# POLICE REFORM AND CHANGING POLICE CULTURE

A conversation with leadership

# May 15, 2017

## **PANELISTS:**



Norm Stamper Former Chief of Police, Seattle Police Department



William "Bill" Scott Chief of Police, San Francisco Police Department



Malia Cohen Supervisor, representing San Francisco's 10th District



**Suzy Loftus**Former President,
San Francisco Police
Commission



Thomas "Tippy" Mazzucco Vice President, San Francisco Police Commission





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At the event, time will permit questions through the facilitator from the audience and by email for those watching. To submit a question, email editor@sfbar.org.



# **EVENT DETAILS:**

May 15, 2017

Time:

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

**Location:** 

The Bar Association of San Francisco 301 Battery Street, Third Floor San Francisco, CA 94111

Cost:

Free, but registration is required

Register at:

www.sfbar.org/calendar

Space is limited - Register early!



The event will be live streamed.

At the date and time of the event, watch the live stream at youtu.be/RzGjrOj52hk or visit sfgov.tv.org.





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# **SPEAKER BIOS:**



#### **Norm Stamper**

Norm Stamper was a police officer for 34 years, the first 28 in San Diego, the last six (from 1994-2000) as Seattle's police chief. He has a Ph.D. in leadership and human behavior and is the author of two books: Breaking Rank: A Top Cop's Exposé of the Dark Side of American Policing and To Protect and Serve: How to Fix America's Police.



#### **Suzy Loftus**

Suzy Loftus is a veteran former prosecutor and a leading authority on criminal justice reform and crime prevention. An experienced executive, Suzy led the San Francisco Police Commission and served as General Counsel of the California Department of Justice, the nation's second-largest public law office. Suzy served as President of the San Francisco Police Commission from 2012-2017.



### William "Bill" Scott

San Francisco Police Chief William "Bill" Scott was sworn in by Mayor Edwin M. Lee on January 23, 2017. Chief Scott joins SFPD after serving 27 years in the Los Angeles Police Department. He rose through the ranks to become Deputy Chief of LAPD's South Bureau after being promoted to Commander in 2012.



#### **Malia Cohen**

Supervisor Cohen was elected in November 2010 and re-elected in November 2014 to represent the residents of San Francisco's 10th District, including the Bayview Hunters Point, Potrero Hill, Dogpatch, and Visitacion Valley neighborhoods. Supervisor Cohen serves as Chair of the Board of Supervisors Budget and Finance Committee, which oversees revenue measures for the City. Sup. Cohen has been the foremost Supervisor in advocating for police reform, including her creation of the Department of Police Accountability and overseeing implementation of the Dept. of Justices nearly 400 recommendations for SFPD.



#### Yolanda Jackson

Yolanda M. Jackson is the Executive Director and General Counsel of The Bar Association of San Francisco (BASF) and The Justice & Diversity Center (JDC). Jackson leads two organizations that focus on excellence in the legal profession, promoting humanity and cultivating diversity and equality in the legal profession (BASF); they advance fairness and equality by providing pro bono legal services to low-income people and also educational programming to foster diversity in the legal profession (JDC).



## Thomas "Tippy" Mazzucco

Thomas Mazzucco is the Vice President of the San Francisco Police Commission, currently serving his third term. A partner at Murphy Pearson Bradley & Feeney, Mr. Mazzucco served as an Assistant United States Attorney for the Northern District of California for nine years and as an Assistant District Attorney for the City and County of San Francisco for ten years.