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for your Community

Community Engagement Specialists Update
November 28, 2018

Overview

- Highlights
- Plans
- Crime Prevention
- 4 FTEs
- Number of: (Thru 3rd Qtr 2018)
 - * Community Events – 82
 - * Community Meetings – 341
 - * Community Members – 6,902
 - * Safe Summer Nights – 12
 - * Recruitment Events – 7

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African American Leadership Community Conversation



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Johnny Howard

- Knowing your Police Department
- Central High School Incident
- Gun Violence and MYA



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Enrique (Cha-Cho) Estrada

- Connection to the Police Department
- Connection to the Community



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Enrique (Cha-Cho) Estrada

- Creating Trust with Latino Families
- U-Visa & T-Visa Info. and Resources



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Kaying Thao



•Education and Engagement:

- Hmong New Year
- Hmong Soccer Tournament
- Asian American Heritage Month
- Cultural Specific Training with recruit academy & Emergency Communication Center

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Kaying Thao



Community Partnerships

- Collaborate with various stakeholders in the community regarding safety measures of products sold at Hmong Village and Hmong Town
- Member of Karen Chemical Dependency Coalition

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East/West African Community Outreach

SPPD's outreach efforts to East/West African, Somali and Muslim communities:

- Meetings with neighborhood residents to tackle issues and concerns of what's going on in the city
- Understanding the role of their police department
- Engage with youth members
 - Provide opportunities to try something new
 - Create a safe place to go after school by opening up a gym or developing a program such as the Video Club at Highwood Hills.
 - Other programs initiated

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Warsame Shirwa

- The SPPD sharing the first ever Iftar celebration with all of Saint Paul's Imams and Mosques



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Warsame Shirwa



- Meetings of an Imam, youth and mother's groups
- Bloomington Mosque
- Linwood Rec Center
- Mosque visits with the chief

Crime Prevention 2018 Focus : Educate & Engage

Patty Lammers – Crime Prevention Coordinator West/Central District



Educate

- Provided monthly Crime Prevention newsletter
- Updated or created materials on trending crime issues
- Conducted over 50 trainings for residents, businesses, and organizations (including 1st FBI Crest)
- Conducted Multiple CPTED reviews for businesses, homes, and apartments
- Crime Free Multi-Housing conducted 4 trainings and provided support to many landlords.

Engage

- National Night Out (2nd place nationally)
 - (record 405 events)
- Tables at 20 community events
- Worked to re-establish block watch
 - creating new block leaders manual
- Increase Facebook content to include new crime prevention tips.
- Expanded partnerships with District Councils



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Crime Prevention 2018 Training & Engagement Partners

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Mac Groveland District Council
Como District Council
Highland District Council
Highland Bank
Immigrant Law Center of Minnesota
Mt. Zion Temple
Skyline Towers
Highland Learning Village
Union Park District Council
Fort Road Council
PHA
Network for Seniors
St. Anthony District Council
Little Mekong
Boy Scouts
Dayton's Bluff District Council

St. Paul Public Libraries
Lamplighter Village Apartments
Habitat for Humanity
YWCA
YMCA
Summit University Planning Council
Project for Pride in Living
Hamline Midway Coalition
Neighbor Works Home Partners
Model Cities
Hallie Q. Brown
On our Own
Frogtown Farm
SPPS
Parks and Recreation
Numerous Apartments & Block Clubs



* We either trained their staff or program participants, or they partnered with us to provide training to residents at events



Crime Prevention 2018 Vision for 2019

Patty Lammers – Crime Prevention Coordinator West/Central District



- Expand resident training- Spring series planned to include Hazelden “Top Secret Project” and Residential CPTED
- Increase participation in National Night Out by 15%
- Produce new Block Watch Leaders Guide
- Start Dog Walker Watch Program
- Double table outreach at community events
- Increase resident following on Facebook pages for police districts (content increased in 2018)
- Produce new prevention materials on timely topics (ie: theft, cyber crime, etc)
- Continue partnership with District Councils



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Crime Free Multi-Housing

RuthAnn Eide – Crime Prevention Coordinator East District

- CFMH – Unique three phase program
 - Phase 1 – 8 Hour Classroom Training Curriculum, to include:
 - Crime Free Introduction
 - City of Saint Paul Introduction
 - Saint Paul Fire Safety & Inspections
 - Saint Paul Police Introduction & Working with Law Enforcement, 911
 - Fair Housing laws; Tenant and Employee Screen
 - Eviction Actions and Housing Court
 - Remedies for Problem Properties
 - Domestic Violence & Personal Safety
 - Narcotics Identification, Gang Identification; Terrorism Awareness and Prevention.



Crime Free Multi-Housing

RuthAnn Eide – Crime Prevention Coordinator East District

- Phase 2 – Premise Survey
 - Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED)
 - Target hardening, threat assessments, lighting, landscaping, etc
- Phase 3 – Resident Training
- Support & enhance programs that assist rental partners (Landlord Alert, Landlord 101)
- Collaborated with:
 - 32 independent landlords
 - 21 corporate rental housing agencies
 - 22 individual properties
- Assist tenants with concerns such as narcotics, Shots Fired, DV, OFP's
- Ongoing monitoring of trends in housing industry
 - Housing ordinances, housing court, criminal history checks



Questions?

