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PRESS RELEASE

Releasing Officer: Officer Thomas O'Neal
Date / Time: Sunday, June 14, 2015 / 4:00p.m.
Location: Fort Bragg Police Department
250 Cypress Street
Event: Public Forum Regarding the Addition of Body Worn
Cameras to the Fort Bragg Police Department

The Fort Bragg Police Department (FBPD) is requesting the community's assistance in the preliminary stages of implementing Body Worn Cameras (BWCs). On Sunday, June 14, 2015, at 4:00p.m., FBPD will be hosting an open community forum at the Fort Bragg Police Department. The intent of this forum is to allow the community the chance to provide preliminary input regarding the use of BWCs by their local law enforcement. The community's input will then be incorporated into a federal grant proposal submitted by FBPD in an attempt to secure funding assistance for the implementation of BWCs.

This forum will consist of members of the public being allowed to voice their opinions and concerns regarding BWCs. Each speaker will be given three minutes to speak. No questions will be taken at this forum; however FBPD does intend to hold several more forums, including question and answer sessions, prior to BWCs being implemented. Community members will be heard in an open setting on a first-come-first serve basis.

Questions specifically regarding the forum may be directed to Officer O'Neal at (707) 961-2800 ext. 167.

The Fort Bragg Police Department apologizes for the short notice regarding this forum, and would like to reassure the public that there will be several more opportunities to discuss the use of BWCs prior to their implementation.

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