

MINUTES

CITY OF SAN DIMAS
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2013 5:30 PM
SAN DIMAS SHERIFF'S STATION
270 SOUTH WALNUT
SAN DIMAS, CA

ATTENDANCE:

Members:

Staff/City Representatives - Guests:

Karol Curtis	Mayor Curt Morris
Alan Nash, Chair	City Council Emmett Badar
Ted Ross	City Manager Blaine Michaelis
Randy Alva – absent	Cpt. Don Slawson, San Dimas Station
Fred Ortiz	Deputy White – Team Leader
Jim McCants	Deputy Baltazar
Patrick Jones – excused	Deputy Steiner
Dawna Marshall	Deputy Wade
Roger Therien – excused	Sgt. Shupe
Cheryl Avelar	
Charles McGown	
Vern Van Voorst	

- I. Welcome and Call to Order
Meeting called to order by Chari Nash at 5:30 pm
- II. Business from the public not on the agenda - none
- III. Approval of the March 19, May 21, and July 16, 2013 Minutes – Commissioners absent from the meeting abstained from the approval.
- IV. Presentation – San Dimas Sheriff's Station annual report.

Deputy and Team Leader White summarized the activities of the Community Action Team for 2013. 527 arrests, 189 citations, 345 reports, 42 search warrants, 74/65 cases worked/solved. Additional citations 82 at DUI/CDL checkpoints – 41 vehicles towed – 39 arrests, 15 of them DUIs. Deputy White provided some background on recent successes with storage facility surveillance resulting in arrests and recovered stolen property. Provided background on DUI checkpoints; answering questions of Commissioners.

Deputy White noted that the Department focuses on graffiti – 93 incidents last year 67 this year. 25 arrests last year, 22 this year. Reviewed a summary of the most frequent taggers and the department's focus on enforcement, investigation and prosecution. Deputy White reviewed the minimal gang activity, and summarized recent drug and narcotics cases.

The CAT also works with the Detective Bureau and station staff. Their assignments and detail also includes interacting with the community organizations and events. They also participate in crime prevention efforts and encouraged residents to report suspicious activity. The Team also works on special projects – undercover operations, monitoring

parolees and sex offender registrants. They also attend and conduct training on various programs and public safety topics. They work with the Station Crime Analyst and work on event assessments and planning as well.

Deputy Wade summarized his activity as the School Resource Officer. 62 arrests, 56 citations, 78 reports, 7 probation searches and 28 truancy cases. 80% of his time is at SDHS and Chaparral Schools. He works on school emergency plans, rapid deployment training, Lock-in drills, career day, Red Ribbon Week, residency investigations, discipline issues, student counseling, and coordinates work with other agencies and SROs.

Commissioners thanked the Sheriff's Staff for their presentations.

V. Reports from Staff

City Manager Michaelis provided an update of city projects.

VI. Reports from Commissioners

Commissioner McCants noted improvements with the freight railroad line weed control and said the Metro line still needs work.

VII. Adjournment 7:15 pm - next meeting October 29th, 2013 at Future Concepts 675 West Terrace for a tour 5:30 pm