

Mar Vista Community Council's Safety and Security Committee

Thursday, October 28, 2010 at 7pm

Coffee Connection @ 3838 S. Centinela (corner of Venice Blvd. & Centinela Ave.)

Agenda

Call to Order

Review and Approval of Minutes

News and Information from Co-Chairs: Rob and Bill

LAPD/CPAB Report

- LAPD Pacific Station Halloween/Open House 10/29-10/31
- Santa Sleigh Stops in Mar Vista
- Pacific Winter Wonderland Toy Drive
- Video Surveillance Database Project
- SLO Summit Follow Up

Mar Vista Block Captain Programs by Zone/Basic Car/SLO

- Rose Ave
- Pacific Ave
- OTHERS?

Old Business:

- Neighborhood Watch/Block Captain Development Program
 - Outreach to Neighborhood Assoc Presidents and Block Captain/CERT Coordinators
 - Neighborhood Watch Signs - Update
- Pacific LAPD Station – Haunted Open House – October 29,30,31
 - Open House is Oct 30th from 11am-2pm
 - Possible Outreach Opportunity
- Issues of Concern/Interest
 - Pacific Ave Shooting and Graffiti
 - Break In at MV Library and Homeless Encampment
 - Retirement of SLO Thomas Wickes (retired), Heidi Ilanes (anticipated retirement), Peggy Thusing (promotion to Sgt. Likely)
 - Burglary Theft from Motor Vehicles (BTMV)
 - Venice Bikini Bar (Zacatecas)
 - LAPD use of Reverse 911
 - LAUSD Automated Phone Notification System
- BTMV – Theft of valuables from cars “Leave It, Lose It” Posters
- Venice NC Public Safety Program – “Lights, Camera, Action – Securing your Home”
- Pacific CPAB Video Surveillance Database program
 - Identify current use of video surveillance camera systems in private residences and businesses.
 - Assess willingness of owners to provide LAPD access to cameras during the investigation of possible criminal activities.
- MVCC Support of LAPD/LAFD Annual Events Update

New Business with possible funding motions:

- **Funding Motion to Purchase Sign mounting/posting equipment for Neighborhood Watch signs**
 - **Band It Kit - \$400**
 - See handout for cost comparisons
 - Location and installation of specific signs to be coordinated with LAPD Senior Lead Officers
- Support for Pacific LAPD Winter Wonderland Event
 - **Funding motion to provide \$1,000 to augment event costs**
 - Possible sponsorship of Tents/Awnings
 - Snowmaking Services
 - OTHER
- Santa Sleigh Ride Outreach and Flyers
 - **Funding motion to print flyers and signs - \$150**
- Increasing Committee participation
 - Outreach to neighborhood groups
- Discussion of Emergency/Timely Notification Systems of incidents and Issues by residents to one another
 - How do stakeholders notify each other of an immediate threat or issue?
 - Phone Trees, Email Lists, emerging technological solutions?
- Map Your Neighborhood Program (Neighborhood Watch/Emergency Prep Program from Washington State)
 - WRAC Support for this program
 - Future Funding Request – COSTS TO BE DETERMINED

Block Captain Reports

Public Comment

Adjourn