Board of Supervisors Meeting

Meeting Time: 07-18-23 09:00

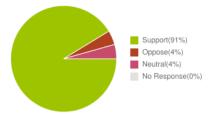
eComments Report

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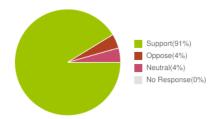
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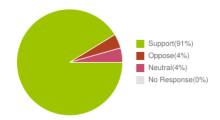


Agenda Item: eComments for 12. GUN VIOLENCE COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT FINAL REPORT AND

RECOMMENDATIONS

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Overall Sentiment



Blake Beckcom

Location: 92019, El Cajon Submitted At: 10:26am 07-18-23

Bias in the report. Unfair to people of color. Racist in origins. Facts skewed to anti-gun narrative. End game violates United States Constitution. We see what you are trying to do. Why not focus on just violence? It is not the gun nor was it the Ford in the Waukesha Christmas massacre. It is sick people with no morals or respect for life. It's a tool. Fists feat and blunt objects kill more frequently than guns or cars.

Enforce current laws. Rehire the police you fired due to death jab refusal.

John Baldwin

Location: 92102, San Diego Submitted At: 8:59am 07-18-23

My name is John Baldwin and I oppose this proposal, ad the HARC Gun Violence Study found San Diego does

not have a gun violence problem, it has a mental health crisis. Simply passing restrictive policies that infringe on our Second Amendment Rights do nothing to address the underlying issue. What's more, DAs often use policies like this to strengthen conviction rates; often impacting communities of color. Gun storage is already a legal requirement, therefore passing new gun laws are unnecessary.

Olivia Weinstein

Location: San Diego

Submitted At: 8:59am 07-18-23

We need a sense of urgency to prevent as many of deaths and injuries in the County as possible. Gun violence impacts not only these victims, but also their families, friends, and communities.

Louise E

Location: 91902, Bonita Submitted At: 8:28am 07-18-23

Every life matters. Safety always comes first why would we not want all of our people to be safe? If my son would have had a safety lock or a locked box for his gun maybe he would not have impulsively taken his most precious life. His life mattered abd I don't want to see anyone else suffer from gun violence and s uicide. Pass this bill and stop this insanity. We can do it and we should, protect each other. Thank you for your compassion and intelligence .

Paula Rucinski

Location:

Submitted At: 8:15am 07-18-23

I support the recommendations made in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report. Thank you for your important work to prevent and address gun violence and its impacts.

Tiffany BoydHodgson

Location: 92078, San Marcos Submitted At: 7:36am 07-18-23

Yesterday, a child was fatally shot by another child in Fallbrook. An irresponsible gun owner left one child dead, one a murderer, and a community without full fire protection as respondents process the trauma. There are no accidental shootings. Gun violence is preventable. Awareness training and free gun locks are part of this program.

Mary Davis

Location: 91901

Submitted At: 7:19am 07-18-23

"Gun Violence Reduction" is a noble goal, but this item concerns me greatly, as many of the 'solutions' are vague with few details about what actual actions will be taken. It seems to me a far better way to combat ANY type of violence is to A) enforce existing laws, and B) keep violent criminals in jail and off the street. Until those simple measures are taken, today's actions are just window dressing.

Kim Koehler

Location: 91935, Jamul

Submitted At: 5:44am 07-18-23

I support any effort that seeks to improve community safety while not infringing on lawful gun ownership. More information regarding the "Gun Violence Reduction Advisory Group" composition would be beneficial. Will this group include law enforcement and folks that are knowledgeable about firearms? Clarification on "home visits would be appreciated. Who will be performing them and under what circumstances would they be conducted? Gun locks and safety training is already California law.

Ivy Conry

Location: 92064, Poway

Submitted At: 11:41pm 07-17-23

Poway

Heidi Maretz

Location: 92122, San Diego Submitted At: 11:08pm 07-17-23

I strongly support the recommendations in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report. Please support this important work to prevent and address the impacts of gun violence.

Thank you for continuing to address the critically important work of preventing gun violence.

Kevin Schmidt

Location:

Submitted At: 10:23pm 07-17-23

I strongly support the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report! Thank you for your attention to the epidemic of gun violence in our country. Together through cooperation between state and local government, and the people of San Diego, we can begin to mitigate the damage that is caused everyday by gun violence. We need more education on suicide prevention and domestic violence; and a central platform for communication for individuals in gun violence prevention.

Saad Asad

Location:

Submitted At: 9:44pm 07-17-23

I support the recommendations in the HARC report and would like the County to authorize the submission of grant applications that will support

violence prevention and intervention programs and services; and to direct staff to return in early 2024 with plans for how gun violence reduction work will be structured and organized within the County.

