
Public Records Request

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This is a request under the California Public Records Act.

Background

San Diego Police Chief Shelley Zimmerman stated publicly that within the last three years San Diego's legal marijuana dispensaries have generated 272 calls for service from police for burglaries, robberies, thefts, assaults and shootings.

I requested all available information on these 272 calls and the city responded with the document "PRA 17-2664 Calls for Service for Dispensaries."

Chief Zimmerman also stated, "Officials throughout Colorado flat out told our team the revenue was just not worth these costs." (<http://www.sandiegouniontribune.com/news/politics/sd-me-marijuana-legalize-20170911-story.html>).

I requested all available information on the tax payer paid trip to Colorado. The city responded with "PRA 17-2664 Agenda." The document is an agenda to a seminar, it was not created by SDPD and is not what I requested.

The request I sent previously called for the following documents:

1. Any and all records pertaining to the 272 calls for service from police referenced by Chief Zimmerman.
2. Any and all records related to the San Diego Police Department's ("SDPD") consultation with Colorado officials regarding the availability of cannabis, including but not limited to, records of communication between SDPD and Colorado officials regarding cannabis, any documents shared between Colorado officials and SDPD regarding cannabis, any notes from meetings held between SDPD and Colorado officials regarding cannabis, any reports generated from the meetings between Colorado and SDPD, etc.

Though, as mentioned the city responded to the PRA request, I found these documents to be insufficient for my purposes. My purpose is to evaluate the impact that permitted marijuana outlets have on crime rates.

Follow-up PRA Request

For this reason, I request the following:

1. Any and all information relating to and including (but not limited to) the entirety of the printouts for each of the enumerated 272 incident numbers previously provided.
2. Name of officer responding to incident
3. Any and all reports issued in connection with each line item incident number
4. Address of where call originated that prompted the incident number
5. Break down on Police Calls for Service to specific unit numbers (not just the shopping center which is a shared address in most cases).
6. Any SDPD or crime analysis on the data provided. Any staff reports or analysis done pertaining to crime at permitted marijuana outlets.

Additionally, please provide:

1. Detailed information of the cost of the Colorado seminar, the hotel and transportation costs and any other expenses generated on the trip that were over 100.00.

2. Copies of materials from the seminar and any notes or reports made from or with the information learned at the seminar.

Please provide that information in electronic format. If you need clarification on any of these requests, please submit them in writing to [REDACTED]