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Public Safety and Livable Neighborhoods (PS & LN) Committee

During this month's Public Safety and Livable Neighborhoods Committee meeting, we heard a report from Chief Shelley Zimmerman on **body worn cameras** and the **police recruitment and retention** efforts.

Body Worn Camera Update: On June 30, 2014, SDPD began implementing its body worn camera program. Since that time 600 body worn cameras have been deployed to uniform officers, making San Diego the largest city in the nation with this many cameras. SDPD has compared the number of complaints filed before and after the body cameras were deployed. In our Southeastern Division, there has been a **reduction in complaints** filed and a **reduction in allegations** made in the six months the body cameras have been deployed. **There has also been a reduction in use of force.** I am keeping an eye on State Legislation (AB66) being introduced by Dr. Weber to provide uniformity across the state in the way body worn cameras are being used. I will keep you updated on the continuing dialogue.

Police Recruitment & Retention: Public Safety is one of my top priorities. I am a strong champion in the City's effort to recruit and retain talented men and women on the police force. There is a current attrition rate of 11 officers per month. Due to this attrition rate, there is currently a deficit of 144 officers within the San Diego Police Department. Some of them left for another law enforcement agency. That's why I fully support the \$92 Million Five-Year Contract that will give pay increases to our police officers; restore holiday pay and improved health care; and provide an equipment and uniform allowance. My colleagues and I unanimously approved the item at City Council this week.



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- 🏠 **Chollas Creek Groundbreaking Ceremony** | Thursday, March 26 at 2 p.m. Northwest corner of Guymon Street & Euclid Avenue. Event is FREE and open to the public.
- 🏠 **SPOTLIGHT ON Summer Jobs: CONNECT2Careers** | Do you know a young adult looking for a summer job? **Applications are now being accepted at c2csd.org** for the San Diego Workforce Partnership's CONNECT2Careers (C2C) program. Join the hundreds of other employers who have worked with C2C, and hire for the summer! For more information, please call 619-228-2927 or visit c2csd.org.
- 🏠 **Neighborhood Revitalization through Code Enforcement** | Two CIVIL PENALTY NOTICE AND ORDERS and Two NOTICES OF ABATEMENT VACANT AND UNSECURED STRUCTURES: These notices were issued for **4 different properties** that are ALL in violation of the San Diego Municipal Code. The property located at **208 Jenna Court** and the property at **7427 Jamacha** are violating the law by maintaining prohibited materials as fence screening material. The property at **8022 Jamacha** and **335-337 Woodman Street** have been declared public nuisances and are serious threats to the public's health and safety and the homeowners are ordered to immediately correct the conditions. Civil Penalties are assessed at a daily rate not-to-exceed \$2,500 per day per violation and a total maximum of \$250,000 per parcel. **Code enforcement helps to keep our neighborhoods clean and safe.**

Photo Gallery



Councilmember Cole in the Community: Councilmember Cole attended the Annual Broadway Heights Community Council's Pancake Breakfast and Fundraiser for the MLK Promenade. Kudos to Robert Robinson & team for another successful event!



Chair of the Economic Development and Intergovernmental Relations Committee: Councilmember Cole led the discussion with the Mayor's Citizens' Stadium Advisory Group regarding the stadium site selection process & next steps. The Councilmember wants a stadium that residents can be proud of and attracts premiere sporting and entertainment events.



Fourth District Events & Meetings

Upcoming City Council, Committee and Outside Organization Committee Meetings Councilmember Cole in Action!

- **March 26:**
 - MTS – Taxicab Advisory Committee | 10:00 a.m. – Noon | James R. Mills Building. 1255 Imperial Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101.
- **March 27:**
 - Friday District Office Hours | 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. | Tubman Chavez Community Center. 415 Euclid Avenue, San Diego, CA 92114 | No appointment necessary.

