

**THE 2020-2021 CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
CIVIL GRAND JURY**

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Report 2101

**Compliance and
Continuity Report**

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY

COMPLIANCE AND CONTINUITY REPORT

Background:

Pursuant to the Penal Code, the Contra Costa County Civil Grand Jury is impaneled annually to investigate city and county government, special districts, and certain non-profit corporations.

Findings and recommendations developed from these investigations are contained in the reports signed by the Civil Grand Jury Foreperson and the Grand Jury Judge.

For more information go to <http://www.cc-courts.org/grandjury>

Recommendations:

The 2020-2021 Civil Grand Jury reviewed seven reports from the 2019-2020 Civil Grand Jury. There were 54 letters, with copies of applicable reports, mailed to the different entities from which responses were required.

Recipient entities are to respond to the reports within certain time constraints and in accordance with specific formats pursuant to 933 and 933.05 of the California Penal Code. The responses to the recommendations must include one of the following legally permitted options:

The recommendation has been implemented with a summary regarding the implemented action
The recommendation has not been implemented but will be implemented in the future with a time frame for implementation.
The recommendation requires further analysis with an explanation and the scope and parameters of an analysis or study and a time frame (which shall not exceed 6 months from date of report publication) for the matter to be prepared for discussion.
The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable with an explanation therefor.

These seven reports made a cumulative total of **194 recommendations** to the various recipients.

- ◆ 94 responses (49%) stated that the recommendation(s) **have been implemented** or **will shortly be implemented**.
- ◆ 29 (15%) responses stated that the recommendation required **further analysis**.
- ◆ 65 responses (33%) stated that the recommendation **will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable**.
- ◆ 4 responses (2%) differed from Code requirements.
- ◆ 3 responses (1%) contained a mixed response that the recommendation has been implemented partially, requires further analysis in some cases, or is not feasible in some cases.

For further explanation of the responses to the recommendations, refer to the complete responses posted online.

The Responses to the 2019-2020 Grand Jury reports are posted on the Contra Costa County Grand Jury Website in their entirety and can be viewed at:

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The Grand Jury believes it is important for future Grand Juries to continue to review these responses and to be vigilant in seeing that recommendations that have been accepted are implemented. Special attention should be paid to those responses requiring implementation within specified time frames. In this manner, the commitment and hard work of past and future Grand Juries will result in positive changes for the citizens of Contra Costa County.

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Response Summary

Report Title: 2002 - SECURING OUR WATER SUPPLY FROM CYBERATTACK				
	Response to Recommendation			
	Has been implemented	Not implemented, but will be in the future	Requires further analysis	Not implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Responding Party				
Contra Costa Water District		R4, R5		
East Bay Municipal Utilities District	R2, R3	R1		

Report Title: 2003 - CONTRA COSTA BART RIDER CONCERNS				
	Response to Recommendation			
	Has been implemented	Not implemented, but will be in the future	Requires further analysis	Not implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
RESPONDENT				
BART Board of Directors	R1, R2, R3 - The response language differs from Code requirements. See full responses for further details.			
BART Board of Directors		R2, R3	R1, R5	R4

Report Title: 2004 - POLICE DEPARTMENT STAFFING				
	Response to Recommendation			
	Has been implemented	Not implemented, but will be in the future	Requires further analysis	Not implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
RESPONDENT				
Contra Costa Board of Supervisors				R1
Contra Costa County Sheriff	R3			
City of Antioch	R3, R4, R5			R2
City of Brentwood	R5	R4	R2, R3	
City of Clayton				R2, R3, R4, R5

RESPONDENT	Response to Recommendation			
	Has been implemented	Not implemented, but will be in the future	Requires further analysis	Not implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
City of Concord	R5		R3, R4	R2
Town of Danville				R3, R4, R5
City of El Cerrito				R2, R3, R4, R5
City of Hercules	R5			R2, R3, R4
City of Lafayette				R3, R4, R5
City of Martinez	R4			R2, R3, R5
Town of Moraga				R2, R3, R4, R5
City of Oakley	R4, R5	R3		R2
City of Orinda				R3, R4, R5
City of Pinole	R5	R2, R4	R3	
City of Pittsburg			R3, R4	R2, R5
City of Pleasant Hill				R2, R3, R4, R5
City of Richmond				R2, R3, R4, R5
City of San Pablo	R4			R2, R3, R5
City of San Ramon	R5		R4	R2, R3
City of Walnut Creek	R3, R5			R2,R4

