



CITY COUNCIL OF PARLIER SPECIAL MEETING

DATE: Thursday, February 21, 2019

TIME: 6:30 PM

PLACE: Council Chambers
1100 East Parlier Avenue
Parlier, CA 93648

CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME:

Roll Call: Mayor Alma M. Beltran, Mayor Pro-Tem Trinidad Pimentel, Councilwoman Diane Maldonado, Councilman Noe Rodriguez, Councilman Jose Escoto, City Clerk Dorothy Garza.

FLAG SALUTE: Mayor Alma M. Beltran

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:

- 1. SUBJECT:** Central Valley Communities that Cure Violence Operational Agreement between the City of Parlier and cornerstone Community Care for the 2018 CalVIP grant.
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ADJOURNMENT

ADA NOTICE

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DOCUMENTS

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located at 1100 East Parlier Avenue, Parlier, CA during normal business hours. In addition, most documents are posted on the City's website at <http://parlier.ca.us>.

STATEMENT ON RULES OF DECORUM AND ENFORCEMENT

The Brown Act provides that members of the public have a right to attend public meetings, to provide public comment on action items and under the public forum section of the agenda, and to criticize the policies, procedures, or services of the city or of the acts or omissions of the city council. The Brown Act also provides that the City Council has the right to exclude all persons who willfully cause a disruption of a meeting so that it cannot be conducted in an orderly fashion.

During a meeting of the Parlier City Council, there is a need for civility and expedition in the carrying out of public business in order to ensure that the public has a full opportunity to be heard and that the Council has an opportunity to conduct business in an orderly manner. The following is provided to place everyone on notice of the rules of decorum and enforcement.

GENERAL RULES OF DECORUM

While any meeting of the City Council is in session, the following rules of decorum shall be observed:

1. All remarks shall be addressed to the City Council as a whole and not to any single member, unless in response to a question from a member of the City Council.
2. A person who addresses the City Council under public comment for a specific agenda item or under the Public Forum section of the agenda may not engage in speech or conduct (i) which is likely to provoke others to violent or riotous behavior, (ii) which disturbs the peace of the meeting by loud and unreasonable noise, (iii) which is irrelevant or repetitive, or (iv) which disrupts, disturbs, or otherwise impedes the orderly conduct of any City Council meeting.
3. A person, other than members of the Council and the person, who has the floor, shall not be permitted to enter into the discussion unless requested by the Mayor to speak.
4. Members of the City Council may not interrupt a person who has the floor and is making public comments. Members of the City Council shall wait until a person completes his or her public comments before asking questions or commenting. The Mayor shall then ask Council members if they have comments or questions.
5. No person in the audience at a Council meeting shall engage in disorderly or boisterous conduct, including the utterance of loud, threatening or abusive language, whistling, stamping of feet or other acts which disturb, disrupt or otherwise impeded the orderly conduct of any Council meeting.



AGENDA ITEM: _____

MEETING DATE: _____

DEPARTMENT: Grants

REPORT TO CITY COUNCIL

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BACKGROUND

The City of Parlier was awarded a CalVIP grant for \$500,000 over a 24-month period beginning Sept 1, 2018 and ending August 31, 2020. The CalVIP grant is designed to fund coordinated, collaborative strategies that are proven to be most effective at reducing violence and that focus on better outcomes in the criminal justice system and for those involved in it.

The grant funds are being used in a collaborative partnership between Parlier Police Department, CenCal Mentoring Academy at Parlier High School, Time in Destiny, Cornerstone Church, and Police Department Clergy Council through CCC to manage video policing.

CITY PROPOSAL:

The City of Parlier will implement the Communities That Cure Violence (CTCV) project, which takes a data-driven comprehensive public health approach to collaboratively and holistically reduce rising violence and criminal activity. The project addresses all violence with a focus on domestic violence and rape. The CTCV is being modeled after the former project Communities

That Care, in which the community plays a role beyond the traditional role played by police and courts. CalVIP funding will give Parlier the opportunity to implement evidence-based primary prevention strategies to change communities, families and youth. These strategies include focusing on safe dating, life skills curriculum, positive behavioral interventions and support, a sexual assault response team and Cornerstone Community Care, who will provide 24-hour domestic violence and rape support/care.

