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LAPD Police Commission, Chief Jim McDonnell, LAPD, and Public,

This week we celebrate the uniquely American holiday of Thanksgiving! First and foremost, I offer thanks to God for all his Blessings on Thanksgiving and every day! Additionally, related to public safety, I am also thankful that we have Jim McDonnell as our new LAPD Chief, a new district attorney, and that Prop 36 passed!

For some reason, the Chief's message for November on the LAPDONLINE.ORG website was not operating so that I did not hear it until today, Nov.25th! I called attention to the Chiefs message not being accessible to the public during public comment last Tuesday, Nov. 19th. Thank you to the I.T. people for fixing the problem. However, I have noticed that since 11/5/24 election day, there have been technical problems on the website. On the website, the Chief's message was not working when the play button was activated.

Additionally, the Zoom public comment had technical issues for the second time preventing the public from being heard. Please stay on top of this communication issue as communication is vital for Community Policing to be a reality.

Thank you to Chief Jim McDonnell for his heartfelt Chief's message that was full of gratitude and graciousness. He is a true gentleman and leader, the leader that LAPD and Our City needs at this critical time.

May all LAPD officers know that we appreciate those officers working on the Thanksgiving holiday and that they are appreciated and prayed for every day!

God Bless the LAPD, America and ALL,
Steve Reilly

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LAPD Police Commissioners,

We, the People, the Voices for LAPD, would like to wish the entire LAPD and All a Happy Thanksgiving! We especially appreciate all the officers who will be working on the Thanksgiving holiday who will be protecting and serving! We are also appreciative for Chief "Gentleman Jim" McDonnell and his November message was sincere and full of humility. We are confident that under the leadership of Chief McDonnell that the LAPD will make tremendous progress in the area of recruitment and retention and bring community policing to the next level where it needs to be to make Los Angeles safer for all of us!

Happy Thanksgiving and God Bless the LAPD,

Voices for LAPD

From: [REDACTED]
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Thank you I have been wanting to provide public comment for the past 2 meetings, last week and the previous meeting. There have been technical glitches preventing me from effectively communicating. I will try again tomorrow however am submitting it today just in case.

Thank you for the opportunity to speak. Welcome to the new chief, My wish is for you to be a great listener to our community. A community of survivors that need for the LAPD to take its blinders off about scientology. They have shown you an inaccurate picture. We want the government and protectors of our fair city to know they have fooled you into thinking they are assets, they are not, they are predators. an incident that happened at scientology, the NE division two Sunday nights ago. Two young girls attempted to escape what appears to be their father at the blue building. Demonstrators were there to witness the event, over 100k people worldwide watched the event take place and were mortified of the LAPD response. Tensions were high as the streamers there were listened to but not actually heard. LAPD many of us have offered you training, I myself have experience in training new recruits. High control group ie cults have a different language. You might think it is English but it is not. In particular children of cults like scientology speak a different language. It is a high crime punishable by scientology prison or scientology death to report an abuser to authority it is also a high crime to be 5150'd a quote from scientology- we would rather see you dead than incapable, psyche = incapable. your protocols may have caused more harm to these girls. An interpreter made himself available for the NE division that night, We watched as your officers wouldn't listen and asked him to leave under threat of arrest. I am not sure of the outcome but I pray to our Father in heaven you didn't return her to what she was running from. Children in scientology from day 1 of their life are told to be fearful of police, police are the bad guys. They are DRILLED a story to tell it is called a shore story. Child abuse cannot be covered up behind religious protection. I request a meeting with the Chief and Head of training to talk about providing much needed training for LAPD. And Janet Weiland or any rep of scientology be removed from the cpab or other community boards until an investigation is done.

Remember what EVERY scientologist is told EVERY time they do a session- I quote "While we cannot guarantee you that matters revealed in this list will be held forever secret, we can promise you faithfully that no part of it nor any answer you make here will be given to the police or the state. No Scientologist will ever bear witness against you in court.". Kids can not consent