Report Title: 2005 - PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF				
RESPONDENT	Response to Recommendation			
	Has been implemented	Not implemented, but will be in the future	Requires further analysis	Not implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Contra Costa Board of Supervisors	R1, R4, R5	R8		R2, R3, R6, R7

Report Title: 2006 - JUVENILES IN DETENTION				
RESPONDENT	Response to Recommendation			
	Has been implemented	Not implemented, but will be in the future	Requires further analysis	Not implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Contra Costa Board of Supervisors		R1	R3	R2, R4

Report Title: 2007 - WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS IN CONTRA COSTA COUNTY				
RESPONDENT	Response to Recommendation			
	Has been implemented	Not implemented, but will be in the future	Requires further analysis	Not implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Contra Costa County Fire Protection District Board of Directors		R1, R2*	R4	
East Contra Costa Fire Protection District Board of Directors	R3	R1	R4	R2
Moraga-Orinda Fire Protection District Board of Directors	R2		R4	
Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District Board of Directors		R1, R2*	R4	
San Ramon Valley Fire Protection District Board of Directors	R1			R2
City of El Cerrito	R5, R6*		R7	
City of Pinole		R5, R6, R7		
City of Richmond		R5, R6, R7		

**The recommendation has been implemented (partially), requires further analysis in some cases, or is not feasible in some cases. See full responses for further details.*

Report Title: 2008 - DO OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS HAVE ADEQUATE EMERGENCY SUPPLIES

RESPONDENT	Response to Recommendation			
	Has been implemented	Not implemented, but will be in the future	Requires further analysis	Not implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Contra Costa County Superintendent of Schools, Office of Education			R2, R6	
Contra Costa County Board of Education				R2, R6
Governing Board of Acalanes Union High School District	R1, R4	R5	R3	
Governing Board of Antioch Unified School District	R3	R1		R4, R5
Governing Board of Brentwood Union School District		R1, R5	R3, R4	
Governing Board of Byron Union School District	R1, R3			R4, R5
Governing Board of Canyon Elementary School District		R1, R3, R4, R5		
Governing Board of John Swett Unified School District	R4		R1, R3, R5	
Governing Board of Knightsen Elementary School District	R1, R3, R4	R5		
Governing Board of Lafayette School District	R4, R5	R1	R3	
Governing Board of Liberty Union High School District	R1, R3			R4, R5
Governing Board of Martinez Unified School District		R1, R4, R5	R3	
Governing Board of Moraga School District	R1, R4	R5	R3	
Governing Board of Mt. Diablo Unified School District	R4	R1, R5		
Governing Board of Oakley Union Elementary School District	R4	R1, R5	R3	
Governing Board of Orinda Union School District	R5	R3, R4		
Governing Board of Pittsburg Unified School District		R1, R3, R4, R5		
Governing Board of San Ramon Valley Unified School District	R3, R4			R5
Governing Board of Walnut Creek School District	R1, R4	R5	R3	
Governing Board of West Contra Costa Unified School District	R1, R3, R4	R5		

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY REPORT 2002
Securing Our Water Supply from Cyberattack

RECOMMENDATIONS:

R1: *EBMUD Board of Directors should consider publishing a cyber policy acknowledging the cyberattack threat and informing the public of its programs to overcome and prevent attacks on the public water supply by December 31, 2020.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
EBMUD Board of Directors	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

R2: *EBMUD Board of Directors should consider publishing its conformance with the American Water Infrastructure Act on its public webpage by December 31, 2020.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
EBMUD Board of Directors	The recommendation has been implemented

