



# Public Safety Committee Minutes

Monday, January 9, 2017 7:00pm  
Robertson Recreation Center  
1641 Preuss Rd., Los Angeles, CA 90035

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## I. Call to Order and Roll Call

Chair (Michael Lynn) called the meeting to order at 7:15pm.

**Board Committee Members Present:** Michael Lynn, Beth Hirsh, Gary Kasbarian, michoel Bloom

**Community Committee Members Present:** Daniel Braum

**Committee Members Absent:** Kenneth Lowenstein, Robin Braun

**Stakeholders and Guests:** Sheina Gilbert, Matthew Kirk, Rabbi Yonah Bookstein

## II. General Public Comment

Mike Lynn: another big Thank you to Sheina Gilbert from The Pizza Station for bring pizza to our meeting!!

PSC meetings will continue to be held at rec center until at least June...

Several community members brought up a situation where an individual has illegally opened up a 68-unit rental at 8775 Olympic, has previously been involved in several illegal activities and fraud, as well as physical intimidation, assault and other crimes.

Sheina: noted that cars are running right through the crossing light at pico and crest, Mike: noted the same at Saywer and Sherbourne/Bedford. - will discuss further during LAPD agendized item.

Beth: announced that starting Jan 22, SORO, Microsoft and Robertson public library will be starting a computer literacy program, more info can be found on SORO website.

## III. Old Business

Crime Report- December (see attachment)

LAPD Report: Senior Lead Officer Matt Kirk- area crime has gotten better, with residential burglaries still being predominant (with easy access) ... otherwise, package thefts, bicycle thefts, GTA all down...Surprisingly, various LAPD sting operations did not snag anyone.

14 Robberies in wla, one at WSS shoes (Sawyer and La Cienega), one assault on Corning (family dispute) ... 1 road rage incident. aggravated assault on Olin and Bedfor involving the brandishing of a shotgun. The stats for SORO are very good compared to rest of City

Mike: request to have W Traffic run stings at Pico/Crest and Sherbourne/Sawyer

Emergency Preparedness (EP) Report:  
-none-

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Coffee With A Cop Recap: Great takedown by the gang unit on outstanding warrant!

Feedback: Configuration made it difficult to move, more lead time and possibly do outside. Definite LAPD and community interest to have more CWAC events. Discussions were very frank- LAPD were very approachable...

Led to another LAPD community mtg with Reynier Village Neighborhood Association on the 17<sup>th</sup> of Jan, 7-9pm community room at Westminster Presbyterian Church

Certificate of appreciation for Coffee Bean- Michoel will handle

Homeless Count Update: Postings have begun, emails go out this week, we need to plan food, meeting with LAHSA Friday at 11am, need to get the word out, need 40 volunteers

Car Seat check event: best date to target is for march 5, Michoel will make sure everything is secured by the general board meeting. Working group with Michoel, Beth, Daniel

#### **IV. New Business**

Mike: Been getting several complaints from the community as to why LAPD isn't enforcing ordinance violations (park, illegal vending, loud ice cream truck after hours, etc.)? SLO Kirk responded that they have been... ice cream truck has been cited at beginning of school year.

Matt promised to be responsive, follow up with Officer Velos (taking over for Mario) to do same at crime control meeting.

CA CPR- Mandatory to Graduate High School Law is already signed to go in effect 2018/19.

Next Meeting is scheduled for Mon. February 6<sup>th</sup>. Any motions or topics need to be submitted by February 1<sup>st</sup>.

#### **V. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35pm