



**Northwest San Pedro Neighborhood Council
Public Safety Meeting
Via Dolce Coffee House
29050 S. Western Ave, San Pedro California 90731
Monday June 18, 2018 – 5:30 to 6:30 PM**

Committee Member Attendees: Melanie Labrecque, Cynthia Gonyea, Ashlee Grayson Absent: Robin Gregg

Public Comment: Email Read into Public Comment regarding Vagrants in Park and Roaming NW Area. Police are not responding and SLO has been inaccessible.

Crime Stats: There has been an increase of solicitors in area and a lot of complaints of home casings by car and people that don't belong in neighborhoods. The Harbor Area Crime stats Property Crime -Burglary up 20%, other property crimes are down. Violent Crimes are up: Homicide up 200 % and Rape up 100% Robbery Up 18.2% All arrests are Down 23.1 %.

Safety Issues at Peck Park and Harbor Highlands:

There have been several complaints about encampments in Peck Park. They have been causing issues with homeowners in area. LAPD has done arrest and cleaned out the canyons but it seems they moved right back there. Safety is a concern as they have jumped into resident's pools and in resident's back yards and patios when not home.

Harbor Highland Park has been an issue and several residents are concerned about the safety at night at the park. They were told it's a Sunrise –Sunset Park and deferred to LAPD, but when you call with issues, they do not respond. There have been several incidents of intoxication and drug use at night in park.

Harbor Highlands Park also has had a surge of Jumpers and also problems with items of safety concerns according to residents. There were complaints about a Mechanical Bull being in the park, which was seen as a severe safety issue as well as over 7 jumpers in the park on same day.

Emergency Preparedness Fair 2018:

Discussions and Motion was made about all 3 Neighborhood Councils of San Pedro combine efforts for an Emergency preparedness fair to go forward in 2018. The vote was unanimous.

Dates that are being considered are Feb 11, 18 or 25th. Time will be from 10 AM to 3 PM.

Department and company Considerations to invite that were discussed were:

American Red Cross, FEMA, Yogi Shaki Quaki House, CERT, LAFD, LAPD, California Emergency Preparedness Mobil, MYSAFE LA, USCG Auxiliary, Gas Co., REI, Gold Zero, Rain Barrels Int., Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Learn Sidewalk CPR, Pet Safety & Preparedness, Dutch Oven/Solar Oven Cooking, The Port Of LA, Ham Radio Op demonstrations, Chip (Pets), Blood Mobil (Donations that day), LA DWP (Solar Power), So cal Preparedness Foundation, Child ID.

Next Meeting: Monday, July 16, 2018, 5:30 PM

Location: Via Dolce Coffee House, 29050 S. Western Ave.