R3: *EBMUD Board of Directors should consider applying for a grant to offset new technology costs and strengthen its cybersecurity infrastructure under the Drinking Water Infrastructure Risk and Resilience Program by December 31, 2020.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
EBMUD Board of Directors	The recommendation has been implemented

R4: *CCWD Board of Directors should consider publishing a cyber policy acknowledging the cyberattack threat and informing the public of its programs to overcome and prevent attacks on the public water supply by December 31, 2020.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
CCWD Board of Directors	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

R5: CCWD Board of Directors should consider applying for a grant to offset new technology costs and strengthen its cybersecurity infrastructure under the Drinking Water Infrastructure Risk and Resilience Program by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
CCWD Board of Directors	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY REPORT 2003
Contra Costa BART Rider Concerns

RECOMMENDATIONS:

R1: The BART Board of Directors should consider publishing an updated strategic plan to address improvements to safety, cleanliness, and fare evasion over the term of the plan by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
BART Board of Directors	The response language differs from Code requirements. See full response in the link provided.

R2: The BART Board of Directors should consider continuing to modify or replace fare gates and establish a timeline and funding for implementation by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
BART Board of Directors	The response language differs from Code requirements. See full response in the link provided.

R3: The BART Board of Directors should consider reconfirming its plan to add 19 police officers per year over the next five years, with 66 of them on the trains, by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
BART Board of Directors	The response language differs from Code requirements. See full response in the link provided.

R4: The BART Board of Directors should consider constructing station booths and staffing the booths with agents at the Pittsburg Center and Antioch eBART stations by December 31, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
BART Board of Directors	The response language differs from Code requirements. See full response in the link provided.

R5: The BART Board of Directors should consider developing a plan to systematically survey non-riders by county by December 31, 2021, and implement that plan along with the 2022 Customer Satisfaction Survey.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
BART Board of Directors	The recommendation requires further analysis

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY REPORT 2004
Police Department Staffing

RECOMMENDATIONS:

R1: The Board of Supervisors should consider identifying funds to develop a countywide outreach program to attract more applicants to police agencies in Contra Costa County, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

R2: The City/Town Councils of Antioch, Brentwood, Clayton, Concord, El Cerrito, Hercules, Martinez, Moraga, Oakley, Pinole, Pittsburg, Pleasant Hill, Richmond, San Pablo, San Ramon, and Walnut Creek should consider identifying funds to study the cost/benefit of a countywide screening process for police officer positions, to avoid replication of these steps while allowing each city police department to select and evaluate candidates, by June 30, 2021

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
City of Antioch	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Brentwood	The recommendation requires further analysis
City of Clayton	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Concord	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of El Cerrito	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Hercules	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Martinez	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
Town of Moraga	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

City of Oakley	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Pinole	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
City of Pittsburg	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Pleasant Hill	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Richmond	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of San Pablo	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of San Ramon	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Walnut Creek	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

R3: The Sheriff, and the City/Town Councils of Antioch, Brentwood, Clayton, Concord, Danville, El Cerrito, Hercules, Lafayette, Martinez, Moraga, Oakley, Orinda, Pinole, Pittsburg, Pleasant Hill, Richmond, San Pablo, San Ramon, and Walnut Creek should consider directing their police departments to apply annually, or when offered in 2021, to the Department of Justice COPS Hiring Program, which provides funding for hiring additional officers, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Sheriff	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Antioch	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Brentwood	The recommendation requires further analysis
City of Clayton	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Concord	The recommendation requires further analysis
Town of Danville	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

City of El Cerrito	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Hercules	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Lafayette	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Martinez	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
Town of Moraga	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Oakley	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
City of Orinda	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Pinole	The recommendation requires further analysis
City of Pittsburg	The recommendation requires further analysis
City of Pleasant Hill	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Richmond	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of San Pablo	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of San Ramon	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Walnut Creek	The recommendation has been implemented

