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DANIEL STEIDLEChief of Police

City of Pacifica Illegal Fireworks Task Force Committee Minutes from Meeting of Thursday, April 19, 2018

Chief Steidle called the meeting to order at 6:10 PM

Present: Chief Dan Steidle, PL Domingo (Phantom Fireworks), Patrick Chiechi, Dave Mercurio

The minutes of the April 5, 2019 meeting were not voted on as we did not have a quorum.

The following were ideas discussed by the group:

- Using CERT volunteers in stationary positions to assist in identifying illegal fireworks violators (Chief Steidle to research)
- Staffing PD front office to increase call taking capacity
- Create fireworks violation hotline (to be answered by front office) to free 911 lines
- Communicate with San Bruno PD to learn how they deal with illegal fireworks issues (Chief Steidle to meet with Chief Barberini)
- Spotlight high call areas with media campaign
- Create 4th of July video this year to showcase PD work on the 4th
- The culture needs to change, while enforcement is necessary, we cannot enforce the problem away
- Highlight wildfire danger of illegal fireworks

Public comment was opened with no members of the public requesting to speak.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:50 PM.

Next Meeting: Thursday, May 10, 2018

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