



# Agenda

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**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**  
**Tuesday, August 15, 2017, 4:00 PM**  
**City Council Chambers**  
**200 Lincoln Avenue, Santa Fe, NM 87501**

1. Roll Call
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of the May 16, 2017 and July 18, 2017 Minutes
4. New Business:
  - A. A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF "EL GRITO", AN ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF MEXICAN INDEPENDENCE DAY ON SEPTEMBER 16, 2017; AND WAIVING ALL ASSOCIATED FEES. (Mayor Gonzales and Councilor Ives) (Jesse Guillen)
  - B. APPROVAL OF THE ACCEPTANCE OF NEW MEXICO URBAN SEARCH AND RESCUE (USAR) EQUIPMENT FOR SANTA FE FIRE DEPARTMENT AND SANTA FE POLICE DEPARTMENT. (David Siler, Emergency Management Director)
  - C. APPROVAL TO PURCHASE 30 PANASONIC TOUGHBOOKS CF-33 TABLETS. (Deputy Chief Andrew Padilla)
  - D. APPROVAL TO PURCHASE 26 REPLACEMENT POLICE VEHICLES (Deputy Chief Andrew Padilla)
5. Matters from Municipal Court Judge Virginia Vigil
6. Matters from Police Chief Patrick Gallagher
7. Matters from Fire Chief Erik Litzenberg
8. Matters from the Regional Emergency Communications Center Ken Martinez
9. Communications from the Floor
10. Matters from Committee Members
11. Adjournment

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1. Roll Call

**Present**

Councilor Chris Rivera  
Peter Mizrahi  
Herbert Harris  
Dr. Nancy Owen Lewis  
Joe Arellano  
Dr. Mike Mier  
Eric Johnson  
Mike Bowen

**Absent/Excused**

**Others Present:**

Patrick Gallagher, Santa Fe Police Chief  
Mario Salbidrez, Deputy Police Chief  
Deputy Chief Andrew Padilla  
Jessica Pfeiffer, Office Manager, SFPD  
Chief, Santa Fe Fire Chief

Fran Lucero, Stenographer

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- A. A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF "EL GRITO", AN ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF MEXICAN INDEPENDENCE DAY ON SEPTEMBER 16, 2017; AND WAIVING ALL ASSOCIATED FEES.

Staff not present for this item. The Chair provided information on the request and asked the committee members if they had questions or their wishes for action on this item. Dr. Mier referred to the fiscal report and noted the cost for public safety for this event. Police estimated a cost of approximately \$2000 and Fire estimated a cost of \$1000 for one med standby. It is expected that this cost would be absorbed in the budget.

***Dr. Mier moved to forward without recommendation, second by Mr. Harris, motion carried by unanimous voice vote.***

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Chief noted that this is a formality for equipment that was available when the (Urban Search and Rescue) USAR disbanded. A list of the equipment is included in the memorandum dated July 27, 2017 and included in the packet for Public Safety committee member review. The process did start with the equipment being set for auction and giving the opportunity to the Fire Department to see what they could use. The agreement must be signed prior to the pick-up of items. This sub-grant will be presented to Finance Committee on August 21<sup>st</sup> and City Council on August 30, 2017.

Mr. Harris wanted to know if the Fire Department has the staff to operate this equipment and the Chief confirmed yes they do.

***Dr. Mier moved to approve the acceptance of New Mexico Urban Search and Rescue (USAR) equipment for Santa Fe Fire Department and Santa Fe Police Department, second by Dr. Nancy Owen Lewis, motion carried by unanimous voice vote.***

C. APPROVAL TO PURCHASE 30 PANASONIC TOUGHBOOKS CF-33 TABLETS. (Deputy Chief Andrew Padilla)

These tablets will be used by our patrol officers, animal service officers and public safety aides to document calls for service, monitor the calls for service, issue citations and photograph minor scenes with its built in camera and further assist them perform their daily duties. The tablets also detach and the officer can use out in the field. Items will be purchased through the GRT funds.

Dr. Owen Lewis asked how often they get replace, what is the lifetime of the tablets.

Deputy Chief Padilla stated that in the past they have relied heavily on a grant to purchase these tablets/notebooks. At this time they are trying to phase out the old XP tablets. Over the last couple of years they have been purchased with money through their own budgets. Since the inception of the program in 2013-14 they had to rely on the grant. The lifespan if the officer takes care of it is 5-6 years average. One of the original tablets was replaced this year and it was about 10 years and it was not upgradeable. Tablets will be purchased from Grants & Technology Veterans, LLC which has an active Statewide Price Agreement on file.

Mr. Harris asked if the tablets are compatible with all other technology they use in the SFPD. Deputy Chief Padilla responded, yes. It will require a newer docking station which will go in the new vehicles; the older tablets will go in the older units.

