

## **MEMBERS**

Isidro Panuco, Chair

Cheryl Roberts, Vice Chair

Yolanda Baltazar

Paul Boyd-Batstone

Jane Gould

Terrence Krieger

**Robb Smith** 

## **STAFF**

Broc Coward, COO

Kelsey Mader, Executive Assistant

Amanda Barrera, Administrative Assistant

## PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, November 16, 2022 3PM

## **DLBA Conference Room**

100 W Broadway, Suite 120 Long Beach, CA 90802

OR

Join Zoom Meeting

Meeting ID: 864 1547 8706 Passcode: 831558

**Voting Present:** Isidro Panuco, Cheryl Roberts, Jane Gould, Terry Krieger, Robb

Smith, Paul Boyd-Batstone.

Voting Absent: Yolanda Baltazar.

**DLBA Staff:** Broc Coward, Amanda Barrera. **Guests:** Sergeant Derek Ernest, Daniel Brezenoff.

 Call to Order, Welcome and Introductions – Isidro Panuco, Chair Meeting Presentation. Called to order at 3:08PM.

2. ACTION: Approve minutes from October 26, 2022 Meeting

MOTION: Ist: Roberts; 2nd: Smith.

**VOTE:** None opposed. Krieger not present for vote. Motion passes.

- 3. Chairperson Report Panuco
  - a. FY22-23 Public Safety Committee Working Group Projects
    - i. Fresh Start Donation Program
    - ii. Safety Walk Audits
  - iii. Downtown Emergency Disaster Plan
  - b. Finalize Project Leads and Membership
    - Smith volunteered to lead the Fresh Start Donation Program.
    - Boyd-Batstone will lead the Safety Walk Audits while Krieger was also added to the group.
    - Baltazar was added to the Emergency Disaster Plan group.
  - c. FY22-23 Project Phases and Milestones
    - The launch dates and running time for The Fresh Start Donation Program needs to be determined by the working group.
    - The Walk Audit working group will determine walk audit issues, quadrants, schedules, and collateral prior to scheduling the first audit.
    - The Emergency Disaster Plan working group will research what plans
      Downtown Long Beach already has in place while looking into other city's
      disaster planning.
- 4. Public Safety Partners Report
  - Sergeant Ernest advised there was an arrest made that was tied to at least 10 burglaries in Downtown.

100 West Broadway, Ste 120 Long Beach, CA 90802 T: 562.436.4259 F: 562.437.7850



- He added that the narcotics team has been staffed once more, and informed 5 felony arrests were made by bike officers.
- The LBPD has transitioned to a new reporting system so recent stats will not be available until January/February.
- 5. Staff Report
  - a. Summary of Downtown Community Forums
    - DLBA, City, and Stakeholders held a meeting to discuss recent string of break ins, vandalism, and crime increase within the Downtown.
    - The Public Safety Committee will be invited to participate in future community forums including Coffee with a Cop.
- 6. Public Comment (Three minutes on all non-agenda items)
  - Brezenoff advised he is leaving The Mayor's office and will be working with Lutheran and Social Services in Long Beach.
- 7. Old Business
- 8. New Business
- 9. Adjournment Adjourned at 4:19PM.

Next Public Safety Committee Meeting December Meeting - Cancelled

Wednesday, January 25, 2022 3PM

Mission: Cultivate, preserve, and promote a healthy, safe and prosperous Downtown for all.

All meetings held by the Downtown Long Beach Alliance shall be conducted in compliance with the Brown Act, California Government Code Section 54950 et seq., and its requirement that public commissions, boards, councils, and public agencies conduct business openly. The agenda and supporting documents are available on the Internet at http://downtownlongbeach.org. E-Mail correspondence regarding agenda items can be directed to <a href="mailto:info@dlba.org">info@dlba.org</a>. Agenda items may also be reviewed as posted in public view at the DLBA offices or at City Hall. If special accommodation is desired pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, please make your request by phone to (562) 436-4259, by noon the day prior to the meeting.