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ROLANDO CASTRO Chairperson OSCAR ROSALES Vice Chairperson JOSEPH AMADOR Committee Member Agenda Public Safety Sub-Committee Meeting City Council Chambers 643 Quince Street August 2, 2021 12:00 PM

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- I. Introductions
- II. Approval of Minutes
 - 1. Approval of Minutes of the May 3, 2021 Regular Public Safety Sub-Committee Meeting.

III. Business

- 1. Chairperson Castro
- 2. Vice-Chairperson Rosales
- 3. Committee Member Amador
 - a) Speeding issues in the community
 - b) Thefts from yards
 - c) Update on Caltrans projects
- Code Enforcement

 Monthly update
- Police Department

 a) Monthly update
- 6. Other Business
- IV. Adjournment

Public Safety Sub-Committee

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Celeste Cabrera-Garcia, City Clerk



MINUTES MENDOTA PUBLIC SAFETY SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING May 3, 2021 2:00 PM Mendota City Hall

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chairperson Rosales at 2:02 p.m.

Members Present:	Chairperson Rolando Castro (at 2:14 p.m.), Vice Chairperson Oscar Rosales, and Committee Member Joseph Amador
Members Absent:	None
Staff Present:	Cristian Gonzalez, City Manager; Kevin Smith, Chief of Police; Jennifer Lekumberry, Director of Administrative Services; and Celeste Cabrera-Garcia, City Clerk.
Others Present:	John Liu, Caltrans and Maria Jacinto, RCS Fresno.

II. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

The minutes for the meeting of April 5, 2021 were approved based on a motion made and seconded, and unanimous approval.

III. <u>BUSINESS</u>

1. Chairperson Castro

Business item 1 was skipped due to Chairperson Castro being absent.

- 2. Vice-Chairperson Rosales
 - a) Lozano Park citizen/traffic safety

Vice Chairperson Rosales inquired about the possibility of constructing barriers at Lozano Park to ensure that vehicles do not drive onto the park and harm pedestrians.

Discussion was held on increasing patrol services in the area; issues regarding public drinking at the park; and the possibility of the City installing a car rail on City right-of-way at the park.

- 3. Committee Member Amador
 - a) Update on lights for streets and parks

Committee Member Amador introduced the item and commented on the Earth Day event; and inquired about the installation of lights at the new sport fields.

Discussion was held on the Rojas-Pierce Park Expansion Project.

b) Plans for future public safety dispatch center

Committee Member Amador inquired about the possibility of the City establishing its own public safety dispatch center.

Discussion was held on the inquiries that the police department has made to the Department of Justice regarding the issue.

c) Video of roundabout in Clovis, CA

Committee Member Amador introduced the item and commented on a roundabout in Clovis, CA.

Discussion was held on the proposed roundabout at the intersection of Derrick Avenue and Oller Street; traffic enforcement; and a fire near the City.

4. Code Enforcementa) Monthly update

Chief of Smith provided information on the activity of the animal control, code enforcement, and police departments; the status of the animal control truck; and a street sweeper detail that recently occurred.

5. Police Departmenta) Monthly update

Item 5 was discussed under Item 4.

6. Other Business

Maria Jacinto with RCS Fresno reported on Denim Day and the agency's upcoming events.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

At the hour of 2:25 p.m., with no more business to be brought before the Committee.

Rolando Castro, Chairperson

ATTEST:

Celeste Cabrera-Garcia, City Clerk