



# Public Safety Committee Minutes

Monday, February 6, 2017, 7:05pm

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, Gary Kasbarian, Alexander Mosby, Beth Hirsch

**Community Committee Members Present:** Daniel Braum

**Committee Members Absent:** Kenneth Lowenstein, Robin Braun, Michael Bloom,  
**Stakeholders and Guests:** Matthew Kirk LAPD, ChinThammasaengsri, Thomas Gikas LAFD, Baila Romm, Sheina Gilbert, Amy Haberland

## II. General Public Comment

Mike Lynn: Regarding PSC Meetings, we can meet at rec center through May- after that we need to find a new location. Possible locations include Library, Fu's Palace, and will look for others.

Thomas Gikas: Sunday 2/12 is the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual fun run 10k from the Grove

Matt Kirk: Change in law- sleeping in vehicle (see flyer)... Citizen police academy- see flyer

Luke: going away party for the park in April, will follow up with details

## III. Old Business

Crime Report- January (see attachment)

LAPD Report: Senior Lead Officer Matt Kirk- Shooting at Guthrie and Sherburne... 3 people hit, 1 died at hospital (was gang member in area)..2 others are in hospital were targeted. OWB detectives are handling investigation, and will relay info to WLAPD with information... looking for videos, graffiti, other evidence so they can make arrest(s). Will run info through PSC. All extra resources will be in area. Appreciates all the graffiti info that the community submits to him, and sends over to gang unit. Shooting looks like it was on foot, rather than drive-by.

Amy: 8751 Guthrie been getting a lot of graffiti and trash dumping- adding to the problem in area. Green gate alleyway full of garage. Need to find out how to get opened up and cleaned up. Matt will look into how to get opened up.

Lt Allan Schubert is taking over for Lt Gina Brooks. [westlagangs@lapd.online](mailto:westlagangs@lapd.online) to send gang related graffiti and info ... send to officer Edna Velos for crimes in Mario's area.... West Side Loco's increase in gang tagging.

Remainder of crime is more general theft, burglary, theft from vehicles

213-485-2600 to get info on helicopter activity

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## Emergency Preparedness (EP) Report:

LAFD: Gikas: 58 is due to get Nurse Practitioner Unit (name to be modified)... a different model to a long term solution to “super users” within the ems system. Meant for chronic users, housing 1 paramedic and 1 practitioner to provide more in-house services. Should help alive the “wait time” at the ER for the paramedics. The response distance has been extended for basic life support calls from 5 miles to 7 miles for non-life threatening calls. Have a better medical tracking system to separate out the those who don't really need the ER. Should be end of March.

CHIN: PEPC: palms teen cert class week of April 10-14, four days of teen CERT, and Red Cross class CPR, AED at Hamilton High, CERT Capt Christopher Winn will be meeting with students and staff on 2/14. Might come to SORO for funding.

Gen disaster planning, NC emergency alliance meeting provided some good discussion on emergency bins- LAFD is promising the idea of funding community emergency bins... plan is motion, but unsure what actual plan is. LAFD voice should help NC efforts.

Homeless Count Wrap-up: We had 75 volunteers that combed the area til 1am, still waiting on the official tally is yet ... should take a few months. Observationally, it seems like the number is significantly up from last year.

Car Seat check event: Set for Sunday 2/26, from 11-2... fully booked! Stephanie Cohen from Richards Bloom office is seeing if we can add an extra hour.

## IV. New Business

CPR Motion by Mike for proceeding to look at doing another series of CPR/AED/First Aid classes before we lose the Rec Center or in Summer. Seconded by Beth. Vote 4-0-1 (Gary abstained)

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.

Expo: Mike: Will be awaiting word from the Festival Organizers regarding EP and Safety Expo participation in SOROFEST. Once everything is a “go”, Mike needs help getting vendors and groups... called for volunteers.. Baila and Dan offered to help.

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

## V. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:36pm