



**City Council Meeting**  
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Council Meeting Date 04/19/2023

Item # 12

Subject Military Equipment for Police: No

Position In Opposition

First and Last Name Athena Mora

Are you an Escondido Resident? No

Comments

Giving police military equipment is not necessary and will only further harm the community they are supposedly paid to protect. Homeless people do not need to face down the barrel of guns used in combat-- homeless people are NOT combatants-- they need housing, housing that will cost less and do far more good than allowing the police to cosplay G.I Joe. Have some compassion, and have some sense.

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Council Meeting Date 4/19/23

Item # 12

Subject Renewal of Police Military Equipment

Position In Opposition

First and Last Name Zachary Deneris

Are you an Escondido Resident? Yes

Comments

I am in strong opposition to the proposal to renew the Military Equipment available to the Escondido Police. There is zero reason for a police force to use these tools and weapons, especially a police force notorious to this community for excessive violence and killing. The solution to crime is to address the inequality and poverty that causes it, not to allow loose cannons with no oversight access to equipment wage war in our streets against vulnerable residents.