

Office of Mayor Thao

Community Safety Priorities

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Role & Responsibilities:

- Work to expand the safety narrative from Public Safety to Community Safety
- Serve as Mayor's Office lead for community safety initiatives in collaboration with relevant stakeholders (DVP; OPD; ACPD; OUSD; ACPHD; CBOs; Philanthropy)
- Serve as Mayor's Office lead for education initiatives in collaboration with OUSD; Charter schools; Peralta Colleges; ACOE; CDE; Philanthropy

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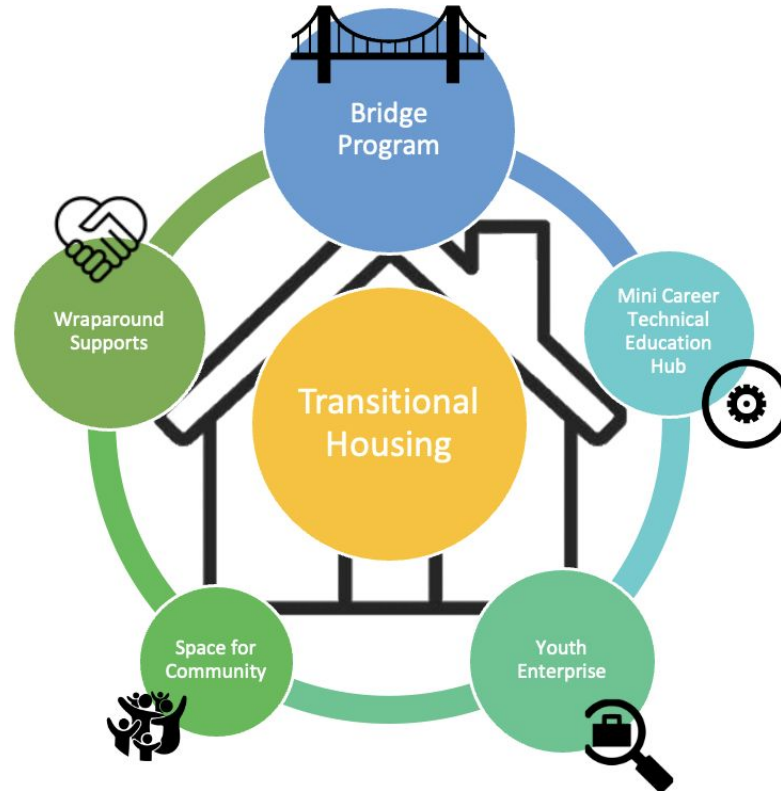
- Gun Violence/Homicide Prevention
- Sex Trafficking

Community Safety Strategies

- Strategy # 1: Career Technical Education Transition Aged Youth Hub
- Strategy #2: School Based Violence Prevention
- Strategy #3: Formation of the Mayor's Advisory Council on Sex Trafficking
- Strategy #4: Audit of Ceasefire strategy

Strategy #1: CTE TAY Hub at 1025 2nd Ave

**Career Technical Education
Transition Aged Youth Hub
@ 1025 2nd Avenue**



Strategy #2: School Based Violence Prevention

- Proposed OUSD Office of Violence Intervention and Prevention & Youth Justice (OVIPYJ)
 - Violence Intervention & Prevention Teams at 7 High Schools
 - Coordination with OUSD, City of Oakland, AC Probation, Diversion Programs
 - Provide training to school site leadership, staff, and Violence Intervention & Prevention teams
 - Support each high school principal in developing and implementing a comprehensive school-wide violence prevention plan
 - Provide guidance and technical assistance to school sites as needed

Proposed: Office of Violence Intervention and Prevention & Youth Justice (OVIPYJ)

Purpose: coordinate a collaboration of CBOs, public agencies, and school communities using proven and effective means to reduce violence in OUSD.

Responsibilities:

- Coordinate with public safety agencies such as the Oakland's DVP and Alameda County Probation Department
- Coordinate violence prevention services and supports for OUSD secondary schools
- Provide training to school site leadership, staff, and Violence Intervention and Prevention Teams
- Support each high school principal in developing and implementing a comprehensive school-wide violence prevention plan
- Provide guidance and technical assistance to school sites as needed
- Coordinate and implement targeted interventions (e.g. Lifting the Bar)



QUESTIONS

1. What is the DA's office approach to gun violence, sex trafficking, property crime?
2. What is the current status of the network of support for CSEC?
3. Apart from the Transition Center placement services, how is ACPD partnering with OUSD currently?