

March 08, 2006 **MEETING MINUTES 03/08/2006**

Paul Lennon, SDPD CRO
SDFD Duty Captain, Station 33 **NO SHOW**
Marie Graver, SDPD RSVP
Jacquie Nelson, NHW
Jim Harmon, EPP
Robert Dunlap, RBCC **EXCUSED**
Diane Peters, RBCC
Nancy Linton, RBCC
Ralph Stewart, RBCC **EXCUSED**
Karen Rott, RBCC
Denny Roe, RBCC & PSC Chair

Agenda for upcoming regularly scheduled meeting of the Public Safety Committee of the Rancho Bernardo Community Council, March 08, 2006, 9:00 am, RB Library, small upstairs meeting room (please come prepared and try to keep things moving along): **called to order 9:02 am, adjourned 10:14 am**

1. Review and approve corrected minutes of February PSC meeting **APPROVED**
2. Emergency Preparedness, Jim Harmon **[I] San Diego County Unified District Council meeting with representative from FEMA and Homeland Security to be held downtown in the County Administration building, I did not get the date, [II] Upcoming RBEPP communications drill is scheduled for April 13, [III] Recognition party held February 10 was a big success, names to be published in our local newspapers**
3. Neighborhood Watch, Jacquie Nelson & Denny Roe **Jacquie expressed strong objection to PSC year-end report (preliminary version): Jacquie states that EPP, NHW and RSVP do not need PSC, rather PSC needs EPP, NHW and RSVP, and PSC should be passing information on to each community represented, this done by representatives for each community, and as noted above, the February 10 recognition party was well received – Jim Harmon and Paul Lennon clarified that police communication to the community could be through PSC during daytime hours or**

Council in the evenings, and Paul prefers daytime hours, thus the PSC is the official communication channel from the police to our community, Nancy Goodrich used to also present at the evening Council meetings, not necessary and redundant

- 4. Crime statistics, Paul Lennon Car prowls are on the rise, people need to be more careful not to leave items visible in their cars! Gold Town Jewelry was robbed, World Savings Bank was robbed, Paul is becoming more involved in Homeland Security and may not be as available to us during the near future, he is going to Arizona for special training – San Diego is not considered a big security risk because the terrorists like to achieve maximum iconic value from their acts and we do not have targets that give them maximum iconic value, such as big theme parks, the Golden Gate Bridge, places lots of people will feel threatened and business habits will change as a result**
- 5. RSVP statistics and RB Police Storefront, Marie Graver CRIME PREVENTION is patrolling known problem sites (San Rafael Church is one such site with recent car break-in problems), DEFICIENCIES REPORTED are things like trees blocking signs, potential problems that some remedial maintenance can fix, HOMELAND SECURITY consists of three specific places checked (not made public), VACATION HOUSE CHECKS are popular during holidays, and lead to donations to the program, YANA visits to You Are Not Alone residents, elder residents living alone, keeps tabs on these people and also leads to donations – fingerprinting, no longer offered by RSVP, has moved to high tech, computerized, at specific police stations**
- 6. fire statistics (when Duty Captain arrives), Duty Captain NO REPORT**
- 7. Defibrillators, Diane Peters List being published, Jim Harmon likes to see this list published “regularly” – not annually as suggested in PSC year end report**
- 8. SDFD support and station 33, Karen Rott station 33 renovations making progress – a long way yet to go**

9. SDPD support, Ralph Stewart **NO REPORT**

Making a positive difference in the areas of our police/RSVP, fire fighters, emergency preparedness and neighborhood watch!