MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING OF THE
CRIME PREVENTION COMMITTEE
Monday, December 6th, 2021 at 7:00 PM
VIA TELECONFERENCE:
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86808739602?pwd=bEZhbk9sUm5ZTy8yMG04NIE5YUdyZz09

7:00 pm CONVENE REGULAR MEETING
Vice-Chair Go called the meeting to order at 7:06 pm.

1. ROLL CALL – Vice-Chair Eugene Go; Members: William Cobb, Jim Dolgonas, and Dorothy Herzberg joined the meeting at 7:06 pm.

2. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC
Rosa Esquivel, a representative from the Eureka Neighborhood group advised they are interested in setting up a neighborhood watch group. They also expressed interest in being active with the Crime Prevention Committee.

3. COUNCIL AND STAFF LIASON REPORTS
Acting Sergeant Tang updated the committee on the recent crime trends in El Cerrito. He advised them of the two recent shootings that detectives were currently investigating along with a series of burglaries in the El Cerrito Plaza.

He also announced the retirement of Detective Purdy after 18 years of service.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
Review and approve minutes from the October 4th, 2021, meeting.
- Motion to approve minutes: Member Herzberg, Second: Member Dolgonas
- Ayes: Vice Chair Go, Members Cobb, Herzberg, and Dolgonas.
- Nays: None
- Abstentions: None
5. **Updates and Discussion of Crime Prevention Committee Activities**

Vice-Chair Go inquired about creating a database containing contact information for current Neighborhood Watch Block Captains. Member Cobb agreed to draft a letter to elicit their contact information for the Block Captains and recruit new members. The committee also discussed establishing a point of contact for the Neighborhood Watch groups. The letter would be disseminated via Nixle. Acting Sergeant Tang explained the current process of obtaining and posting Neighborhood Watch signs.

Community members Esquivel and Carolyn Wysinger expressed interest in joining the Crime Prevention Committee.

6. **Communications Report**
   None.

7. **Announcements from the Committee**
   None.

8. **Future Agenda Items**
   None.

9. **Adjournment**
   The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm.

Eugene Go, Vice 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 December 6th, 2021 as approved by the Crime Prevention Committee.

Acting Sergeant G. Tang, Staff Liaison