

## RESPONSE TO GRAND JURY REPORT

Report Title: Body-worn Cameras and Marin Law Enforcement: Follow-Up Report

Report Date: May 24, 2018

Agenda Date:

Response by: Erik Masterson

Title: Chief of Police


### FINDINGS

- I (we) agree with the findings numbered: \_\_\_\_\_
- I (we) disagree *partially* with the findings numbered: \_\_\_\_\_
- I (we) disagree *wholly* with the findings numbered: \_\_\_\_\_

### RECOMMENDATIONS

- Recommendations numbered R-2 through R-4 have been implemented.
- Recommendations numbered \_\_\_\_\_ have not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future.
- Recommendations numbered \_\_\_\_\_ require further analysis.
- Recommendations numbered R-5 will not be implemented because they are not warranted or are not reasonable.

Date: July 13, 2018

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## RECOMMENDATIONS

R1. Sausalito should implement body-worn cameras as recommended by the 2013-14 Marin County Civil Grand Jury and by this Grand Jury.

R2. Marin law enforcement agencies that have not posted their body-worn camera policies to their websites should do so by October 1, 2018.

**Response: This was implemented**

R3. All Marin law enforcement agencies should seek to employ automated activation of body-worn cameras based on that agency's choice of activation modes.

**Response: This will be implemented. The current Ross Police Body-worn cameras do not have a choice of activation mode. Should the department purchase new/replacement cameras that do feature a choice of activation modes, we will seek to employ the automatic activation mode or the best type of activation technology that meets our needs.**

R4. All Marin law enforcement agencies pursuing new or improved video technology should explore cooperative negotiating and resource sharing with other agencies to reduce costs.

**Response: This will be implemented in any future purchase.**

R5. The County of Marin should work with the law enforcement agencies to form a county-wide buying group to reduce the costs of video technology.

**Response: This is not under the control of the Town of Ross.**