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MEMORANDUM

To: Ventura County Grand Jury
From: Robert F. Clark, City Manager
Subject: Countywide Bicycle Safety
Date: August 31, 2015

The City of Ojai has implemented recommendations R-01, R-02, R-03 and R-04 through the following actions:

The Ojai Police Department Response:

The Ojai Police Department agrees with the findings numbered FI-01, FI-02, FI-03, FI-05 and FI-08 in the Grand Jury report on Countywide Bicycle Safety. As per Grand Jury recommendation number R-01, the Ojai Police Department has conducted shift briefings on bicycle safety and the applicable bicycle and motor vehicle laws officers are to enforce to increase awareness and safety. The Ojai Police Department has increased enforcement and education of the public through routine and directed patrols which includes citations for violators of the law. The Ojai School Resource Officer will be educating the local students on bicycle safety during times schools are in session. The Ojai Police Department created a bicycle informational flyer that will be posted on community social media outlets and is also available at the police station.

Bicycle Advisory Committee

Although the City does not have a bicycle safety committee, its Complete Streets Committee in conjunction with the Public Works Department substantially performs the duties envisioned by the Grand Jury that are not otherwise undertaken directly by the Police Department

Response to Grand Jury Report Form

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Report Title: Countywide Bicycle Safety
Report Date: June 1, 2015
Response by: Robert Clark Title: City Manager

FINDINGS

- I (we) agree with the findings numbered: FI-01, FI-02, FI-05, FI-08, FI-10, FI-11.
- I (we) disagree wholly or partially with the findings numbered: _____
(Attach a statement specifying any portions of the findings that are disputed; include an explanation of the reasons therefor.)

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Recommendations numbered R-01, R-02, R-03, R-04 have been implemented.
(Attach a summary describing the implemented actions.)
- Recommendations numbered _____ have not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future.
(Attach a timeframe for the implementation.)
- Recommendations numbered _____ require further analysis.
(Attach an explanation and the scope and parameters of an analysis or study, and a timeframe for the matter to be prepared for discussion by the officer or director of the agency or department being investigated or reviewed, including the governing body of the public agency when applicable. This timeframe shall not exceed six months from the date of publication of the grand jury report.)
- Recommendations numbered _____ will not be implemented because they are not warranted or are not reasonable.
(Attach an explanation.)

Date: 8/31/15 Signed: [Signature]

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