



## Written Public Comment

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of the Los Angeles County Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission.

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Topic	Public comment.	Name
2f and 4	<p>In regard to agenda item 2f the public is tired of the updates! get to it! this is the only corrupt organization that continues to get away with so much! The LASD gang member sheriff organization must let the public know who the active gang members are patrolling our streets. In addition, the public has to be aware of who the gang member sheriffs that are active running our tax dollar stations in our communities! Item 4 is something that should never happen! how can you use resources and tax dollar money that is used for public safety to commit terrorist acts! any form of intimidation is a terrorist act! this is where we know that corruption continues because no one can control this corrupt gang member deputy sheriff organization unless that people protest and march! it should not take our actions to stop the mis use of public safety money! everyone board of supervisors, Civilian oversight Commission and the politicians need to make it clear that the money this LASD GANGMEMBER DEPUTY SHERIFF ORGANIZATION IS USING IS TO PROTECT AND WORK FOR OUR COMMUNITIES ! AS PUBLIC SERVANTS THEY SHOULD UNDERTAND THAT! STOP USING OUR TAX DOLLARS FOR INTIMIDATION PURPOSES THAT HAS NEVER WORK AND WILL NEVER WORK! DO THE JOB CORRECT AND STOP TRYING TO HARRASS OUR IMPACTED FAMILIES!!!</p>	Ejame Medal
Victim Advocates & LASD Oversight	<p>Our question is to the COC and any on panels. Have you ever invited any licensed victim advocates and related, who are pro-bono and giving many years of their time, to address LASD Oversights to Felony Violent Crime Victims refused their Victim's Marsy Rights in this systemic issue? Will you invite us in fovus for a panel, and who will assist any of our backgrounds in review at COC?</p>	Franki
Agenda Item 4	<p>Sheriff deputies not only get away with killing Black and brown folks, but also get away with retaliating against and harassing the families of those who they've killed. Families are only trying to expose the violence, discrimination, and racism demonstrated by LASD, but are then harassed for exercising their First Amendment rights and seeking truth and accountability. LASD deputies have used a variety of malicious tactics to intimidate these family members: slowly driving by or parking in front of their homes; slowly driving by memorial sites; damaging items at memorial sites; taunting family members with rude comments, gestures, smirks, and laughter; following family members while they are driving; parking outside family members' workplaces; and taking pictures of or recording family members. Deputies have also engaged in more serious and often illegal forms of harassment on a number of occasions, including targeting family members for arrest and detention without probable cause, frequently pulling over family members and searching their vehicles, and harassing family members of minor age. Back in 2019, the Check the Sheriff coalition brought this crisis to the attention of this Commission, OIG, and the Board of Supervisors (Board). As a result, since 2019, both this Commission and the Board have condemned LASD's harassment of families. Importantly, on July 27, 2021, the Board by motion requested LASD develop and adopt a policy to protect memorial sites and vigils for victims of deputy-involved shootings and killings. LASD was supposed to do so within 90 days. Yet, more than two years later, LASD has not adopted any policy which prohibits the harassment of surviving families. As a result, surviving families continue to suffer under the harassment of LASD</p>	Sarah Bowers

	<p>deputies. This Commission must urge LASD to immediately adopt meaningful policies to stop and prevent the harassment of families, and proactive measures necessary to implement these policies. This Commission should act immediately and advocate for LASD to adopt policies to protect these families who time and time again choose to bravely speak out against LASD, risking their own personal safety and mental health to make Los Angeles a safer county for their families and neighbors.</p>	
Family harassment	Public comment	Helen Jones
Fraud and tampering with evidence in Lancaster sheriff department	There know justice in our justice system because they have they own system they run and it's not what they took and oath todo for they committed more fraud then I see in a long time it like my case alone is a movie because everything they have on paper is fraud	Juanita carrell
Current one family harassment	Speaking in favor of policy	Sol Marquez Centro CSO
4	<p>Only after community pressure did this Commission and the Board of supervisors condemn LASD's harassment of families. On July 27, 2021, the Board by motion requested LASD develop and adopt a policy to protect memorial sites and vigils for victims of deputy-involved shootings and killings. LASD was supposed to do so within 90 days. But more than two years later, LASD has not adopted any policy which prohibits the harassment of surviving families. So y'all know families are continually harassed. At one of your last meetings Max Huntsman said that it's just a matter of fact that community members will continue to be harassed &amp; killed by LASD. That anyone would accept this as status quo is utter bullsh*t. Not one more family should lose a loved one to LASD or experience harassment - what are YOU doing to protect our community from the sheriff's dept?! LASD must adopt a policy that prohibits surveillance, intimidation, and unnecessary interactions with surviving family members, either online or in person. LASD deputies must be prohibited from following family members, parking, or idling vehicles outside of their homes or places of work, filming family members, interacting with or observing family members' personal social media accounts or any social media pages created in memorial of their loved ones; and specifically preventing interactions with minors in these families, so that children can feel safe walking to school and in the community. These policies must prevent deputies from disrupting, destroying, surveilling, disturbing, or distracting from vigils and memorials. Our community is not safe from LASD violence &amp; harassment. The sheriff himself said they have policies in place- but deputies aren't following them? So, how to get accountability? How do we enforce these policies?</p>	MJ king