



The regular monthly meeting of the *Southwest Community Policing Council* was held on *Wednesday, May 6, 2026*, beginning at *6:00 p.m.* via Zoom. The minutes were made part of the record. The meeting was called to order and led by Ernest Esquibel

In person – 11

Online Zoom – 6

Welcome from Council members.

Elaina Rose Aucion
Christine Becker
Ernest Esquibel
Michelle Torrez
Albert Chavez

Members absent

Gilberta Miera

1. **Call to order** – 6:00 PM
2. **Approval of agenda** – Approved
3. **Approval of minutes (April)** – Approved
4. **SW new Lt. Amanda Tapia for the day shift.**
5. **SW Crime Prevention Specialist Ron Kemp**
 - Coffee with a cop 5/12/2026 6500 Los Volcanos Rd from 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM
 - April stats
 - Residential burglary – 11
 - Auto burglary – 18
 - Commercial burglary – 3
 - Auto theft – 28
6. **SW Area Commander Renee Barraza**
 - Retail crime central, atrisco, and 98th street
 - April 4th was the bid.
 - Their focus is on the time it takes to respond to calls
 - There are 50 officers in the SW. In the day, swing, and grave shift, there are 8 officers. Day shift, they have 3 teams; graveyard, they have 2 teams. With their PRT, there are 4 officers and 1 Sgt. They work Tuesday – Friday, 4-10-hour shifts. The PRT team authenticates its own search warrants and executes its own arrest warrants. Assist specialized units in looking for someone.
 - A class of 18-20 on OJT, they are in the first phase. There are 4 phases. Including lateral officers who are on OJT.
 - Illegal fireworks – operation tact plan, they partner with AFR. The day of and the day before reports come in. APD and AFR patrolling seize and de-escalate.
 - Juvenile crime, which is also known as delinquent acts. Juvenile crime with guns will not be accepted or tolerated.

7. ACS Jeffrey Bustamante

- Year to date, 3,000 – 4,000 calls a month. 150,000 calls from 2021 to now. The highest last year was 4600 last July, the previous year.
- Field division developments
- Partners in the SW public center, and the old fire station 14, which is not open to the public.
- Bilateral split, they are east and west of the river.
- Priority system – Priority 1 is not the same as APD. ACS priority 1 is suicide ideations, and when APD requests an ACS response.
- Street outreach – try to house some of the highest iniquity individuals who are unsheltered. It is a 2-person team, 80% success rate, housing stabilization, behavioral, and medically partnered with UNM-H
- Expand with opioid lawsuit funds to the team and partner with UNM-H.
- Connect cares
- Admin – A couple of people were promoted. There is a single-digit vacancy, and an academy has just started. There are 10 new responders; they are on OJT for the next couple of weeks. However, not everyone graduates.
- VIP – Some funding to continue the school-based VIP. They are at Atrisco Heritage, West Mesa, RFK Middle and High School, and Del Norte. They are trying to expand to another school.
- Youth VIP
 - 83% decrease in major offenses
 - 10 graduates
 - Talk to kids and take them out of violence.
 - Youngest is a 1st grader
- NM Boost – trauma recovery center, providing services to victims of violence.

8. Next meeting June 3, 2026, at 6 PM, Unser and Central Library.

To watch the Southwest CPC May Council Meeting, please click the link below:

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