



***CITIZEN'S OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (PUBLIC SAFETY)
SANGER COUNCIL CHAMBERS
MINUTES
March 3, 2015
Regular Meeting – 6:00 P.M.***

A. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M.

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Secretary Adams led the flag salute.

C. ROLL CALL

Committee Members Present: Adams, Gonzales, Simpson, Villalobos
Committee Members Absent: Steinhauer

D. CEREMONIAL ITEMS

None

E. AGENDA APPROVAL, ADDITIONS AND/OR DELETIONS

Committee Member Gonzales moved to approve the agenda as presented; Secretary Adams seconded; all were in favor, motion carried.

F. CONSENT CALENDAR

1. SUBJECT: Minutes for February 3, 2015 meeting

Secretary Adams moved to approve the minutes as presented; Committee Member Gonzales seconded; all were in favor, motion carried.

G. DEPARTMENT REPORTS

1. SUBJECT: Fire Department Update

Chief Tarascou provided an update on the department which included: they are receiving positive feedback from patients with the new ambulances; the CERT program will have its first meeting next Wednesday, mostly a "Meet & Greet"; the next CPR class will be held March 21st for \$30, classes are also offered in Spanish; Department and Explorers will be participating in the Blossom Trial event (info and water for runners, blood pressure checks).

Secretary Adams asked how many volunteers have registered for CERT. Chief Tarascou stated as of today 15 are confirmed. Chairperson Villalobos asked if there is a requirement or

formal method in place for receiving feedback for patients using ambulance services. The chief stated they are trying to integrate something into their patient intake (email) to try to solicit feedback through a formal survey, but that it would be voluntary and not required.

2. SUBJECT: Police Department Update

Chief Rodriguez provided an update on the department which included: Department is gearing up for Blossom Trail event, working closely with Public Works and all participants of the event; working with the School District on their April event; officers are participating in training offered through a grant awarded to Fresno County regarding dealing with the mentally ill.

Secretary Adams asked how the new officers are acclimating. The Chief stated that the new officers are engaged in POST mandated 16-20 week field training; Chief mentioned POST also conducts an agency compliance audit annually. He also mentioned that for lateral officers, while they are not required to, they are paired up with an FTO for a few weeks to acclimate them to Sanger protocols and procedures.

Committee Member Simpson asked if the speed monitoring equipment has been installed. Chief Rodriguez stated that he is working with Public Works to develop a more secured installation method to minimize theft and/or vandalism to the cameras.

H. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None

I. STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

J. MATTERS INITIATED BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

K. NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 7, 2015 at 6 P.M.

L. ADJOURNMENT

Secretary Adams moved to adjourn; Committee Member Simpson seconded; all were in favor, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 P.M.

*Minutes prepared by:
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Attest:


Jeanne Adams, Secretary
Citizen's Oversight Committee/Measure S