

City of Guadalupe Police Department

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MEMORANDUM

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Santa Barbara Grand Jury

To:

CAROLYN GALLOWAY-COOPER, CITY ADMINISTRATOR

From:

JERRY TUCKER, CHIEF OF POLICE

Date:

JULY 25, 2005

Subject:

RESPONSE, GRAND JURY REPORT/FINDINGS

I have reviewed the findings of the Grand Jury Report that pertain to the Guadalupe Police Department and find the outcome to be fair and equitable.

The facility findings are correct in the posting of twelve (12) Officers, including the Chief and the ten (10) vehicles, including a donated Hummer.

The findings in the Condition/Management are also accurate in describing the facility as small, but organized and effectively serve the community.

The Jury comment mentions a close cooperation with the Santa Maria Police Department but does not include the much closer cooperation with the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Department, whom this department utilizes as it's back-up (assisting) units.

There are no recommendations noted in the report, therefore, no additional comments are required.

As always, we appreciate the response and wish to thank the Grand Jury, County Counsel and the Presiding Judge, Judge Anderson, for their continued effort and diligence in their quest to maintain professionalism within the ranks of our county law enforcement agencies.

If you have any questions and/or comments, will be available upon your request.