

MINUTES

City of Pacifica
 Emergency Preparedness & Safety Commission
 2075 Coast Highway
 Pacifica, CA 94044

DATE: Wednesday, June 21, 2017

TIME: 6:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Commissioners Present: Chair Shaw, Vice Chair Johnson, Erbacher, Blackburn,
 Taverna, Chiechi, Salisbury

Commissioners Absent: none

Ex Officio Members Present: Council Member Martin

Ex Officio Members Absent: Hashizume, Schultz, Mahaley, Fleming

STAFF PRESENT: Captain Clements

APPROVAL

OF MINUTES: The minutes for the April 19, 2017 meeting were reviewed and approved.

APPROVAL

OF AGENDA: Agenda for the June 21, 2017 meeting was approved.

COMMISSION COMMENTS: Commissioner Erbacher advised the group about a radio club contest at the San Francisco Bay Discovery site this upcoming weekend.

Commissioner Chiechi provided an update from the Illegal Fireworks Task Force, noting the new local ordinance was approved by city council and promoted in the local newspaper. He spoke about the obstacles law enforcement face enforcing existing laws, and the introduction of a new mobile app to support law enforcement efforts. He also spoke about promoting the new local ordinance and raising awareness about the consequences of using illegal fireworks. He felt the efforts of the task force will have a positive impact in reducing the use of illegal fireworks. Some discussion arose about the sale and use of legal fireworks. Council Member Martin pointed out the task force was directed to focus on reducing illegal fireworks.

Chair Shaw provided a list of events our CERT program had participated in over this past year; Silver Dragon, Tanforan Police Recognition Day, EX-PAC II, Disaster Preparedness Day at the fairgrounds, Kops & Kids event, and CERT quarterly meetings. She specifically spoke about EX-PAC II on June 3 which tested the capabilities of the CERT Medical Branch.

Commissioner Taverna spoke about a program being tested in Sweden which will utilize drones to deliver AEDs to those experiencing a medical emergency. There was discussion about the current legal obstacles to the use of drones for such purposes locally and throughout California.

EX-OFFICIO COMMENTS: Council Member Martin thanked Commissioner Chiechi for his work and time he committed as part of the Illegal Fireworks Task Force.

STAFF COMMENTS: Captain Clements provided the following comments:

April 20- Emergency Services Council meeting- budget adopted, SMC Alert promoted

April 22- Police Department participation at Earth Day event at Linda Mar Beach

April 25- Earthquake Preparedness Class #4- with 20 Attendees

April 27- EMA meeting- presentation by CalOES Director

May 1- Medication disposal event at Sanchez Library-staffed by PD

May 8- Amended EOP approved by City Council- Vol. Amy Listmann

May 5- CEAP (Coastside Emergency Action Program) -Chad Woodburn OES

May 3- Community Shield II – HAZMAT and T-CAT (Terror Counter Assault Team)

May 17- Pacifica Seniors Health & Info Fair- Capt. Spanheimer

May 18- **Coffee With A Cop** at Fairmont Starbucks from 9am-12pm

May 20- **Police Appreciation Day** at Tanforan from 10am-9pm

May 24- EOC exercise postponed due to availability of City staff- (September?)

May 25- Emergency Managers Association meeting (SPCA presentation)

June 3- Ex Pac II- CERT exercise w/Medical Branch component Tribune piece

June 10- Disaster Preparedness Day event at San Mateo Co Fair- Chair Shaw

June 15- Violent intruder video distributed (LASD and HSD) to City staff

June 15- Emergency Services Council- Presentation by IConcern

June 17- Kops & Kids event (second annual PCF hosted) @ SeaBowl

June 21- SFO EOC exercise- Capt. Spanheimer participated as evaluator

July 15- Medication take back at Sanchez Library from 10am-2pm- PD staffed

August 24- CERT class **17-2** begins classes

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

PUBLIC HEARINGS: None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Fog Fest planning is underway. Chair Shaw proposed a photo board with photos displaying emergency preparedness efforts and CERT exercises done over the past year. Other suggestions were made about ways to enhance the draw of attendees to the commission booth.

NEW BUSINESS: Commissioner Blackburn suggested the commission submit a public safety message for publishing in the Tribune. Chair Shaw suggested the commission draft a public safety message addressing safety concerns around July Fourth celebrations. The decision was made to draft a message and send the message to the Tribune for publishing in the coming week.

Chair Shaw suggested updating the Tsunami preparedness pamphlet. The City website on tsunami preparation was recently updated, and similar information about monthly siren testing, the location of sirens, and SMC Alert could be added to the pamphlet. It was also suggested to add a plan for pets in the event of a tsunami.

Next Meeting: July 19, 2017 at 6:30pm, at the Pacifica Police Department.

ADJOURNMENT: 7:33p.m.