

CITY OF OAKLAND  
PUBLIC ETHICS COMMISSION  
One Frank Ogawa Plaza (City Hall)  
Room 104  
Oakland, CA 94612



**NOTICE OF PUBLIC ETHICS COMMISSION**  
**ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING**

**In the Matter of Anthony Harbaugh; PEC Case No. 18-11.** In October 2016, during the course of a pro-active investigation into allegations of bribery and misuse of position by a building inspector, Commission Staff found that an additional City building inspector, Anthony Harbaugh, committed, participated in, or aided and abetted Thomas Espinosa in committing multiple violations of the Oakland Government Ethics Act, including the following: soliciting and receiving bribes; making, and seeking to use his official position to influence, governmental decisions in which he had a disqualifying financial interest; misusing City resources for personal financial gain; misusing his City position to induce/coerce others for economic gain; and failing to report significant income from individuals with matters before him as a City building inspector. Between January 2015 and December 2016, Harbaugh actively participated in and assisted in the execution of another building inspector's unlawful permit approvals and bribery scheme. The Commission directed staff to schedule the matter for an administrative hearing for a full adjudication of the facts and law. The hearing is scheduled as follows:

**Hearing Date:** November 18, 2020  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m.  
**Location:** Zoom Meeting  
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The hearing will be public, and members of the public will have an opportunity to make public comments.

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Date



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