Prepared By:

Approved By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sonia Hall", written in a cursive style.

Sonia Hall
Grants Administrator

Antonio Gastelum
City Manager

Central Valley Communities that Cure Violence

OPERATIONAL AGREEMENT

This Operational Agreement stands as evidence that the City of Parlier and Cornerstone Community Care (CCC) intend to work together toward the mutual goal of providing maximum available assistance in the fight against violence. Both agencies believe that implementation of the **Central Valley Communities that Cure Violence** Initiative, as described herein, will further this goal. Each agency agrees to participate in the program by coordinating/providing the following services:

The City of Parlier's project will closely coordinate the following services with CCC through:

- Outreach workers/Crisis Responders to provide violence intervention.
- Community engagement and awareness through block parties and other methods coordinated by the CCC Project Director.
- Support the city with the Community Video Policing by assisting with the initial costs of purchasing the cameras and training the volunteers that will be monitoring the cameras. The cameras would be a donation to the city's **Central Valley Communities that Cure Violence** Initiative. The city would then take on the responsibility of the cameras.
- Provide Parlier Unified School District the initial costs to implement the PBIS program in addition to training and support.
- Domestic Violence (DV) Advocates to assist and support the victims of violence to include emergency lodging.
- Training for the DV Advocates and the police officers who respond to such cases.
- Volunteers and support with community events that are sponsored by the **Central Valley Communities that Cure Violence** Initiative.
- Attend regularly scheduled meetings that will occur monthly between the **Central Valley Communities that Cure Violence** Initiative Coalition to discuss strategies, timetables and implementation of mandated services.

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- Effective Grant performance period dates are September 1, 2018 – August 31, 2020.
- Amount designated to the agency is detailed in the budget submitted.
- Provide support and documentation needed for the evaluation and quarterly performance reports.

We the undersigned, as authorized representatives of Parlier and Cornerstone Community Care do hereby approve this document.

Jim Franklin, CEO
Cornerstone Community Care

Date

Antonio Gastelum, City Manager
City of Parlier

Date

Central Valley Communities that Cure Violence
OPERATIONAL AGREEMENT

| Cornerstone Community Care – Video Policing Program | Grant | Match |
|--|---------------------|------------------|
| Volunteer Policing Program and training for Volunteers | \$13,581 | \$25,581 |
| Supplies for the VP Program – vests, additional cameras | \$12,000 | |
| Cornerstone Community Care – PUSD | | |
| Parlier Unified addition of Dating Curriculum to Human Trafficking Curriculum | \$4,000 | |
| Teachers (in-kind) for delivering curriculum | | \$4,000 |
| Initial Costs of PBIS | \$10,000 | |
| Teachers and staff implementing PBIS | | \$10,000 |
| Cornerstone Community Care –Violence Intervention | | |
| DV Workers - Volunteers \$20/hr x 45hrs/mo X 24 mo | | \$17,280 |
| Addtl Support, Supplies, and Emergency Lodging | \$11,520 | |
| Domestic Violence Counselor | \$5000 | \$5000 |
| 2 - Street Outreach Workers | | |
| 20 hrs/wk X 4.5 wks = 90 hrs X 12 mo = 1080 X 2 workers = 2160 X 12/hr (X 2 years) | \$41,472 | |
| Director and Training | | |
| 40 hrs/mo X 12 = 480 X \$22/hr X 2 yrs | \$16,896 | |
| 10 hrs per month in-kind = 240 X \$22 | | \$4,224 |
| \$72,960 X 15% - Fringe Benefits | \$8,755 | |
| Outreach Volunteers 2895 hours X \$20/hr | | \$45,139 |
| | Total Amount | Match |
| | \$106,224 | \$106,224 |