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Subject: Road Closure Request for "North Richmond Area".

I have received your request regarding support and endorsement for temporary road closures at the corner of First and Silver, Warren Drive, Harold Street, and a portion of the roadway on North Jade and Market Street in North Richmond. The California Highway Patrol supports the Housing Authority of Contra Costa in its desire to assist the Contra Costa County Public Work in a project to demolish buildings in the North Richmond area and understands that there will be an impact to traffic in the area during the duration of the project

Upon receiving the request, a review of the California Highway Patrol's activity associated with the area of Unincorporated North Richmond was conducted for the last six months. A total of approximately 170 calls for service were recorded. Those calls range from 911's, traffic collisions, auto thefts, arrests, service to citizens, and various other crimes. Based on the statistics it does not seem unreasonable to exercise preventative measures such as temporary road closures which would limit access to those areas.

Based on your request for road closures, the Oakland Area will experience no significant impacts to local operations and/or public safety from these proposed closures. Provided our department would be provided with keys or some mechanism to access the closed portion of the roads during the project, I would support the Board of Supervisors moving forward and approving the demolition project and its associated closures.

If you have any additional questions, you may contact Lieutenant Jason Roy at (510) 450-3821.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. D. PEREA".

S. D. PEREA, Captain
Commander
Oakland Area

