



Santa Cruz Consolidated Emergency Communications Center

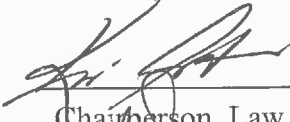
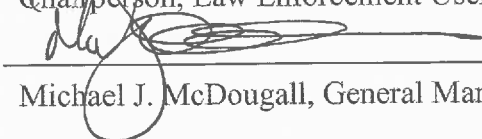
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COMMUNICATIONS OPERATIONS LAW ENFORCEMENT POLICY

Policy No. 4625	Date Issued: June 1, 1996
Section: 4600 – Notifications and Call-Out Procedures	Date Revised: November 20, 2006
Accreditation Standards: None	
SUBJECT: MAJOR INCIDENTS – ADJACENT JURISDICTIONS	
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1.0 Policy

Patrol supervisors have a 'need to know' about major incidents or public safety threats in neighboring or adjacent jurisdictions so adequate planning and notifications can be made in the event local resources are required. To facilitate major incident coordination and planning, dispatchers will notify adjacent jurisdictions of major incidents in accordance with the following procedure.

2.0 Procedure

Upon receipt of information regarding an in-progress major incident (for example, fire, plane crash, civil disturbance, etc.) in a neighboring community, where there is a possibility that an agency may be called upon for mutual aid, dispatchers will notify the affected patrol supervisor(s).

When practical, dispatchers will monitor the progress of such incidents and give updated information to patrol supervisors as it becomes available.