Upcoming Community Meetings

- **March 25:**
 - Encanto Community Recreation Council | 6:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. | Encanto Recreation Center. 6508 Wunderlin Drive, San Diego, CA 92114 | Community Representative: Mathew Gordon, gordonm@sandiego.gov.
- **March 26:**
 - Skyline Hills Recreation Council | 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. | Skyline Hills Rec. Center. 8285 Skyline Drive, San Diego, CA 92114 | Community Representative: Luis Natividad, lnatividad@sandiego.gov.
 - Alta Vista Community Council | 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. | Nye Elementary. 981 S. Valencia Parkway, San Diego, CA 92114 | Community Representative: Luis Natividad, lnatividad@sandiego.gov.
 - Broadway Heights Community Council | 7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. | 6782 Tiffin Ave. San Diego, CA 92114 | Community Representative: Mathew Gordon, gordonm@sandiego.gov.

Calendar of Events

- **March San Diego Public Library Calendar of Events** | Please visit www.sdpl.bwcs-hosting.com to learn about the free workshops and cultural events the San Diego Public Library hosts every month.
- **8th Annual Music & Dance Festival** | March 24 – 29 | David & Dorothea Theatre. 4126 Executive Dr. La Jolla, CA 91037. | The 8th annual music and dance festival will feature 76 artist from India. For more information visit: <http://www.indianfineartsacademy.org/festivals-2015>
- **Annual Cesar Chavez Birthday Celebration Las Mañanitas Breakfast** | Friday, March 27 | 7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. | Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation. 404 Euclid Ave. San Diego. CA 92114 | Celebrate the life and legacy of Cesar Chavez. For more information visit: www.chavezclubs.org/las-mananitas
- **Meet a Recruiter: SDPD is Hiring Police Officers & Dispatchers** | Friday, March 27 | Noon – 2:00 p.m. | Malcolm X Library. 5148 Market Street, San Diego CA 92114 | Join the San Diego Police Department is Hiring Police Officers and Dispatchers. Join the team!
- **Remarkable Women and Dance by PGK Dance Project** | Saturday, March 28 | 7:30 p.m. | Women's Museum of California. 2730 Historic Decatur Rd. Barracks 16, San Diego, CA 92106 | Join the Women's Museum of California and the PGK Dance Project celebration of Women's History Month. For more information visit: www.events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07eands50659a2844e&llr=afsq7bab
- **Civic San Diego Community Benefits Consensus Project** | Tuesday, March 31 | 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. | Malcolm X Library. 5148 Market Street, San Diego CA 92114 | Civic San Diego will convene neighborhood stakeholders in Encanto to present their Interim Report of more than 300 community benefits ideas.
- **Lao New Year Festival** | Saturday, April 4 | 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. | Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation. 404 Euclid Ave. San Diego. CA 92114. | The festival will showcase Lao classical and folk dances. Visit www.laocommunity.org for more information.
- **Community Business Incubator Benefit Concert and Fundraiser** | Saturday, April 4 | 7:00 p.m. | 98 Bottles. 2400 Kettner Blvd. #110, San Diego, CA 92102 | Please join the CBI for an intimate fundraiser experience. Register visit: www.events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07eag4i7md857a7275&llr=juenffcab

Myrtle's Job Board – Look who's hiring NOW!



The Fourth District's Premier Career Center
 South Metro Career Center | 4389 Imperial Avenue | San Diego, CA 92113
 (619) 266-4200 | <http://www.metrocareercenters.org/>