S W

Location: 92081

Submitted At: 9:40pm 07-17-23

I fully support the recommendations in this report and would like to see more done to eliminate gun violence in our community. This is a nice start but far from where we need to be in terms of having safe communities. I'm hugely in support of distributing gun locks and screening prospective gun owners, but as previously stated, these are good first steps not final ones. Thank you.

Jenny Bourassa

Location: 92127, San Diego Submitted At: 9:32pm 07-17-23

I support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report and ask the Supervisors to continue this important work to prevent and address the impacts of gun violence. I agree that it is critical to future efforts that the work be structured under a central, dedicated group, such as an Office of Violence Prevention with specific expertise in gun violence.

Bryan H

Location: 92109, San diego Submitted At: 9:16pm 07-17-23

Please let's do everything we can to help prevent gun violence. L

Tom Packard

Location: 92024, Encinitas Submitted At: 8:00pm 07-17-23

I support the recommendations in the report and I appreciate your support for this comprehensive imitative. Given the prevalence of suicide, please give special attention to suicide prevention. As a member of Showing up for Racial Justice-North County, I especially appreciate the attention to community outreach programs. I strongly support the plans for implementation of a monitoring and evaluation framework to assess impacts of the activities and to discover and implement best practices.

Anne Heller

Location: 92120, San Diego Submitted At: 7:53pm 07-17-23

I strongly support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report, and appreciate your work to address gun violence. There is a real urgency to move forward in a structured way, perhaps under the Office of Violence Prevention. I am particularly interested in the recommendations for gun lock distribution, and provision of education on suicide prevention and domestic violence. Thank you for your efforts to support safe neighborhoods.

Stephen Bartram

Location: 92024-2700, Encinitas Submitted At: 7:50pm 07-17-23

I support the recommendations of the report and encourage continued dialog between the two agencies that represent divergent views about Gun Violence. SD4 GVP and their community allies and the SD Gun Owners Political group. Bringing these group stogether and discussing Gun Violence Prevention will only work if the primary protagonists start talking to each other. Legislation can be produced!!

Sarah Flocken

Location:

Submitted At: 7:33pm 07-17-23

I support this proposal because we need to be doing so much more to prevent gun violence! I have friends who are survivors, and the impact on their lives and health is real. America is so far behind in this. We can do better.

Betsy Shapiro

Location: 92008, Carlsbad Submitted At: 7:01pm 07-17-23

I support for these recommendations in the report: gun lock distribution; a central communication platform for those in the GVP area; education on suicide prevention/domestic violence; gun safety awareness training for County staff; programs that allow individuals experiencing a mental health crisis to temporarily and voluntarily transfer their firearm; pursuing federal & state grant opportunities.

Tim Garcia

Location: 92122

Submitted At: 6:54pm 07-17-23

Please let's take the first steps to responsibly end gun violence in our community

Zach Hofmann

Location:

Submitted At: 6:54pm 07-17-23

I personally support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report.

This is something our county needs, and much more needs to be done.

Cindi Clemons

Location: 92075, Solana Beach Submitted At: 6:41pm 07-17-23

Thank the County for its work to address gun violence. This is a good start. Ask that the work continue by supporting the recommendations made in the Needs Assessment Report.

Jennie Brawner

Location: 92078, San Marcos Submitted At: 6:33pm 07-17-23

I support the recommendations in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report. I ask that my supervisor support this crucial work. I wish my supervisor would take a proactive stance in supporting this work. I thank the county for its work in addressing this issue. Please continue this work by supporting the recommendations in the Needs Assessment Report, I support Gunlock distribution, suicide prevention, &

domestic violence education, County staff Gun safety awareness training.

Adam Welland

Location: 92110, San Diego Submitted At: 4:56pm 07-17-23

Thank you for all of the work done to date to address gun violence. This is a good start. Please continue by supporting the recommendations made in the Needs Assessment Report.

SANDRA BRILLHART

Location: 91932, Imperial Beach Submitted At: 4:18pm 07-17-23

Please accept and implement the recommendations of the. Assessment Report. We need to do everything we can to prevent gun violence.

Sandy Housley

Location: 92040, Lakeside Submitted At: 3:59pm 07-17-23

Thank you for the attention this Needs Assessment project has focused on gun violence in our County. I strongly support the adoption of this report and the follow up necessary to implement its recommendations. It will be critical that this be overseen by a central, dedicated group such as an Office of Violence Prevention that has a specific expertise in gun violence. Among the recommendations in the report that I strongly support are education on suicide prevention and domestic violence.