The Chair asked if the IT Department provides technical support for these tablets and Deputy Chief Padilla responded, yes.

The Chair asked for clarification on the Amendment for Purchase where it has 15 vendors. Is the Vendor that you chose to purchase from on this Vendor list? Deputy Chief Padilla referred the Chair to page 8, 3<sup>rd</sup> vendor highlighted is the choice. The other 15 are listed on the state price agreement.

***Dr. Mier moved to approve the purchase of 30 Panasonic Toughbook's CF-33 tablets, second by Mr. Harris, motion carried by unanimous voice vote.***

D. APPROVAL TO PURCHASE 26 REPLACEMENT POLICE VEHICLES

Deputy Chief Padilla noted the request is to purchase 26 replacement vehicles, 20 will be patrol units, 4 will be public safety units and 2 will be used for Investigation/Administrative units. Last year they purchased 30 vehicles. This year the request is being consistent based on budget of \$1.3 million which they average based on the cost of vehicles going up, to 26 vehicles.

(Correction to page #2 where it refers to cost for 30 vehicles, it should reflect 26 vehicles.) The cost is \$2,000 more from the request last year. Request is to purchase 10 – Ford Taurus, 10 – Ford Explorer and 2 Admin/Investigation Units, which is a Ford Fusion hybrid and 4 Explorer's for Public Safety. Page 2 shows a description of all the equipment that goes in to the vehicles. Deputy Chief Padilla provided detail on the ballistic panels which are installed in the doors for the safety of the officers which is approximately \$20,000. Had they not installed this feature they may have been able to purchase an additional vehicle.

Dr. Mier referred to the panels and asked up to what tolerance or caliber can they stand.

Deputy Chief Padilla responded up to a rifle round.

Dr. Mier asked if the equipment that is added to these vehicles, is it new or used. Deputy Chief Padilla confirmed that it is all brand new.

Dr. Owen-Lewis asked what they do with the vehicles that are being replaced. Deputy Chief Padilla responded that they are sent off to auction. The revenue that is earned as a result from these sales goes back in to the general fund. Dr. Owen-Lewis asked if an amount was known for these sales in the past. Deputy Chief Padilla said he did not have an amount but included in the packet are sheets that indicate the blue book fleet value. A lot depends on the mileage of these vehicles as an example 2007-2009 Impala's over 100,000 miles may provide approximately \$2000 at sale time.

***Dr. Owen Lewis moved to approve the purchase of 26 replacement police vehicles at a total price of \$1.3 million dollars, second by Mr. Harris, motion carried by unanimous voice vote.***

5. Matters from Municipal Court Judge Virginia Vigil  
Report in packet. Mr. Mizrahi reiterated that the request was for the Judge to attend meetings at least quarterly. Ms. Pfeiffer will follow-up with the Judge to extend this invitation and request for her attendance at the next meeting and quarterly to follow.
6. Matters from Police Chief Patrick Gallagher  
Crime statistics were reported and shared with the Public Safety Committee. There is 28% decrease in robberies and a slight decrease in residential burglaries. Motor vehicle thefts not just in Santa Fe but also throughout New Mexico are at a high, 21% increase in Santa Fe. The Narcotics Unit continues to have success on their cases with arrests. The unit itself has 186 cases assigned, 139 arrests, 16 search warrants and over \$40,000 seized in narcotics year-to-date. Vacancy problem continues; there are 20 vacancies at this time.

Chief Gallagher provided information regarding the gentleman who has been exposing himself in a certain area of Santa Fe and as much information as he could share. Dr. Mier asked if there was a reason that the streets and/or location this person has been could be shared as it affects the area where he and other residents live that are concerned for their safety. Chief Gallagher said that he would share the locations with the committee members. He stated that they have 4 confirmed incidents related to this area and there are 2 persons of interest that they are looking at.

Mr. Mizrahi asked if the Santa Fe Police Department has experienced any problems with their Ford Explorers, as this has been a topic in the news recently. Chief Gallagher stated that they have not had any problems to date but they took the pre-caution by purchasing the carbon monoxide detectors for their units. Chief understands that this is not a Ford manufacturing default but Ford will help fix even though this is not their problem.

The Chair asked with the murders and homicides going up, is it know what they are associated with? Chief Gallagher stated that substance abuse is a common denominator, domestic violence and \_\_\_\_\_; these three are the common denominators. The Police Department is always worried about homicides but there are now random acts happening in the streets, people known to each other and creating the homicides. The Chair noted going from zero last year to 6 this year is very concerning. The Chair also noted the statistics for arson's has also gone up and asked if this is something they should be concerned about. Chief Gallagher said this is due to the Arson Task Force making the police department more aware and reporting. It provides more information and can be contained; he does not see a reason to be concerned at this time. There is more awareness and it is being reported and people are seeing that the Police Department is taking this seriously. Chief Gallagher also stated that in the past it wasn't looked at as a reportable statistic and they are reporting now.