Adecco <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=adecco&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
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AMSEC Trades www.huntingtongalls.com/careers
Bank of America <http://www.indeed.com/q-Bank-of-America-l-San-Diego,-CA-jobs.html>
California State Personnel Board <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=california+state+personnel&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
California Department of Corrections Apply in-person Monday January 26, 201 at 1PM at the South County Career Center
City of Coronado <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/coronado/default.cfm>
City of Chula Vista <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/chulavista/default.cfm>
City of Del Mar <http://www.delmar.ca.us/jobs.aspx?jobID=9>
City of El Cajon <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/elcajon/default.cfm>
City of La Mesa <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/lamesa/default.cfm>
City of National City <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/nationalca/default.cfm>
City of San Diego www.sandiego.gov/empopp/
County of San Diego <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/sdcounty/default.cfm>
Cox Communications <http://www.cox.com/aboutus/careers/search-jobs.cox>
CSU San Diego <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=csu+san+diego&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
Department of Veteran Affairs <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=department+of+veteran+affairs&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
Encore Capital Group <http://encore-jobs.com/>
Family Health Centers of San Diego <https://jobs-fhcsd.icims.com/jobs/intro>
FedEx <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=fedex&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
General Atomics <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=general+atomics&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
Geico <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=geico&l=San+Diego%2C+CA&from=vj>
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Helix Water District (Equipment Maintenance Coordinator) www.hwd.com
Heritage Senior Care http://www.heritagekeepers.net/senior_care_employment.php
Hilton <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=hilton&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
Hotel Del Coronado <http://www.hospitalityonline.com/jobs/610934-conference-sales-manager>
Holiday Inn <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=holiday+inn&l=La+Mesa%2C+CA&from=vj>
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NASSCO <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=NASSCO&l=san+diego>
Nordstrom's <http://www.dreamjobber.com/jobs/landing.jsp?job=Nordstrom&SID=5388400>
Northrop Grumman <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=northrop+grumman&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
Pasadena City College http://www.pasadena.edu/Files/Events/19420_File.pdf
PETCO <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=PETCO&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
Point Loma Nazarene University <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=point+loma+nazarene&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
Port of San Diego <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/portofsd/default>
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Safeway <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=Safeway&l=san+diego%2C+ca&from=vj>
SANDAG (Environmental Planner) <http://www.sandag.org/index.asp?jobid=383&fuseaction=jobs.detail>
San Diego County Water Authority <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/sdcwa/default.cfm>
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SCRIPPS Careers http://www.scripps.org/about-us__careers
SDG&E <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=sdg%26e&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
Sharp Healthcare <https://jobs.sharp.com/adhocjobsearch.asp>
Sheraton San Diego www.sheraton.jobs/sandiegomarina
Sodexo <http://sodexousa.com/us/en/careers/find-job/Search-Jobs/search-jobs.aspx>
TJX Companies <http://www.indeed.com/jobs?q=tjx+companies&l=San+Diego%2C+CA>
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El Mensaje de Myrtle

Comité de Seguridad Pública y Comunidades Habitables

Durante la última sesión del comité de Seguridad Pública y Comunidades Habitables, la Jefa de Policía Shelley Zimmerman acerca de las **cámaras corporales y los esfuerzos de contratación y retención de elementos policiacos.**

Cámaras corporales:

En Junio del 2014 el Departamento de Policías de la Ciudad de San Diego implemento el programa de cámaras corporales. Hasta el momento, más de 600 oficiales utilizan estas cámaras, siendo San Diego la ciudad que cuenta con más oficiales con cámaras corporales. El Departamento de Policías realizo un estudio con el número de quejas antes y después de la implementación de este programa. En la División Sureste, las quejas redujeron. Durante este periodo, también se redujo el uso de la fuerza, armas y espray pimienta. De igual forma, me mantengo informada sobre el avance de la iniciativa de ley AB66, introducida por la Asambleísta Weber la cual busca uniformar a la largo del estado la implementación de estas cámaras.

Contratación y retención de elementos policiacos:

La seguridad pública es mi prioridad. Creo en que la Ciudad debe de contratar y retener a talentos que conforman nuestra fuerza policiaca. Cada mes remuneración o se jubila el 11% del personal, por lo que actualmente hay un déficit de 144 oficiales en el Departamento de Polcáis de San Diego. La fuga de talento busca mejores oportunidades en otras agencias de seguridad, es por eso que apoyo el contrato que inyectara \$92 millones al Departamento durante los próximos 5 años para aumentar los salariaos de nuestros elementos, brindar mejores oportunidades de seguro médico, etc. Mis colegas y yo aprobamos de manera unánime ante el Cabildo este contrato.

