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A Statement on Public Safety

San Diego — As events related to the murder of George Floyd continue to unfold, I want you to know that I am here listening, representing, and working for you.

I have worked for real solutions to eliminate the disparities in policing. I took action on this issue by voting for placing a measure on the November 2020 ballot to create an independent, community-based Commission on Police Practices.

Today, I was pleased to learn that Chief Nisleit has announced that the Police Department will no longer use the carotid restraint. This is an important policy change that has been a high priority for community advocates.

As we continue on this journey of reform, I want to remind everyone to stay safe, and commit to you that we are here working to protect your safety and the safety of all residents of our city.

Council President Pro Tem Barbara Bry represents San Diego City Council District 1, which includes the communities of Carmel Valley, Del Mar Heights, Del Mar Mesa, La Jolla, Pacific Highlands Ranch, Torrey Hills, Torrey Pines, and University City.

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