

COMMUNITY POLICING ADVISORY

BOARD 02/20/2025

This meeting was at Central Station as well as on Zoom. Start time of 1010 hours.

Captain Jovel:

-Crime overall is up, theft, burglaries, and vandalisms. Protests continue to take place and will continue to do so over the next months to come.

-LAPD does not enforce what ICE enforces. They are completely separate entities. We do not have any awareness of when they will be doing any of their operations. We solely focus on serving the citizens in the DTLA Central Area.

-Residents, businesses, etc are strongly encouraged to have cameras as it is a crucial piece in helping detectives as well as the DA's office when filing cases

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CD 9:

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Subcommittees Updates:

-Vatche Shirikjian Spoke about crime reduction within the community.

-Georgia Berkovich (homeless committee) spoke about the available areas within the courtyard at the midnight mission for women to sleep for at night safety.

Senior Lead Officer Updates:

1A1:

-Property Crimes are up - Vandalisms, BFMV's taking place in the area of Chinatown and Olvera st due to the community events.

-Crimes are up at Union Station- property crimes, thefts etc.

1A61:

*Clean ups continue to be conducted at the fwy underpasses located at Grand/ Olive/ Flower/ Figueroa.

*Foot beats and high visibility in the South Park area.

1A21:

*Officers conducting foot beats at Civic Center.

*BFMV's continue to take place. Educating the public on not leaving valuables inside the vehicle.

1A35:

-Crimes are up in skid row overall. Aggravated assaults, property crimes.

-Officer Deon Joseph will conduct foot beats in area.

1A41:

-Senior Lead officers conducting foot-beats and high visibility within their area to prevent BFMV's and other property crimes.

-Vandalisms taking place, officers strongly encourage communities in the area to install cameras if they can. It's a huge aid to detectives and the DA's office.

1A85:

- Senior Lead Officers educating businesses on "Lock it, hide it, keep it" as well as for the businesses making sure to have good lighting, locks and cameras as much as possible to prevent these crimes.

-Commercial Burglaries and BFMV's are still taking place. Central Area / CTD Cadets have been distributing flyers for crime prevention education.

Community Events:

-LA Marathon taking place March 16th

-Opening Night of Citizens Academy on March 13th @ LAPD Elysian Park Academy.

Meeting was adjourned at approx. 1105 hours.

