

# Campus Safety Workgroup Meeting

March 28, 2022

### **Attendance**

**Present**: Liz Watkins, Denise Woods, Jamie Lopez, George Williams, Anthony Frisbee, Andrew Williams, Elizabeth Romero, Elaine Wong, Rosanna Cacace-Zakhir, Nancy Jean Tubbs, Marko Princevac, Shonte Thomas, Jennifer Hung, Chris Fernandez

**Absent**: Matthew Chang, Boris Maciejovsky, Alex Cortez, Pamela Rivera, Jashan Singh, Valeria Dominguez, Regina Stell, Ana Coria, Michael Cabral

## Agenda in Brief

Police & Safety Services Department Update

## **Meeting Minutes**

### Police & Safety Services Department Update (see PPT)

- Dept Demographics
  - 44% of officers are UCR grads
  - o Racial makeup—60% white
  - o Gender—88% male
- Crime Trends Updates
  - o Increase in total number of incidents and police reports
  - o Increase in welfare checks & 5150s (30 in Jan-Mar 2022, 7 placed on 5150)
  - 1 affiliated arrest (drunk in public)
  - Arrests of Interest
    - Discharge of firearm & burglary
    - Office burglary
    - Housing maintenance garage burglary
  - o Increase in catalytic converter theft
  - Theft from AgOps
  - Bicycle thefts
    - Campaign to register bikes and educate re locking/security
- Community Engagement
  - Food drive in conjunction with R'Pantry
- Budget and Staffing
  - o 2020-2021: reduction in police officer positions and funding
  - o 2022: reduction in police officers by 2
    - reallocated \$450,000 police officer funding within department to support community safety plan
    - Implementing 4 public safety responders and analyst position



- Community Safety Plan Progress
  - Point of contact survey
  - o Training:
    - Completed in 2022: Implicit Bias & Community Policing by GET SAFE, Racial and Identity Profiling Update by CA POST
    - In progress: UC Managing Implicit Bias Series (by April 2022)
    - Scheduling:
      - Training Day—DEI
      - Crisis Intervention Behavioral Health
  - Tiered Response
    - Campus Safety Responders (working title)
      - Taking over response to identified non-violent calls
  - o IACLEA Accreditation: 3-5 yr process
    - Requires conforming to highest professional standards for campus law enforcement
  - UCR Police Data
    - Collecting and sharing data
    - Aug. 2019: new data collection system
    - Feb 2021: initiated RIPA data collection
    - Jan 2022: began providing RIPA data to CA DOJ
    - March 2022: created PD website transparency dashboard
      - Monthly updates around 15<sup>th</sup> of each month
    - Review of current data
      - Disproportionate number of contacts with African Americans
        - 4 subjects accounted for ~18 contacts
        - ~70% of contacts (other than vehicle stops) were due to calls for service by community
        - 25 of 31 vehicle stops for expired registration or vehicle equipment (but usually pretextual)
          - Culture of enforcement vs guardianship
          - Random pretextual stops undermine police legitimacy and erode community trust
        - Create new UCR PD Policy—Pretextual Traffic Stops
          - Under new policy, officer making a pretextual stop will have to articulate the reason for that stop

- o Feedback
  - More time to be provided at next meeting after PPT is distributed

#### Minutes

• Minutes from prior meeting have been posted to CSW Website

Next meeting: Monday, April 11