Police Department.

**Office of the Chief Investigator (OCI):** OCI investigates citizen complaints against police and other DPD staff and reports findings to the Board.

Contact OCI to file a complaint against police officers or any other Police Department employee:



313-596-2499



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The Board of Police Commissioners meets weekly on Thursday at 3 p.m. at Detroit Public Safety Headquarters, 1301 Third Street, except for the second Thursday of the month when the BOPC holds community meetings at 6:30 p.m. at various locations. The BOPC may hold committee meetings. For meeting schedules, videos, Zoom ID and other information, visit

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\* All Board appointments are civilian and serve at the pleasure of the Board.