



ADVISORY BOARD

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SHERIFF'S ADVISORY BOARD

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The Advisor

Message from the President

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I am pleased to announce that after several months of talking about creating a newsletter, we finally have one. The intent of this newsletter is to provide our members with important information relating to how we are doing as an organization, what projects we are currently working on and most importantly how you can become involved with what is happening within the SAB. It is also my hope that by letting each of you know the direction we are heading, you will want to become more involved.



Bob Roseberry
SAB President

Each month I will distribute this newsletter to our members making sure it covers all the necessary topics and provides each of you with all the information you need to have. However, in order to make this a success, I will need your help. No, don't stop reading now, it's not anything major that I need. What I need is simply feedback from you on our newsletter and input from some of you for the newsletter. Lets face it, without each of us lending a hand, the organization can't possibly succeed.

Bob

SAB Monthly Meetings

NEW DATE

NEW TIME

NEW LOCATION

In order to attempt to get a better turnout for our monthly meetings we have decided to change the format and location. This month, we will be meeting in Campbell at the A Bellagio Restaurant, located at 33 S. Central Ave. Besides changing the location, we have also changed the time and date. June's meeting will be held on Thursday, June 14th at 11:45. If you are interested in what the SAB Board talks about or if you have some suggestions, please don't hesitate to stop by. See you there.

Special points of interest:

- Know a perspective member? Have them join.
- Don't forget your dues payment.
- Please provide feedback on our newsletter to Bob Roseberry.

Situational Training Facility Update

I know many of you are probably wondering what is going on with the Situational Training Facility and have we just lost interest in it. Well, let me assure you it is still moving forward. While the pace is extremely slow, due to issues that we have no control over, it is still going to be built. The current status as of May 1st, is that the plans have been submitted to the County Planning Department for approval and we are waiting to hear back from them. Once we get the approval on the plans we will be engaging in a contract to have the first building built. This building will be a warehouse style building and can be used for numerous training efforts. I know this project seems to be going very slow, but we have all been working hard to get through all the obstacles that have been placed in front of us. Bottom line, it will be built.



Sheriff's Office - STF Situational Training Facility.

Quarterly Cocktail Meeting

The SAB will be hosting a quarterly cocktail social very soon at the Showroom Auto Sales located at 966 S. Bascom Ave in San Jose. This will be a great opportunity to get together and socialize with other members. We are trying to arrange for a guest speaker to make a presentation which I am sure will interest all.

Make sure you mark your calendar and plan on attending the event. Aside from the guest speaker, other members of the Sheriff's Office will be attending, including the Sheriff. This provides us with a great chance to socialize and get to know members of the Sheriff's Office for which we are helping. See you there.



Meet the SAB Executive Board

Bob Roseberry - President

Steve Hunt - Director

Jim Campagna - Vice President

Bill Gates - Director

Sean Parr -Secretary

Jim Reese - Director

Joe Ziegler -Treasurer

Michelle Reese - Director

Clarence Stone - Director

Daisy Chu - Director

Gregg Dietz - Director

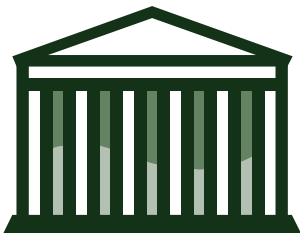
Heather Navas - Director

Ron Battistella - Director

Tim Harris - Director

John DuBois - Director

Mohinder Mann - Director



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Financial Status

I am very pleased to announce that our current fiscal status is looking excellent. We have slightly over \$267,000 in our accounts and have placed ourselves in a position to continue being able to provide monetary and material support to the Sheriff's Office. During the last fiscal year, the SAB spent a little over \$110,000 assisting the department and purchasing equipment for the line staff. Some of the items which were purchased included Bail Out Bags, a trailer for Special Ops, tickets for the Grand Prix, tickets for Day at the San Jose Giants game. Other assistance included sponsorship for the State Sheriff's Dinner, plans for the Situational Training Facility and financial assistance with Best in the West.



Needles to say, we are certainly on the right path and our financial status is of such that we can continue with the proposed funding the new training facility, which once completed will be a state-of-the-art training center.

Joe Ziegler

Letter of Appreciation

Dear SAB,

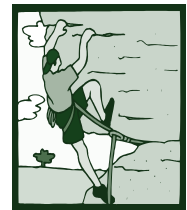
I wanted to take this opportunity, on behalf of the entire Sheriff's Office, to thank all of you for your generous gift that was presented to all of our badge staff during the Christmas season. The Bail Out Bags were received very well and are certainly viewed as an extremely useful piece of equipment. Since these bags were handed out, I have heard numerous deputies talking about them and explaining how appreciative they are of the SAB and the fact that there is a group of individuals out there that truly cares about the department and what it is we do.

I believe the face-to-face contact was also a benefit because the line staff now has a better understanding of what it the SAB does for the department. Whether it is a gift such as the bags, or the FLIR for the helicopter, or our future Situational Training Facility, the deputies now understand your commitment to the Sheriff's Office and they certainly appreciate it. As for me, I look forward to continuing my work with all of you and to advancing the efforts that you as a group have committed to.

Once again, on behalf of the entire Sheriff's Office, thank you for the bags and for everything else you have done to help our department be the agency it is.

Lindley Zink

The gift of the bags was made possible by the generosity of Frank Layton and Nick Cassarino, owners of County Comm.



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

55 W Younger
San Jose, CA 95110

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June 14th SAB Board Meeting

September 5th Academy Graduation

September 20th—21st Best if the West

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Projects Information

Over the last several years, the Advisory Board has assisted the Sheriff's Office with several projects and donations. The most recent project, which is still on-going is the Situational Training Facility. Before that, we were able to purchase the FLIR for the Sheriff's helicopter. For those of you that don't know what a FLIR is, it is a Forward Looking Infrared thermal imaging camera device that allows objects and individuals to be seen in darkness.

Obviously in between these large purchases were several smaller purchases that help the deputies complete their assignments in a safer manner. An example of this can be seen with our most recent purchase, a trailer for Special Ops to use. This trailer will be used for such things as triling their ATVs, hauling the marijuana found during their camp raids as well as delivering equipment and supplies to the teams that are working in the field on special programs. Another item that was recently purchased with the funds were the bags, which were given to every badge person within the department. The bags were purchased through County Comm, owned by our very members Frank and Nick. These bags were given to the staff at Christmas time and were received with the warmest of thoughts.

As you can see, we have been busy making deputies happy and providing usable items that assist them in the work and with their safety. Thanks to all who helped.



**Committed to assisting
the Sheriff's Office.**