

DLBA Public Safety Committee

October 25, 2023



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

1. Roll Call

Chair Cheryl Robers, Vice Chair Antonio Gallardo, Paul Boyd-Batstone, Terrence Krieger, Robb Smith, Vincent Severen, Paul Hargis, Andrew Fiorentino, and Teri Tan

2. Minutes

Action: Approve minutes from the September 27, 2023 meeting.

3. Chairperson's Report

Cheryl Roberts

Chair

3a. FY22-23 Project Summary

Project #1: Fresh Start Donation Program (Lead: Smith)

Group: Boyd-Batstone, Smith, Gould, Panuco

Milestones:

Over 2,135 items collected and distributed to Long Beach Rescue Mission, Mental Health America Los Angeles, and U.S Vets Long Beach.



3a. FY22-23 Project Summary

Goal #2: Downtown Safety Walk Audits (Lead: Boyd-Batstone)

Group: Roberts, Boyd-Batstone, Smith, Panuco, Krieger

Milestones:

- Monthly walks reporting sidewalk hazards, vandalism, light fixtures and trees.
- Survey

3a. FY22-23 Project Summary

Goal #3: Emergency Disaster Plan (Lead: Roberts)
Group: Panuco, Baltazar, Vincent

Milestones:

- Emergency Preparedness Action Plan for Downtown Long Beach.

3b. FY23-24 Potential Committee Working Group Projects

- De-Escalation Application for Homelessness Resource/Guide
- Scooter Safety
- Fresh Start
- Safety Walk Audit

4. Public Safety Partners Update

- a. LBPD South Division
- b. Department of Public Works
- c. Department of Health and Human Services
- d. Long Beach City Prosecutor



5. Staff Report

Juan Torres

Operations Manager

5. Staff Report

- a. Clean and Safe Update
 - a. Assistance in problematic areas
 - b. Increase foot patrol

6. Public Comment
(three minutes on all non-agenda items)
7. Old Business
8. New Business
9. Adjournment