



Public Safety Committee

Meeting Minutes

Friday, April 17, 2026, 1 p.m.
SANDAG Boardroom
1011 Union Street, First Floor
San Diego, CA 92101

**Voting Members
Present:**

Vice Chair Kevin Shin (North County Coastal)
Mayor Pro Tem Jessyka Heredia (East County)
Councilmember Judy Fitzgerald (North County Inland)
Councilmember Carolina Chavez (South County)
Captain Henry Martin (County Chiefs / Sheriffs Association - Seat A)
Captain Mark Harris (County Chiefs / Sheriffs Association - Seat B)
Undersheriff Richard Williams (County Sheriff)
Chief Dave McQuead (Regional Fire / Emergency Medical Services)
Deputy Chief Donald Holmes (San Diego County District Attorney)
Assistant Chief Erwin Manansala (San Diego Police Department)

**Voting Members
Absent:**

Councilmember Vivian Moreno (City of San Diego)
Supervisor Joel Anderson (County of San Diego)

Others Present:

Abigail Torres (County Public Safety)

Visitors:

Richard Lumugai, Federal Public Safety

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1. Call to Order

Vice Chair Shin called the meeting to order at 1:02 p.m.

2. Non-Agenda Public Comments/Member Comments

Public Comment: Purita Javier, Cesar Javier, Blair Beekman, The OriginalDra, Roland Serna.

Member Comments: None.

Chief Executive Officer Mario Orso presented an update on agency activities.

3. Consent

3.1 Approval of Meeting Minutes

Public Comment: Cesar Javier, The OriginalDra, Blair Beekman

Motioned by: Councilmember Chavez

Seconded by: Mayor Pro Tem Heredia

to approve the January 16, 2026, meeting minutes.

For (9): Vice Chair Kevin Shin, Mayor Pro Tem Heredia, Councilmember Chavez, Captain Martin, Captain Harris, Undersheriff Williams, Chief McQuead, Deputy Chief Holmes, and Assistant Chief Manansala

Abstain (1): Councilmember Fitzgerald

Absent (2): Councilmember Moreno, and Supervisor Anderson

The motion passed. (9 to 0)

4. Draft FY 2027 Automated Regional Justice Information System Budget

Principal Technology Program Manager Noy Lithyovong and Director of Automated Regional Justice Information System (ARJIS) Anthony Ray presented the 2025 ARJIS Accomplishments and FY 2027 Draft Budget. The Public Safety was asked to recommend the Board of Directors accept the Automated Regional Justice Information System Budget.

Public Comment: Cesar Javier, Blair Beekman, TheOriginalDra, Andrea Ebbing

Motioned by: Undersheriff Williams

Seconded by: Councilmember Fitzgerald

to recommend the Board of Directors approve the FY 2027 Automated Regional Justice Information System Budget.

For (10): Vice Chair Kevin Shin, Mayor Pro Tem Heredia, Councilmember Fitzgerald, Councilmember Chavez, Captain Martin, Captain Harris, Undersheriff Williams, Chief McQuead, Deputy Chief Holmes, and Assistant Chief Manansala

Absent (2): Councilmember Moreno, and Supervisor Anderson

The motion passed. (10 to 0)

5. Draft FY 2027 Criminal Justice Work Program and Budget

Principal Research Analyst Dr. Octavio Rodriguez presented the Criminal Justice Work Program and FY 2027 Draft Budget. The Public Safety Committee was asked to recommend that the Board of Directors accept the Criminal Justice Work Program and Budget as part of the FY 2027 Program Budget.

Public Comment: Cesar Javier, TheOriginalDra, Andrea Ebbing, Blair Beekman

Motioned by: Councilmember Chavez

Seconded by: Undersheriff Williams

to recommend that the Board of Directors approve the Criminal Justice Work Program and Budget as part of the FY 2027 Program Budget.

For (10): Vice Chair Kevin Shin, Mayor Pro Tem Heredia, Councilmember Fitzgerald, Councilmember Chavez, Captain Martin, Captain Harris, Undersheriff Williams, Chief McQuead, Deputy Chief Holmes, and Assistant Chief Manansala

Absent (2): Councilmember Moreno, and Supervisor Anderson

The motion passed. (10 to 0)

6. Mid-Year 2025 Crime Preliminary Report

Dr. Rodriguez presented the preliminary results of the 2025 mid-year crime report. This item was presented for information only.

Public Comment: Andrea Ebbing, TheOriginalDra, Blair Beekman

7. Adjournment

The next Public Safety Committee meeting is scheduled for Friday, May 15, 2026, at 1 p.m.

Vice Chair Shin adjourned the meeting at 2:31 p.m.