

**ALAMEDA COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS'
PUBLIC PROTECTION COMMITTEE**

**Thursday, September 28, 2023
10:00 a.m.**

**Supervisor Elisa Márquez, Chair
Supervisor Nate Miley, excused**

**Location: Board of Supervisors Chambers
County Administration Building
1221 Oak Street, Suite 512
Oakland, CA 94612**

Webinar: <https://zoom.us/j/99247500951>

SUMMARY/ACTION MINUTES

I. Nurse Practitioner Response Unit Program Update

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Ryan Nishimoto, Deputy Chief, Operations, Alameda County Fire Department, presented a PowerPoint presentation on the Nurse Practitioner Response Unit Program.

The Nurse Practitioner Response Unit program was created to provide an immediate alternative response to non-violent individuals experiencing mental health crisis. The unit also responds to low acuity medical 911 calls, allowing emergency response resources to remain available for emergency responses. The program aims to prevent unnecessary transport of non-emergent patients and clients to emergency departments and designated emergency psychiatric receiving centers.

Current staffing and equipment for the program includes:

- (1) Nurse Practitioner and (1) ACFD Firefighter Paramedic
- Emergency Response SUV with clinical and emergency medical equipment
- 4 10-hour weekday shifts per week
- Home base will be an ACFD Fire Station
- Telehealth capabilities

Purpose:

- Report progress**
 Advocacy or Education
 Request Public Protection Committee Recommendation or Position
 Other:

This item was informational only and required no Committee action.

II. ACTION ITEM: Alameda County Sheriff's Office Fee Schedule Proposed Increases: Latent Fingerprint, Crime Lab

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Miguel Campos, Captain, Alameda County Sheriff's Office and Steve Hayes, Crime Lab Director, Alameda County Sheriff's Office, presented a memorandum and a PowerPoint presentation on the Alameda County Sheriff's Office Fee Schedule Proposed Increases for Latent Fingerprint and Crime Lab.

The Sheriff's Office proposes to increase fees for latent fingerprint work and for work in the crime lab, which includes firearm, controlled substance, and DNA testing.

The Sheriff's Office will present this item to the full Board of Supervisors in January 2024 or thereafter.

Purpose:

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- Request Public Protection Committee Recommendation or Position**
- Other:

The Public Protection Committee did not have a quorum and therefore did not make a recommendation for this item.

III. Update on the Alameda County Sheriff’s Office Military Equipment Inventory List – continued from June 22, 2023 – agenda item I
[Attachment](#)

Miguel Campos, Captain, Alameda County Sheriff’s Office (ACSO) and Gustavo Mora, Lieutenant, Alameda County Sheriff’s Office, presented an update on the Alameda County Sheriff’s Office Military Equipment Inventory List.

On June 22, 2023, the ACSO presented a request for support of the Military Equipment Inventory list for approval by the full Board of Supervisors. Considering input from Supervisor Márquez and the community, the ACSO has modified their requests for equipment and researched specific information requested by Supervisor Márquez regarding the use of multiple projectile munitions.

Summary of use of multiple projectile munitions

There were four (4) incidents in which ACSO used multiple projectile munitions; one of which was fired from a 40MM launcher.

- All the incidents occurred inside Santa Rita Jail, during Resistive Inmate Movement (RIM) team events, and only after multiple de-escalation attempts by multiple ACSO/AFBH staff had failed.
- In each incident, the incarcerated person was given at least one hour to comply, and in one incident they were given six hours.
- None of the events exposed other incarcerated persons to the multiple projectile munitions. No substantial injuries occurred because of any of the events.
- All the events resulted in quickly securing the incarcerated person after the deployment of the multiple projectile munitions, with no injuries to ACSO staff.

Speakers

Christian Torres, Wendy Alfsen, Cecelia McClellan, Barbara Atwell, Jennifer Tu, unknown caller, Sam Martinez, Anne Janks, John Lindsay-Poland, Ricky Jr., Jackie Cota, and Cyn commented on the Alameda County Sheriff’s Office Military Equipment Inventory List.

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- Other:

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PUBLIC COMMENT

John Lindsay-Poland commented that certain scatter shot weapons can cause pain to individuals.