



MEMORANDUM

TO: CITY COUNCIL

FROM: JESSICA MATSON, DEPUTY CITY CLERK

**SUBJECT: SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
AGENDA ITEM 11.b. – JUNE 9, 2020 CITY COUNCIL MEETING
CONSIDERATION OF FISCAL YEAR 2020-21 PRELIMINARY BUDGET**

DATE: JUNE 8, 2020

Attached is correspondence received.

cc: Acting City Manager
Police Chief
City Attorney
City Clerk
City Website (or public review binder)

From: Annie Wald [REDACTED]
Sent: Sunday, June 7, 2020 12:44 PM
To: Caren Ray Russom
Subject: We Demand De Funding for Police and Investment in Our Black Communities

Hello,

My name is Annie Wald and I am a citizen of Arroyo Grande. I am writing today to demand emergency council meetings and to deny the mayor's proposed budget. I would like to redirect money away from Arroyo Grande, as well as San Luis Obispo, Pismo and Grover Beach, Santa Maria, and Paso Robles Police Departments into these social service programs:

Black Communities
Healthcare for black communities
Education opportunities for black communities
Housing opportunities for black communities

It is crucial that this meeting is called because police are currently being paid overtime for current protests.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Annie Wald
BFA, Cal Poly SLO

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From: Annie Wald
To: [public comment](#)
Subject: We Demand De Funding for Police and Investment in Our Black Communities
Date: Monday, June 08, 2020 12:19:31 AM

Hello,

My name is Annie Wald and I am a citizen of Arroyo Grande. I am writing today to demand that we deny the proposed budget and any expansion to police budget. I would like to redirect money away from Arroyo Grande Police Department into these social service programs:

Black Communities

Healthcare for black communities

Education opportunities for black communities

Housing opportunities for black communities

Community-led public safety


I demand that the council invest in community-based resources for public safety including violence prevention and bystander intervention programs.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Annie Wald

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