



Memorandum

TO: CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Mayor Sam Liccardo

SUBJECT: STATEMENT OF POLICY
AND QUESTIONS FOR THE
PROSPECTIVE CHIEF OF
POLICE.

DATE: 01/26/21

APPROVED:

DATE: 1/25/21

RECOMMENDATION

1. Direct the City Manager to include the following questions, or substantially similar questions, in the battery posed to each candidate:
 - 1) You're about to take over the reins of one of the most thinly staffed major-city police department in the nation. Can you please provide some very specific examples of how you plan to utilize technology and data as a "force multiplier" to better serve our community?
 - 2) Our residents call SJPD to respond to thousands of concerns relating to encampments and members of our unhoused community. How do we best respond to those calls in light of our resource constraints?