

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**



**ITEM: 24.1
(ID # 17632)**

MEETING DATE:
Tuesday, November 16, 2021

FROM : EXECUTIVE OFFICE:

SUBJECT: EXECUTIVE OFFICE: Community forum pertaining to the provision of access of certain individuals to the federal Immigration and Customs Enforcement Agency pursuant to California Government Code section 7283.1(d). All Districts [\$0]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Receive a report from the Sheriff's Department regarding their interaction and communication with the United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement
2. Receive a report from the Probation Department regarding their interaction and communication with the United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement

ACTION:Policy

Juan C. Perez, Chief Operating Officer

11/10/2021

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

(Receive and File)

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
NET COUNTY COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
SOURCE OF FUNDS:			Budget Adjustment:	No
			For Fiscal Year:	21/22

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

BACKGROUND:

Summary

Government Code 7283.1 (d), part of Government Code Chapter 17.2 Standards for Participation in United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Programs, requires that the Board of Supervisors hold a public forum to provide information to the public about ICE's access to individuals and to receive and consider public comment. The Code also specifies that local law enforcement may provide the Board with data maintained regarding the number and demographic characteristics of individuals to whom the agency has provided ICE access, the date ICE access was provided, and whether the ICE access was provided through a hold, transfer, or notification request or through other means.

Impact on Residents and Businesses

This forum will help ensure transparency for the community in existing law enforcement practices.



 Gregory V. Priamos, Director County Counsel 11/5/2021

Riverside County Probation Department Truth Act Forum

0 incidents to report

From October 2020 through October 2021, Riverside County Probation has not provided information to ICE officials nor granted ICE officials access to any in-custody youth.

11/05/2021

Riverside Sheriff's Department

ICE Access Information

- TRUTH Act Components:
 - Written voluntary consent from an inmate prior to an ICE interview
 - Inmate notification for ICE holds, notifications, or transfer requests
 - Notification to inmate regarding any release date provided to ICE

- 2021 (Year to Date)
 - Transfer Requests—Not tracked
 - ICE Notifications—Not tracked
 - Transfers of Custody to ICE—2

11/15/2021

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From: Maxwell, Sue
Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 7:44 AM
To: jbansal@aclusocal.org
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Subject: November 16 2021 Item No 24.1 - Unable to Speak on Board comments web submission ((Jessica Bansal)

Good morning Ms. Bansal,

We are sorry you were unable to speak during the public forum (due to the call in number not matching the number registered), but your comments will be included in the official record.

With best regards,

Sue Maxwell

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Email: jbansal@aclusocal.org
Agenda Date: 11/16/2021
Agenda Item # or Public Comment: 24.1

Comments: Good afternoon. Thank you for holding this public forum. My name is Jessica Bansal and I am a senior staff attorney with the ACLU of Southern California. I attended this afternoon's meeting via phone, but was not given an opportunity to make my comment during the meeting.

I am here to join the ask of countless other community members: that the Board of Supervisors hold the Sheriff's Office accountable, ensure their policies and practices comply with the California TRUTH Act and Values Act, and take further steps to protect our communities, including by ending all ICE transfers.

We appreciate the Sheriff's report that there have been only two ICE transfers this year to date. We are concerned, however, that the Sheriff may be defining transfers narrowly, to include only in-custody transfers, where people are directly turned over to ICE by the Sheriff. We are concerned that the Sheriff also collaborates with ICE by informing ICE about individual's release dates and times so that ICE may arrest them in public areas of the jails immediately upon their release. We also consider this a transfer. We request that the Board of Supervisors ask the Sheriff to clarify whether its report included these types of transfers. We also request that the Board of Supervisors ask the Sheriff to provide the total number of transfer requests made by ICE this year to date.

The California TRUTH Act and Values Act were designed to protect Due Process for everyone in our community, regardless of immigration status. But these laws provide a bare minimum of protection, not the full relief our communities deserve. We therefore urge the Board of Supervisors to ensure that the Sheriff's Department completely abstain from immigration enforcement activity, including by following the lead of the Los Angeles Board of Supervisors and ending all ICE transfers. Anti-immigrant policies and practices have no place in Riverside County.

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Maxwell, Sue

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State your position below: Neutral

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