

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

July 20, 2012

AGENDA ITEM NO.: **2**

Action Requested: APPROVE

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE DISCUSSION AND ACTIONS

Meeting of May 18, 2012

1. ROLL CALL

Chair Mark Lewis (East County) called the Public Safety Committee (PSC) meeting to order at 1:00 p.m. Roll call was taken and a quorum was present. See last page for attendance.

2. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

Action: Upon a motion by Director of Transit Systems Security Bill Burke (Regional Transit) and a second by Vice Chairman Greg Cox (County of San Diego), the minutes of April 20, 2012, were unanimously approved.

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS/MEMBER COMMENTS

Councilmember Rosalie Zarate (South County) announced that National City is having their 125th Anniversary of their city this year.

REPORTS

4. REPORT FROM THE SAN DIEGO COUNTY FIRE CHIEFS ASSOCIATION (INFORMATION)

Chief Dave Hanneman, San Diego County Fire Chiefs Association, reported on the May 3, 2012, meeting of the San Diego County Fire Chiefs Association.

Action: This item was presented for information.

5. CRIME IN THE SAN DIEGO REGION 1982 - 2011 (INFORMATION)

As part of a cooperative agreement with local law enforcement agencies, the Criminal Justice Research Division compiles regional violent and property crime statistics on a semi-annual basis to track changes and trends in crime rates and numbers. This information is useful in determining how crime varies across jurisdictions and how it is impacted by prevention and enforcement strategies. Thirty years of crime trend data from the region (1982 through 2011) was presented, including violent and property crime rates and numbers for the nation, region, and local jurisdictions.

Dr. Cynthia Burke, Division Director, Applied Policy Research/Criminal Justice Research, presented this item.

Action: This item was presented for information.

6. PUBLIC SAFETY FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE UPDATE (INFORMATION)

Periodic status reports on legislative activities are provided to the PSC during the year. This status report provides an update of federal public safety-related legislative activities, including an update on the Administration's proposed FY 2013 Federal Budget for the Department of Commerce and Homeland Security, the National Preparedness Grant Program and recent developments to improve interoperable communications for public safety.

Genevieve Morales (SANDAG) presented this item.

Action: This item was presented for information.

7. INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN UPDATE (INFORMATION)

An update was provided on recent efforts by the Internet Crimes Against Children initiative, including the introduction of soon-to-be-released Public Service Announcements, legislative efforts, and an effort to build a regional database to capture data for law enforcement purposes.

Chief David Ott (City of Solana Beach and Del Mar Fire Departments) and Councilmember Rebecca Jones (North County Inland) presented an overview of this information.

Action: This item was presented for information.

8. SAN DIEGO REGION GRAFFITI TRACKER PILOT PROJECT: OVERVIEW OF EVALUATION FINDINGS (INFORMATION/POSSIBLE ACTION)

In January 2011, a regional pilot project, the San Diego County Multi-Discipline Graffiti Abatement Program, was launched with the goal of utilizing technology (Graffiti Tracker) to better document graffiti and identify and convict the most prolific offenders through a coordinated regional effort. To ensure that this project was documented and the region's policy makers had a clear understanding of the usefulness of the system, SANDAG provided resources to conduct a process and outcome evaluation of this effort. An overview of the evaluation findings will be provided.

Dr. Burke provided the update on this item.

Action: Upon a motion by Vice Chairman Cox and a second by Sheriff William D. Gore (San Diego County Sheriff), the PSC recommended that the SANDAG Board of Directors have SANDAG staff work with the County to extend the Graffiti regional pilot program for an additional 12 months, encourage the Cities of Escondido and Oceanside to get on the contract to expire on June 30, 2013, and direct SANDAG staff to provide options for transitioning the pilot program to an on-going regional program before June 30, 2013.

9. UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next meeting of the PSC is scheduled for Friday, June 15, 2012.

10. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Lewis adjourned the Public Safety Committee meeting at 2:25 p.m.

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
CONFIRMED ATTENDANCE - May 18, 2012**

JURISDICTION	NAME	MEMBER/ ALTERNATE	ATTEND YES/NO	Attended By
East County	Hon. Mark Lewis-Chair	Member	YES	
	Hon. Bill Wells	Alternate	YES	
North County Coastal	Hon. Jack Feller	Member	NO	
	Hon. Kristin Gaspar	Alternate	NO	
South County	Hon. Cheryl Cox-Vice Chair	Member	YES	
	Hon. Rosalie Zarate	Alternate	YES	
North County Inland	Hon. Rebecca Jones	Member	YES	
	Hon. Dave Cowles	Alternate	NO	
City of San Diego	Hon. Marti Emerald	Member	YES	
	Hon. Todd Gloria	Alternate	YES	
County of San Diego	Vice Chairman Greg Cox	Member	YES	
	Supervisor Bill Horn	1 st Alternate	NO	
	Supervisor Pam Slater-Price	2 nd Alternate	NO	
State Public Safety	Chief Jim Abele	Member	NO	
	Assistant Chief Esmeralda Falat	Alternate	NO	
County Chiefs'/Sheriff's Association	Chief John Bolduc	Member	YES	
	Chief John L. Browning	Member	YES	
	Chief Adolfo Gonzales	Alternate	NO	
	Chief David Bejarano	Alternate	NO	
San Diego Police Department	Chief William M. Lansdowne	Member	YES	
	Ex. Assistant Chief David Ramirez	Alternate	NO	
County Sheriff	Sheriff William D. Gore	Member	YES	
	Undersheriff Ed Prendergast	Alternate	NO	
Homeland Security	Holly Crawford	Member	YES	
	Donna Faller	Alternate	YES	
Regional Fire/Emergency Medical Services	Chief Dave Hanneman	Member	YES	
	Chief Tony Michel	Alternate	NO	
San Diego County District Attorney	Bonnie Dumanis	Member	NO	
	Paula Robinson	Alternate	YES	
Regional Transit Services	Bill Burke	Member	YES	
	Tom Zoll	Alternate	NO	
ADVISORY MEMBERS				
County Public Safety	Mack Jenkins	Member	NO	
	Yvette Klepin	Alternate	YES	
Department of Defense	Colonel Nicholas Marano	Member	NO	
	Joseph Stuyvesant	Alternate	YES	
Federal Public Safety	Michael J. Aguilar	Member	NO	
	John A. Garzon	1 st Alternate	NO	Joel Mata, Jr.
	Laura E. Duffy	2 nd Alternate	NO	
	Bill Sherman	Member	NO	Gary Hill
	Steven Stafford	1 st Alternate	YES	
	Eric Birnbaum	2 nd Alternate	YES	
Southern CA Tribal Chairmen's Association (SCTCA)	Stephanie Spencer	Member	YES	
	LaVonne Peck	Alternate	NO	