More Fourth District Events & Meetings

- **Tyler's Suite by the San Diego Gay Men's Chorus** | Tuesday, April 7 | 6:00 p.m. | Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation. 404 Euclid Ave. San Diego. CA 92114. | Join the San Diego Gay Men's Chorus on their free 30th anniversary celebration. Visit www.sdgmc.com for more information.
- **Tomorrow's Leaders: Building on the Legacy of Selma** | Thursday, April 9 | 7:00 p.m. | UCSD, Price Center West Ballroom. University Centers, 9500 Gilman Drive, San Diego CA 92093 | Helen Edison Lecture Series presents Myrlie Evers-Williams, Civil Rights Activist, NAACP Chairman Emeritus. For more information visit: www.helenedison.ucsd.edu.
- **Employee Rights Self-Help Clinic** | Saturday April 11 | 10:00 a.m. | Thomas Jefferson School of Law. 495 11th Avenue, San Diego, CA 92101 | Providing legal assistance to self-represented individuals. To make an appointment call: 619.961.4371.
- **Career Pathways To Success** | Tuesday, April 14 | 10:00 a.m. | MLK Community Center. 140 E. 12th Street, National City, CA 91950 | Hosted by the City of National City, the National City Chamber of Commerce, The South County Career Center, and Small Business Development Center.
- **15th Annual Youth Explosion "Who Am I? My True Identity"** | April 15-17 | 7:00 p.m. | Mt. Olive Church of God in Christ. 4907 A Street, San Diego, CA 92102 | Changing the heart, mind and soul of our youth through a fresh word, life worship and creative arts.
- **Webster Neighborhood Cleanup Saturday Sweep!** | Saturday, April 18 | 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | Meet in front of the Webster Elementary School | A Healthy and clean Webster starts with YOU! Refreshments will be served for volunteers. For more information please call: 619.823.9900.
- **The 2015 Congressional Art Competition** | Monday, April 20 | 5:30 p.m. | High School students throughout the 53rd Congressional District are encouraged to submit artwork for the 2015 Congressional Art Competition. The winning student will receive scholarship opportunities and a two round-trip airfare tickets to travel to Washington, DC. For more information visit: <https://susandavis.house.gov/services/art-competition>
- **FREE NEW BOOKS FOR KIDS! Children's Book Party 2015** | Saturday, April 25 | 8:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. | Organ Pavilion. Balboa Park | Reading Literacy Learning, Inc. presents the 31th Annual Children's Book Party 2015.
- **All-American Soap Box Derby** | Saturday, April 25 | 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. | Skyline Drive, between 61st Street and Omeara Street | Free Weekly Workshops available before the race, for more information please call 619.239.2208.
- **County of San Diego Air Pollution Control District 16th Annual Lawnmower Trade-in Event** | Saturday, May 9 | 8:00 a.m. – Noon | Qualcomm Stadium. 9449 Friars Road, San Diego CA 92108. | For more information visit: www.sdapcd.org/homepage/2015_Lawnmower.pdf
- **Multicultural World Music and Dance Festival** | Saturday, May 9 | 11:00 a.m. | Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation. 404 Euclid Ave. San Diego. CA 92114 | The Center for World Music presents a traditional music and dance performances of Africa, Asia, and Latin America. For more information visit: www.centerforworldmusic.org.
- **Webster Neighborhood Cleanup Saturday Sweep! And 11th Annual Community Spring Fest** | Saturday, May 16 | 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | Meet in front of the Webster Elementary School | Please join us for a variety of events for children and adults of all ages. A Healthy and clean Webster starts with YOU! Refreshments will be served for volunteers. For more information please call: 619.823.9900.