Diana Aguirre

Location: 92011, Carlsbad Submitted At: 3:46pm 07-17-23

Thank you so much for all the work thus far in addressing gun violence. Please support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report and continue your hard work to prevent gun violence.

We need a sense of urgency to prevent as many of deaths and injuries in the County as possible. Gun violence impacts not only these victims, but also their families, friends, and communities.

Natasha Hilmes

Location: 92069, San Marcos Submitted At: 3:05pm 07-17-23

Please support this effort in tackling the critical issue of gun violence. The Needs Assessment Report, which contains recommendations, are ones that I stand behind. Let's keep all San Diegans safe.

Victoria Koenitzer

Location:

Submitted At: 2:38pm 07-17-23

I support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report.

Susan Ehrhardt

Location: 92020, El Cajon Submitted At: 2:29pm 07-17-23

Thank you to the Board of Supervisors for its work to address gun violence. I strongly support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report especially gun lock distribution and creating a central, dedicated group such as an Office of Violence Prevention with specific expertise in gun violence. The issue of gun violence in our county demands our urgent attention to prevent the deaths and injuries that we read about everyday in the newspaper.

Kathy Steel

Location: 92078, San Marcos Submitted At: 2:20pm 07-17-23 Thank you for your work in addressing gun violence. Please continue this important work by supporting the Needs Assessment Report, whose recommendations I strongly support. All items listed in this report are crucially important and I support them all, especially programs that allow individuals experiencing a mental health crisis to temporarily and voluntarily transfer their firearms.

Kim Lyon

Location: 92128, San Diego Submitted At: 2:19pm 07-17-23

Please support the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report. The County should also support education on suicide prevention and domestic violence. Any word you do on the urgent issue of stemming the tide of gun violence is appreciated. This Community Needs Assessment Report is a good start. Thank you.

THOMAS KEENER

Location: 92024, Encinitas Submitted At: 12:23pm 07-17-23

As a Vietnam Veteran and a father and grandfather, all of us living in San Diego, it's crucial that we support the recommendations of the report so we make every effort to reduce the impact of gun violence in all of our communities in San Diego - and thank you to the County for all your efforts to date in this area!

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tony alfino

Location: 92159, San Diego Submitted At: 11:59am 07-17-23

I support, and wish for you to support, the recommendations made in the Needs Assessment Report.

Sandra Rickon

Location: 92102, San Diego, Submitted At: 11:34am 07-17-23

I strongly support the recommendations in the needs assessment report.

Diane Reed

Location: 92117, San Diego Submitted At: 10:50am 07-17-23

I support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report and ask the Supervisors to continue this important work and DO SOMETHING about this horrible epidemic

JOHN WHITE

Location: 92115, SAN DIEGO Submitted At: 9:18am 07-17-23

I STRONGLY SUPPORT the recommendations in the Assessment Report, and I ask that the Board continue this important work to prevent as many deaths and injuries from gun violence in the County as possible. Gun violence impacts not only the immediate victims, but also their families, friends and communities.

Valerie Dowling

Location: 92123

Submitted At: 8:55am 07-17-23

I support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report and ask the Supervisors to continue this important work to prevent and address the impacts of gun violence. We

need a sense of urgency to prevent as many of deaths and injuries in the County as possible. Gun violence impacts not only these victims, but also their families, friends, and communities.

Sandra Bever

Location:

Submitted At: 8:54am 07-17-23

I strongly support the recommendations in the Gun Violence Community Needs Assessment Final Report and urge the Board to continue to fund and prioritize gun violence prevention initiatives in San Diego County. Our communities deserve and demand strong leadership to address gun violence.

Robin Edwards

Location: 92129, San Diego Submitted At: 8:50am 07-17-23

SUPPORT! gun control- all we can do we must

Catherine Gansen

Location: 92019, El Cajon Submitted At: 8:23am 07-17-23

I support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report and ask the Supervisors to continue this important work to prevent and address the impacts of gun violence.

Kim Holbrook

Location: 92130, San Diego Submitted At: 8:23am 07-17-23 I strongly support this.

Blaire Holtby

Location: 92024, Encinitas Submitted At: 8:23am 07-17-23

It is absolutely ESSENTIAL that we continue to push for safer communities by enacting laws that prevent gun violence. Actions such as gun buyback programs and other rewards for turning in firearms are proven to reduce gun violence in communities. We should continue to be a leader in this space and set an example for all other communities across the U.S. in order to keep our children and truly all affected communities safer.

Carol Landale

Location: 92130, San Diego Submitted At: 7:22am 07-15-23

I strongly support the recommendations provided in the Gun Violence Reduction Community Needs Assessment Report and following up to keep San Diego County safe.