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**MINUTES**  
REGULAR MEETING OF THE  
**CRIME PREVENTION COMMITTEE**

Wednesday, March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at 7:00 PM  
Via Teleconference:

<https://elcerrito.webex.com/elcerrito/j.php?MTID=mf70ec9d1ae043434b3efec2c7ce63594>

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1. **7:00 p.m. CONVENE REGULAR MEETING:** Chair Takimoto called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.
  2. **ROLL CALL – Present:** Chair Marty Takimoto; Members Jim Dolgonas, Eugene Go, George Gager and Dorothy Herzberg were present.

**Staff Liaisons:** Councilmember Tessa Rudnick and Sergeant Scott Cliatt.

**Members of the Public:** Katie Fournier, Cedrick Cobb and Carolyn Wysinger

3. **COUNCIL AND STAFF LIAISON REPORTS**

Councilmember Rudnick discussed upcoming City Council agenda items and the focus on the budget. She announced that in April there will be a Townhall meeting for community feedback. She also reported that the State Auditor report would be forthcoming.

Sgt. Cliatt gave an update on the Department's personnel deployment response due to COVID-19, encouraged members to subscribe to Nixle for crime information and discussed the regional issue around catalytic converter theft.

4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Review and approve minutes from the February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021 meeting.

Motion: Dolgonas Second: Herzberg

Ayes: Dolgonas, Gager, Go, Takimoto, Herzberg

Nays: None

Abstentions: None.

5. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC:**

Cordell Hindler reported that he had found some recipes for the Homeowners Association newsletter and suggested that putting a recipe in the newsletter. He also suggested guest speakers come discuss at issues at the meetings such as a representative from East Bay MUD. He also suggested the City Manager and Finance Director give a budget update.

Cedric Cobb, Katie Fournier and Carol Wysinger introduced themselves to the Crime Prevention Committee.

**6. DISCUSSION OF CRIME PREVENTION COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES**

Chair Takimoto and Sgt. Cliatt provided a background of the Neighborhood Watch program and National Night Out. The Committee discussed the Neighborhood Watch program. Chair Takimoto and Member Dolgonas, the Neighborhood Watch, sub-committee, will draft a purpose statement for the next meeting.

Sgt Cliatt reported the City received an application from Cedrick Cobb.

**7. COMMUNICATION REPORT**

No communication.

**8. UPDATES AND DISCUSSION OF CRIME PREVENTION COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES:**

None.

**9. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Member Herzberg reported the passing of Korematsu Vice Principal Nancy Ivy.

**10. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

None.

**11. ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting adjourned at 8:22 pm.

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Marty 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 on March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021 as approved by the Crime Prevention Committee.

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Sgt. S. Cliatt, Staff Liaison