

Porter Ranch Neighborhood Council

Police, Fire and Safety Sub-committee Meeting

PRNC Police, Fire and Safety Meeting

Date of Meeting: June 16, 2004 Time :6:P.M. Location: St.Euphrasia

Committee Members Present: Irv Cohen, Mike Dobry, Becky Leveque, Vasdev Singh, Wayne Song, John Manning (Basic Car 17A27 Chairperson)

Committee Members Absent: Matt Gluck, Paula Cracium, Richard Gump, Mark Matsuyama, Ana Maria Mochado, Nina Perry, Stephanie Simpson, Bobbi Zito

Items Addressed:

- Porter Ranch Crime
 - Crime in Porter Ranch is very low
 - Average # of Patrol Cars active in Devonshire: 3 cars per watch for the entire Devonshire Area, that is why we need a strong Neighborhood Watch Program in place. Devonshire has lost 47% of our officers since Mission Station opened. We lost 20% of our area. We need more officers.
- Police and Fire access to gated communities
 - Meet with Homeowners Associations and find a way for easier access to gated communities in Porter Ranch for crime response
- Community Policing-Neighborhood Watch Participation
 - Initial planning for start up meetings to implement Neighborhood Watch in the gated communities
 - Ways to get the community to attend our Basic Car Meeting which occurs the 3rd Thursday of each month. At this meeting we are given current crime trends that affect Porter Ranch. We are given information on how to repress these crimes.
- Review of Needs Assessment lists from: LAPD, Devonshire Area, LAFD Station #28, LAFD Station #8, Northridge Little League
 - The Safety Committee requested the following items be purchased for the following groups:
 - Fire Department
 - Fire Station #8 (Tampa)
 - Washing machine that has a sanitizing cycle \$1100.
 - Dryer 800.
 - Emergency Generator 2400.
 - Fire Station #28 (Corbin)
 - Dishwasher 500.
 - Los Angeles Police Department, Devonshire Area
 - Two 20"X10" Metal storage containers 8000.
 - Microwave 150.

Northridge Little League

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- Defibulator
2500.00

The meeting ended at 7:00 and we attended the Basic Car Meeting