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SUBJECT: OPD Crime Reduction Strategies DATE: September 20, 2012

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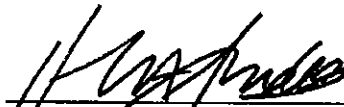
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This supplemental is being submitted to clarify and elaborate language contained in the Agenda Report dated August 28, 2012, entitled "Progress Report From The Office of Chief of Police Providing an Update On The Oakland Police Department's Crime Reduction Strategies." The report contained the term "City-Wide," which has been, and may continue to be, read in a broader sense than it was intended. The meaning and context of "City-Wide" is important when reading the portion of the report, "Oakland does not have a city-wide crime reduction plan. Developing a city-wide crime reduction plan would require an extensive endeavor and additional resources." The term "City-Wide" is speaking to the "City" organization, i.e., the City of Oakland and its respective departments and staff. It is not intended to mean the "City" proper, as in the geographic areas and boundaries of the City.

In this context, the term "City-Wide" is only intended to express that the "City" organization, its departments and staff, does not have a comprehensive plan designed to involve all organizational structures in proactive roles to reduce crime and violence. As indicated in the report, such a comprehensive plan would "require an extensive endeavor and additional resources," resources and capacity which the City does not have available at this time. This does not mean that the Oakland Police Department lacks a "City-Wide" crime reduction strategy; OPD's strategy and plan for "City-Wide" violence and crime reduction were contained and detailed in the same report dated August 28, 2012.

For questions regarding this report, please contact Assistant Chief Anthony Toribio at extension 238-3958.

Respectfully submitted,



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