



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 30, 2017  
TO: Council President Myrtle Cole and Members of City Council  
FROM: Scott Chadwick, Chief Operating Officer  
SUBJECT: Police Chief Recruitment Process – Update

As part of the ongoing development of a recruitment and selection process that will result in another excellent leader for the San Diego Police Department, I wanted to let you know some additional details about the critical community input schedule and interview plans.

Six community forums, which include two new locations and a new date, to solicit stakeholder input are now scheduled.

1. Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation  
404 Euclid Avenue  
San Diego, CA 92114  
Saturday, September 23, 2017  
1 p.m.
2. Mira Mesa Senior Center  
8460 Mira Mesa Boulevard  
San Diego, CA 92126  
Tuesday, September 26, 2017  
6 p.m.
3. San Diego LGBT Center  
3909 Centre Street  
San Diego, CA 92103  
Thursday, September 28, 2017  
6 p.m.
4. City Heights Recreation Center  
4380 Landis Street  
San Diego, CA 92105  
Wednesday, October 4, 2017  
6 p.m.
5. Standley Recreation Center  
3585 Governor Drive  
San Diego, CA 92122  
Thursday, October 5, 2017  
6 p.m.
6. Colonel Irving Salomon San Ysidro Community Activity Center  
179 Diza Road  
San Diego, CA 92173  
Tuesday, October 10, 2017  
6 p.m.

The format for the community forums will be developed in coordination with the executive recruitment firm, which we expect to select and then start in the next two to three weeks.

The input received at these forums and through the online survey launching this fall will inform the development of recruitment factors for potential candidates and throughout the multiple-round interview process. Maintaining the integrity of the recruitment and selection process is important, and while the details of the interview process will be finalized in coordination with the executive recruitment firm, we can confirm that the input and recommendations of community stakeholders will advise the final candidate selection.

I continue to look forward to working with you on this important endeavor.

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Chief Operating Officer

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