

**MINUTES
SANTEE COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING COMMITTEE
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
10601 MAGNOLIA AVENUE, SANTEE, CA 92071
February 8, 2021**

A Regular meeting of the Santee Community Oriented Policing Committee (COMPOC) was called to order by Mayor John Minto at 2:03 p.m.

1. ROLL CALL:

Committee Members Present

John W. Minto, Mayor
Marlene Best, City Manager
Lt. Steve Bodine, Santee Sheriff's Department
Julia Diaz, Crime Prevention Specialist Santee Sheriff's Department
Nadia Binderup, Santee Sheriff's Department
Kristen Dare, Santee Chamber of Commerce
David Shorey, Institute for Public Strategies
Jean Duffy, CASA/Santee Solutions Coalition
Troy P. Owens, Pastor-New Life Church
Mike Aiken, Citizen at Large
Linda Roach, Citizen at Large
Dr. Mark Foreman, PsyD, Citizen at Large

Staff Present:

Anne Morrison, City of Santee

Guest

Dean Ambrosini, Prevention Specialist, Institute for Public Strategies

2. APPROVAL OF THE January 11, 2021 REGULAR MEETING MINUTES:

ACTION: On motion of Linda Roach and seconded by David Shorey the committee voted to approve the January 11, 2021, regular meeting minutes with revision to adjournment time to 3:13 p.m., which carried by the following roll call vote: John Minto: Aye; Marlene Best: Aye; Lt. Steve Bodine: Aye, David Shorey: Aye, Jean Duffy: Aye, Troy P. Owens: Aye; Mike Aiken: Aye; Linda Roach: Aye, Dr. Mark Foreman: Aye – 9

Absent: Mike Olander (Santee School District representative), Robin Ballarin, April Baker, (West Hills High School representatives), Tim Schwuchow, Larry Oedewaldt, (Santana High School representatives), Meredith Riffel (Santee Collaborative) Brenda Joyce (BJ) Forbus (Citizen at large) – 5
Kristen Dare (Arrived late) - 1

3. UPDATES ON NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH AND CRIME PREVENTION EVENTS:

Lt. Steve Bodine introduced Julia Diaz, the new Crime Prevention Specialist. Julia greeted the committee and stated that a primary focus of her position will be focused on DEI she also gave an overview of her position duties. Julia and Lt. Bodine reported:

- See Sheriffs website www.SDsheriff.net for information regarding a way for citizens to text 911 to get the helicopter announcement information.
- Information regarding dispatch times, vehicle burglaries, red light camera public service announcements.
- Report concerns directly to Sheriffs Department instead of on social media.

Discussion was held. John Minto stated he would like a regular report on Hate crimes/incidents.

4. Fentanyl/opioid issues in San Diego County – Institute for Public Strategies

Dean Ambrosini, Prevention Specialist, Institute for Public Strategies gave a power point presentation regarding the topic. A discussion was held, questions regarding law enforcement exposure were asked.

5. DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION (DEI) Update: David Shorey, stated the subcommittee presented to the city council on January 13, 2021 and the council adopted the recommendations, city staff will implement. Also, some of the subcommittee members reached out to ECBIPOC and informed them of that the city is moving forward and encouraged their involvement. He thanked the Mayor for his support for the DEI action plan and being the driving force behind it. Marlene Best thanked the subcommittee for their presentation at city council. Next steps will include requesting funding for possible consultants at the midyear budget adjustment which is an item at the February 24, 2021 council meeting. Town hall dates and format and presentation will be looked into next. Unconscious bias training is being implemented for city staff.

6.COMMUNICATION FROM COMMITTEE AND STAFF MEMBERS:

Mike Aiken inquired regarding how to better hear the Sheriff helicopter messages. Lt. Bodine stated you can text HELO to 858-866-4356 and the message will be texted to you. Marlene stated that the city will do a Facebook post also to inform the public.

David Shorey inquired what the reporting and information distribution process is when a hate incident is reported to the Sheriff's Department. Lt. Bodine responded.

7. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC: None

8. NEXT COMPOC MEETING DATE:

The committee will meet on March 8, 2021.

Topic: TBD &
DEI update

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 3:01 p.m.

Date Approved:


Anne Morrison, Recreation Services Manager