PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, March 22, 2023
3PM


DLBA Staff: Amanda Barrera, Cesar Garay, James Ahumada, Juan Torres.

Guests: Janice Friend, Sergeant Derek Ernest, Laura Reimer.

1. Call to Order, Welcome and Introductions – Isidro Panuco, Chair

Meeting Presentation. Called to order at 3:06 PM.

2. ACTION: Approve minutes from February 22, 2023 Meeting

VOTE: 1st: Roberts. 2nd: Smith.

MOTION: None opposed. No abstentions. Motion Passed.

3. Chairperson Report – Panuco

a. FY22-23 Public Safety Committee Working Group Projects

i. Fresh Start Donation Program

- The dates for Fresh Start will be April 28-June 26 and the working group lead will determine the date for the in-person outreach.
- There will be two different sized boxes this year for businesses and residential buildings.

ii. Safety Walk Audits

- The working group had the opportunity to do a few practice walk audits using the Google Form and map layouts.
- The group will begin to explore introductory materials for volunteers.

iii. Downtown Emergency Disaster Plan

- A draft of the emergency disaster plan was created by Roberts and split into 2 sections: natural and civil disasters.
- The goal is to have the plan completed by June to be submitted for review by the Board.

iv. Working Groups Selection/Changes

- Smith stepped down from the safety walk audit working group and will continue as group lead for Fresh Start.

4. Public Safety Partners Report

a. Long Beach Police Department – South Division
• Sergeant Ernest advised the route closures and detours will be shared with the police officers at the Grand Prix event to properly direct residents.
• LBPD has doubled their number of quality-of-life officers and they are working with the MSC to set up a mobile MSC unit at Lincoln Park every Wednesday.
• March 29th from 6pm-8pm there will be a Commander Forum in the community room at the police station on Broadway.

b. Department of Public Works – Clean Team
c. Department of Health and Human Services
d. City Prosecutor

• Reiner will prepare something for the next committee meeting to go over the services her department provides.

5. Staff Report
a. In person committee meetings in March 2023
   • Krieger advised the in-person requirements are challenging for him and he would like to look at alternative options.
   • DLBA will investigate the requirements and bring that back to the Committee.
b. Clean and Safe RFP
   • The Clean and Safe RFP will be released next week on Tuesday 3/28/23.

6. Public Comment (Three minutes on all non-agenda items)
7. Old Business
8. New Business
9. Adjournment
   Adjourned at 4:16 PM.

Next Public Safety Committee Meeting
IN PERSON
DLBA Conference Room
100 W Broadway, Suite 120
Long Beach, CA 90802
Wednesday, April 26, 2023 at 3PM

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