

PUBLIC SAFETY & HOMELESSNESS COMMITTEE MINUTES (02/26/26 MEETING)

On February 26, 2026, the Public Safety and Homelessness Committee of the SCNC held a regular meeting.

Meeting was called to order at approximately 7:04 p.m.

1. Committee members who were present: *Jeff Hartwick (Chair & Corresponding Secretary)*, *Jill Anderson (Stakeholder)*, *Charlotte Larsen (Board Member)*, *Michael Jedrzejewski (Board Member)*, *Pamela Raber (Stakeholder)*. Quorum established.
2. The chair delivered a brief opening statement.
3. Public comments were made. Stakeholder Troy Garrett brought up his concerns about automatic license plate readers (ALPRs) being used by law enforcement and citizens, especially Flock cameras. Stakeholder Peter Cole gave an update about Johnathan, said a RO was not properly filed. Pamela Raber discussed problems with "Steve" who resides in the Agnes St.
4. No report from our new SLO or CPAB.
5. Discussion was made about the NLT. Jerry is making progress and will reach out to other leaders in local neighborhood watch programs.
6. A possible CERT Pop-Up drill was discussed. Jerry will reach out to Christy of CERT.
7. The Committee discussed appointing three Homelessness Liaisons with the city. The Committee voted unanimously to appoint Jeff Hartwick, Michael Jedrzejewski, and Pamela Raber as representatives.
8. Luis Oliart provided a Streets report. Discussed Vineland bridge problems.
9. Discussion held about designating new 41.18 zones in problematic homeless areas. They are: (1) Tujung and 101; (2) Vineland/Bluffside; and (3) Whitsett/Riverside near Thirsty Merchant.
10. For future topics, Charlotte Larsen brought up clothes drive for homeless. Chair will reach out to Unitarian Church. Also discussed was a possible RFA regarding the need for a fire evacuation plan for the Studio City hills in the event of a major fire.
11. The meeting was adjourned at 8:57 p.m.