

February 25, 2003

To: Supervisor Yvonne Brathwaite Burke, Chair
Supervisor Gloria Molina
Supervisor Zev Yaroslavsky
Supervisor Don Knabe
Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich

From: David E. Janssen
Chief Administrative Officer

STATUS REPORT – NATIONAL BIKE REGISTRY PROGRAM

On January 28, 2003, on the motion of Supervisor Knabe and amended by Supervisor Burke, your Board requested the Chief Administrative Officer and Sheriff to report back in 30 days on the National Bike Registry (NBR) program, including the possibility of implementing the program in the unincorporated areas of the County as well as any contract cities; and how stolen bicycles are documented in the County's existing system. This memorandum provides a status report on that instruction.

This office has been working with Sheriff's staff in researching the NBR. We intend to further review the experiences of cities that have enrolled in the NBR, and collect available statistics on bicycle theft in Los Angeles County. A report to your Board with the results of this research and a recommendation for your consideration will be provided within 45 days.

If you have any questions, please let me know or your staff may contact Robert Moran of this office at (213) 974-1130.

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c: Sheriff
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors
County Counsel