

South Coast Task Force on Youth Safety

c/o Community Action Commission of Santa Barbara County

Quarterly Meeting

July 17, 2019

3 p.m. – 5 p.m.

Goleta Valley Community Center

5679 Hollister Ave.

Goleta

Task Force Members

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- A. **Call to Order & Welcome** – Chair, Mayor Cathy Murillo
- B. **Roll Call**
- C. **Public Safety Temperature Check** – Santa Barbara Police Department, County of Santa Barbara Sheriff Department
- D. **Coordinator Updates** – Saul Serrano
- E. **SB County Youth Needs Assessment and Focus Group Report** – UCSB Gevirtz Graduate School of Education Associate Dean for Research and Outreach, Dr. Jill Sharkey
- F. **Task Force Strategic Plan** – California Violence Prevention Network Executive Director, Ernesto Olivares
- G. **Public Comment**
- H. **Adjournment actions**

Next meeting: Wednesday, October 16, 2019
Faulkner Gallery, Main Library
3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT: At the end of a meeting, any member of the public who so requests will be provided with a 2-minute opportunity to address the Task Force concerning items on the agenda for that meeting. The Task Force may decline to hear a speaker on the grounds that the subject matter is beyond their jurisdiction.

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South Coast Task Force on Youth Safety

Mission

“The mission of the South Coast Task Force on Youth Safety is to improve and support the safety and quality of life for youth, their families, and the community.”

Task Force Guiding Principles

The South Coast Task Force on Youth Safety will:

1. Remain as a convener in the south coast to facilitate coordination, blending of resources, and partnerships by the agencies that serve youth in at risk situations.
2. Advocate for and value the importance of a collective community effort.
3. Provide opportunities for parents and youth in at-risk situations to provide input.
4. Advocate for a full range of client specific services to youth in at risk situations based on individual needs of youth and their families.
5. Advocate for prevention, intervention, and enforcement services for male and female youth in or at risk of becoming involved in gangs.
6. Advocate for comprehensive prevention and intervention services to youth in at risk situations.
7. Advocate for the needs of male and female youth susceptible to victimization.
8. Advocate for evidence-based and promising programs that can be evaluated for program outcomes.
9. Be patient, problems affecting today's youth have been long standing; solutions will not be accomplished overnight.