SANTA CRUZ COUNTY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION AGENDA

OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

THROUGH COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS, THE COMMISSION DEVELOPS AND RECOMMENDS EDUCATION, PREVENTION, AND INTERVENTION POLICIES THAT HOLD BATTERERS ACCOUNTABLE AND ENSURE SAFETY AND SUPPORT FOR VICTIMS INCLUDING CHILDREN AND SURVIVORS.

Meeting Date: September 10, 2008

5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Location: Santa Cruz Police Department

Community Room 155 Center Street Santa Cruz, CA

Networking Time: 5:30 - 5:35

- 1. CALL TO ORDER.
- 2. Additions or Corrections to Agenda.
- 3. Corrections and Approval of Minutes:
 - A. May and June 2008 Minutes
- 4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COMMUNITY.
- 5. OLD BUSINESS.
 - A. Nomination and Election of Officers
 - B. Follow up from April Retreat: Vote
 - 1) Reconstruction:
 - 2) Community Report:
 - 3) Small Task Forces
- 6. New Business.
 - A. Discussion about information and resources going out to the community/victims
 - B. Follow-up regarding Ms. Hoefs concerns
 - C. Report from new task force on DV survivors
 - D. October is DV awareness month

- 7. TASK FORCES AND COMMITTEES
 - A. REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY (Hiromura, MacDonald, add Simonson et al.) (follow up on receiving data)
 - B. POLICY AND PROTOCOL
 - 1) MEDICAL (Goodman, Rice et al.) Receive Comments from Commissioners on draft protocol.
 - 2) LE-DV Guidelines (Schneider, Mayer, Simonson, etc.) Edits and changes to Guidelines
 - C. EDUCATION Group
- 8. Announcement from Commissioners.

 Please announce if you are attending Training or Workshops of Interest to the Commission.
- ADJOURNMENT.

NOTE:

The Commission has 28 seats, 3 of which are vacant:

Batterer's Treatment Latino (at large) Safety Net Coalition (Community Clinics)

A quorum is one more than one half of the appointed members. We have 25 appointed members right now. A quorum is 14.

Additional NOTE:

The DVC shall: "establish a committee from among its membership, with the addition of a representative of the office of the Santa Cruz County Counsel, as specified by Penal Code Section 853.6(a) to develop protocols for use by law enforcement officers and recommend the adoption of said protocols to the board of supervisors. (ord. 4329 section 1 (part), 1994)".

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Note:

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