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MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CRIME PREVENTION COMMITTEE

Wednesday, July 10, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

City Hall – Hillside Conference Room
10890 San Pablo Ave, El Cerrito

This Meeting Place is Wheelchair Accessible

7:00 p.m. CONVENE REGULAR MEETING Chair Takimoto called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL – Present: Chair Marty Takimoto; Members Jim Dolgonas, Rosa Esquivel & Gene Go. **Absent:** Members Mollie Hazen & Vice Chair Bruce Yow. **Public:** Susan Duncan & Paul Duncan, Cordell Hindler & Christian Thiel. **Staff Liaison:** Sergeant Ian Wong

1. Review and approve minutes as amended from June 12, 2019 meeting.
Motion: Dolgonas, Second: Go
Aye: Go, Dolgonas & Takimoto
Nay: None
Abstentions: Esquivel

2. COUNCIL AND STAFF LIAISON REPORTS

Detective Sergeant Wong provided the committee with an update for National Night Out which is scheduled for August 6th. Detective Sergeant Wong also discussed the recent theft from vehicle cases.

3. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

Cordell Hindler spoke about involving more juveniles and providing refreshments to draw prospective members. Additionally, Hindler reminded the committee about the Contra Costa County Mayors Conference on September 5th, 2019 which will be held in San Pablo.

Christian Thiel discussed AB 392 and the possible future implications it will have on police officers and their training.

4. Neighborhood Watch Subcommittee

The committee discussed various ways to gain more exposure through other community groups.

5. Membership Recruitment

Members discussed the roles of the CPC and the City to recruit new members.

6. Upcoming Events

Members Go and Esquivel will be accompanying city staff and members of the ECPD as they visit National Night Out parties on August 6th.

7. Committee Chair and Vice Chair Elections

Motion to table the matter for next month's meeting Go, Second: Esquivel

Aye: Go, Dolgonas, Esquivel & Takimoto

Nay: None

Abstentions: None

8. EC Fire Safe Presentation

Sue and Paul Duncan discussed EC Fire Safe and its goal of fire hazard mitigation and emergency preparedness. Sue and Paul discussed some of the fire dangers within EC and their proposed actions. The committee discussed the possibility of teaming up with EC Fire Safe to show how vegetation management minimizes fire hazards and reduces crime.

9. Future Agenda Items

-ECPD's Annual Report presentation

-Chair and Vice Chair elections.


-ECPD's driving under the influence checkpoint update

10. ADJOURNMENT The meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.



Matty Takimoto, Chair

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the regular Crime Prevention Committee meeting of July 10, 2019 as approved by the Crime Prevention Committee.



Ian Wong, Staff Liaison