

OAKLAND GANG CRIME SUMMIT: DAY ONE



OAKLAND – STRATEGIC EFFORTS IN CRIME AND VIOLENCE REDUCTION

Tuesday, August 24, 2010

Oakland Zoo, Zimmer Auditorium
9777 Golf Links Road, Oakland, CA

8 a.m. – 5 p.m.



Meeting Chairs:

Oakland Mayor Ronald V. Dellums and Oakland Police Chief Anthony Batts

Meeting Moderator:

Jack Calhoun, California Cities Gang Prevention Network

7:30 – 8:00 AM ~Registration & Breakfast~

8:05 – 8:25 Welcome & Opening Remarks

United States Attorney Melinda Haag, *Northern District of California*
Paul Seave, *Director, Gang and Youth Violence Policy, Governor's Office*
District Attorney Nancy O'Malley, *Alameda County*
Undersheriff Rich Lucia, *Alameda County Sheriff's Office*

8:25 – 8:55 Oakland – The Model City

Honorable Ronald V. Dellums, *Mayor, City of Oakland*

8:55 – 9:05 Oakland's Unique Perspective on Reduction of Crime and Violence

Chief Anthony Batts, *Oakland Police Department (OPD)*

PANEL A:

9:05 – 10:05 Why is Oakland Unique?

Overview of violence in Oakland including statistical data; Analysis of gangs and structure; Highlights of Measure Y supported services; Use of evidence-based best practices and evaluation; Data Analysis for identifying highest risk youth.

Presenters (**Bolded**)/Panelists:

Captain Ersie Joyner, OPD

Dr. Anthony Braga Ph.D., Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government

Sara Bedford, City of Oakland, Department of Human Services

Andy Wong, AJW Associates

Deputy Chief Jeff Israel, *OPD*

Captain Steven Tull, *OPD*

PANEL B:

10:05 – 10:35 Street Outreach/ Crisis Response: Lessons from the Streets

Focus on Oakland's on-the-ground response to violence in Oakland and coordination across multiple community and public agencies.

Presenters (**Bolded**)/Panelists:

Kevin Grant, Oakland Violence Prevention Network Coordinator

Anthony Del Toro, California Youth Outreach

Sequoia Sims, Healthy Oakland

Marilyn Washington Harris, *Khadafy Foundation for Non-Violence*

Captain Anthony Toribio, *OPD*

Kyndra Simmons-Stanley, *Youth ALIVE!*

PANEL C:

10:35 – 11:35 Oakland's California Gang Reduction, Intervention and Prevention (CalGRIP) Grant Programs

The California Gang Reduction, Intervention and Prevention Program (CalGRIP) has invested/targeted over \$48 million in state and federal funding toward local anti-gang efforts, including job training, education and intervention programs. CalGRIP combines funding from different programs and directs funding toward intervention, suppression and prevention. Highlighted in this panel are currently CalGRIP funded Oakland-based projects, status, challenges and successes, and what lies ahead.

Presenters (**Bolded**)/Panelists:

1. Call-Ins

Deputy Chief Howard Jordan, OPD

Emilio Mena, DHS Case Manager

John Creighton, Deputy District Attorney, Alameda County

Deputy Chief Jeff Israel, *OPD*

Deputy Chief Eric Breshears, *OPD*

Nat Cousins, *Assistant US Attorney, NDCA*

Denis Handis, *Chief Probation Officer, Alameda County Probation Department*

2. Oakland High School Pathways (CalGRIP Gang Prevention Collaborative)

Kitty Kelly Epstein, Ph.D., Office of the Mayor

Raquel Jimenez, Youth Engagement Specialist, Oakland Schools

3. Oakland Green Jobs Corps Program

Caz Pereira – Growth Sector

Art Shanks, Executive Director, Cypress Mandela Training Center

Peter Crabtree, *Dean, Laney College*

Dave Grueber – *Growth Sector*

PANEL D:

11:35 – 12:20 Adult Reentry

Highlights Mayor and City of Oakland's policy changes to support reentry and comprehensive wrap-around services; Focus on multi-pronged job readiness and employment efforts; Highlighting Project Choice as DOJ-funded promising practice for reentry.

Presenters (**Bolded**)/Panelists:

- **Isaac Taggart**, *Reentry Specialist, Mayor's Office*
- **Dan Simmons**, *City of Oakland, Department of Human Services*
- **John Bailey**, *President/CEO Volunteers of America*
- **Ann Diem**, *Assistant District Attorney, Alameda County*
- **Geraldine Thompson**, *CDCR Parole*

12:20 – 12:30 Morning Session Wrap-up

12:30 – 1:00 ~ LUNCH BREAK~

1:00 – 1:05 Welcome from Oakland Zoo

Nik Haas-Dehejia, Director, Strategic Initiatives

1:05 – 1:10 Afternoon Session Overview

PANEL E:

1:10 – 1:55 Juvenile Reentry

Showcase promising new best practices in Juvenile Hall reentry with multiple partners across jurisdictions and the Code 33 project with OPD at Youth UpRising.

Presenters (**Bolded**)/Panelists:

1. *Juvenile Justice Wraparound Strategy*
Castle Redmond, OUSD
Matt Golde, Deputy District Attorney, Alameda County
Peter Kim, East Bay Asian Youth Center
Captain Anthony Rachal, OPD
Deb Swanson, Alameda County Probation Department
Alan Waugh, Alameda County Probation Department
Mark Henderson, City of Oakland, Department of Human Services
2. *Code 33*
Olis Simmons, Executive Director Youth UpRising

PANEL F:

1:55 – 2:40 Oakland Unified School District Violence Prevention Initiatives

Panel discussion topics to include truancy, violence reduction, gang intervention programs and the OUSD's adopted policy framework of restorative justice.

Presenters (**Bolded**)/Panelists:

Dr. Tony Smith, Superintendent, OUSD

Monica Vaughan, Director Alternative Education

Pete Sarna, Chief OUSD Police

Teresa Drenick, Deputy District Attorney, Alameda County

Laura Moran, Assistant Superintendent

Raquel Jimenez, Youth Engagement Coordinator

PANEL G:

2:40 – 3:25 Role of Faith Based Communities in Violence Prevention

Key topics include: faith-based community organizing strategies for violence prevention, partnerships between faith communities and OPD, and faith communities as leaders in violence prevention service delivery.

Presenters (**Bolded**)/Panelists:

Debbie Snow, St. Columba Leader, Oakland Community Organizations

Most Reverend Salvatore Cordileone, Catholic Bishop of Oakland

Captain Paul Figueroa, Area 2 Commander, Oakland Police Department

Bishop Bob Jackson, Acts Full Gospel Church

Rev. Dr. J. Alfred Smith, Allen Temple Baptist Church

Rev. Raymond Lankford, Executive Director, Healthy Oakland

Rev. Dr. Laurence Van Hook, Community Christian Church for Christ

Captain Anthony Toribio, Area 1 Commander, Oakland Police Department

Ersie Joyner, Area 3 Commander, Oakland Police Department

3:25 – 3:35 ~BREAK~

3:35 – 5:00 Closing Remarks and Wrap Up

Dr. Phelan Wyrick, Ph.D., Senior Advisor, Office of Justice Programs

Dr. Sandra Webb, Ph.D., Deputy Director, COPS Office

Paul Seave, Director, Gang and Youth Violence Policy, Governor's Office

District Attorney Nancy O'Malley, Alameda County

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