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Subject: Input for the STOP Committee regarding safety enforcement concerns
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Dear Kevin,

Since the City website does not have a specific link to provide input for the STOP Committee on Parking, I am sending this email to you to please distribute to the STOP members prior to their next meeting. I looked at both <http://www.coab.us/38/Boards-and-Committees> and the www.coab.us/STOPCommittee pages for input.

Dear STOP Committee members,

First, let me thank you for serving on such an important Committee that impacts every single resident in this City. As a former member of the parking committee set up by Commissioner John Stinson, I understand your challenges ahead.

Secondly, I am asking you to consider the enforcement side of your task ahead. The City has a robust array of Ordinances that deal with the related nuisances such as littering, noise, drunkenness on the beach, as well as parking. The enforcement of these ordinances seems spotty at best. It would be helpful to understand how do we enforce what we have now before expanding to other areas?

When you consider that Public Safety is 45.7% of the City \$57 Million dollar budget, understanding how much is focused on enforcement could offer some insights on one of the root causes of the problems faced regarding this issue?

Data is from page 40 of 2023 budget on city website: Budgeted Expenditures by Function

Public Safety (45.7%)

General Government (28.4%)

Transportation (13.4%)

Culture and Recreation (11.4%)

Human Services (0.6%)

Other Uses (0.6%)

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