7. Matters from Assistant Chief Jan Snyder

Wild Fire Crews are assisting with fires out west in Oregon and Montana. They are part of the (RMP) Research Mobilization Program of New Mexico; they get reimbursed for this service. The firefighters should be home next week.

The Academy started with 20 individuals yesterday. Traditionally they start with 20 but they do not graduate 20; usually 2 out of 20 drop out; normally for injuries. Estimated graduation day is around Thanksgiving. November/December they would be on probation for a year, they will be out in the field.

The new ambulance has been received and it should be out in the streets in the next week or so once all apparatus has been installed.

For future agenda topics the Chief will be discussing new apparatus purchases in conjunction with budget. The SFFD is due a new engine this year and the request



will also include smaller vehicles, all to come before the Public Safety Committee for review and approval in the near future. Assistant Chief Snyder said that they are also progressing on their CIP projects, remodeling of Fire Station #6 as an operational station, the new construction of Fire Station #2 will be in the annexation area of 599 and South Meadows. The budget also includes money to remodel the training center on Siler Road.

Mr. Mizrahi asked which ambulance is being replaced. Assistant Chief Snyder responded mid-3 at Station 3; it will go in reserved status.

The Chair asked about the plans for the upcoming Fiesta and Indian Market; are both SFFD and SFPD all coordinated. (Public Safety will not meet until after these events have taken place).

Both Chief's confirmed that they have met and have plans for both events and they are not anticipating any problems with staffing and program initiatives at this time. Police Chief Gallagher said that they have had meetings with Kiwanis and the detailed plan is being coordinated, i.e. Zozobra and downtown traffic. No foreseeable problems.

Dr. Mier asked if there are any new road closures. Chief Salbidrez said there would not be road closures; there will be new exiting plan from Zozobra. Screening and ticketing will take place behind the Masonic Temple. Pedestrian traffic will be limited up to Rosario. Road closures will start at approximately 5:00 pm; there will be larger trucks to block where pedestrians are walking.

The Chair asked if any of the 20 cadets are from the Wild Life team. Assistant Chief Snyder said there are 3 that came out of that program. The Chair asked if it was a good team program to get them trained and excited. Assistant Chief said yes, it is beneficial you can acquaint yourself with the individuals that you might someday hire.

8. Matters from the Regional Emergency Communications Center Ken Martinez  
Not present.

9. Communications from the Floor  
None

10. Matters from Committee Members

Dr. Mier – 1511 5<sup>th</sup> Street. He talked about a vacant lot adjacent to this address. Dr. Mier volunteers for Bienvenidos; they are an organization that feed the homeless and a variety of other things. Volunteers work there 4-days a week, there is always a presence there. The vacant lot presents potential danger to these volunteers. There is a volunteer who has brought this concern to the city and nothing has been done. The volunteers themselves have spent time trying to clean the lot as best they can. Dr. Mier said to his knowledge this lot doesn't belong to

anyone yet the city said they would contact the owner to get them to keep it in better shape. That never transpired. This week there was a truck parked under the trees, the homeless make their tent homes out of card board, they are not clean and the homeless are urinating there, it has turned in to a camp ground. This lot needs to be cleaned. Dr. Mier would like to have this on the agenda, he would like to have both Chief's look at this area and have city staff look in to this hazardous area.

The Chair directed staff to contact Lisa Martinez and Matt O'Riley from Land Use to do an inspection of this area and provide a report at the next Public Safety meeting. The Chair would like to have them bring information back to the Public Safety Committee on who the owner is of this property.

Mr. Mizrahi extended his gratitude and thank you for the service that the SFFD provided in a situation where his wife needed ambulance service. Thank you.

Dr. Nancy Owen Lewis was asking about the status of the Petition from the Nava Ade area. The residents are asking her what the status is of the petition they left to be given to the Mayor.


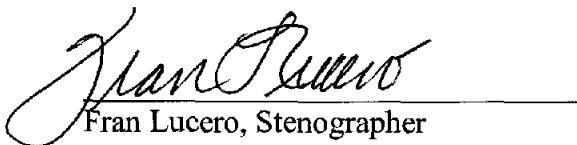
Ms. Pfeiffer stated that when she received the information from the gentlemen (name unknown at this time), there was no petition attached and she believed that the petition had been sent to the Mayor directly. The only information attached to the e-mail was the pictures but a petition was not attached.

Dr. Nancy Owen Lewis will provide this information back to those who are inquiring. Ms. Pfeiffer said if they want her to forward the petition to the Mayor, she would be more than happy to do so.

11. Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Public Safety Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 5:00 pm. Next meeting scheduled for September, 2017.

Signature Page:

  
City Councilor Chris Rivera, Chair  
Fran Lucero, Stenographer

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Exhibit "1"