R4: The City/Town Councils of Antioch, Brentwood, Clayton, Concord, Danville, El Cerrito, Hercules, Lafayette, Martinez, Moraga, Oakley, Orinda, Pinole, Pittsburg, Pleasant Hill, Richmond, San Pablo, San Ramon, and Walnut Creek should consider identifying funds to increase the number of authorized sworn officers to fill understaffed units, such as traffic patrol and school resource officers, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
City of Antioch	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Brentwood	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
City of Clayton	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Concord	The recommendation requires further analysis
Town of Danville	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of El Cerrito	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Hercules	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Lafayette	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Martinez	The recommendation has been implemented
Town of Moraga	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Oakley	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Orinda	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Pinole	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
City of Pittsburg	The recommendation requires further analysis
City of Pleasant Hill	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Richmond	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of San Pablo	The recommendation has been implemented
City of San Ramon	The recommendation requires further analysis

City of Walnut Creek	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
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R5: The City/Town Councils of Antioch, Brentwood, Clayton, Concord, Danville, El Cerrito, Hercules, Lafayette, Martinez, Moraga, Oakley, Orinda, Pinole, Pittsburg, Pleasant Hill, Richmond, San Pablo, San Ramon, and Walnut Creek should consider identifying funds that would permit their police departments to over-hire officer positions as a strategy for keeping departments fully staffed, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
City of Antioch	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Brentwood	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Clayton	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Concord	The recommendation has been implemented
Town of Danville	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of El Cerrito	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Hercules	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Lafayette	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Martinez	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
Town of Moraga	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Oakley	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Orinda	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Pinole	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Pittsburg	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

City of Pleasant Hill	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of Richmond	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of San Pablo	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable
City of San Ramon	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Walnut Creek	The recommendation has been implemented

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY REPORT 2005
Public Safety Power Shutoff

RECOMMENDATIONS:

R1: By December 31, 2020, the Board of Supervisors should consider commencing the development of a unified approach to PSPS events to be used by all County departments which includes: requirements for backup power, communications, Community Resource Center coordination, and training of additional staff to support essential activities.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation has been implemented

Recommendation #2: By December 31, 2020, the Board of Supervisors should consider directing County departments to develop a list of real-time information to be required of PG&E before initiation and during PSPS events.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

R3: By December 31, 2020, the Board of Supervisors should consider directing Contra Costa Health Services to have a protocol in place for working with PG&E to ensure that CCHS receives the information it requires to notify medical base-line customers of a PSPS event.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

R4: By December 31, 2020, the Board of Supervisors should consider evaluating alternative communication coverage during a PSPS event to address service disruption to cell sites, internet, and cable providers dependent on the PG&E power distribution system.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation has been implemented

R5: The Board of Supervisors should consider directing the County Administrator to establish a means of tracking PSPS costs by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation has been implemented

R6: By December 31, 2020, the Board of Supervisors should consider establishing a requirement that a final After-Action Report and a fiscal impact report be completed no later than 60 days after a PSPS event.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

R7: The Board of Supervisors should consider developing a plan to take advantage of funding available for PSPS events from various programs at State and Federal levels by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or is not reasonable

R8: By December 31, 2020, The Board of Supervisors should consider tracking and communicating to County departments the status of existing and pending legislation which may mitigate the effects of a PSPS event on the County and its residents.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY REPORT 2005
Juveniles in Detention

RECOMMENDATIONS:

R1: *The Grand Jury recommends that the Board of Supervisors consider directing the Contra Costa County Probation Department to acquire and install a case management system to compile data on recidivism and program effectiveness, by June 30, 2021. The system would also facilitate coordination of post-release services for youth with other agencies.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

R2: *The Grand Jury recommends that the Board of Supervisors consider directing the Contra Costa County Probation Department to hire a case manager to coordinate the use of the case management system, by June 30, 2021*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable

R3: *The Grand Jury recommends that the Board of Supervisors consider directing the Contra Costa County Health Services Department to hire additional mental health care staff to reduce the wait time for post-release services for youth and families, by June 30, 2021.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation requires further analysis

R4: *The Grand Jury recommends that the Board of Supervisors consider directing the Contra Costa County Probation Department to evaluate the propriety of relocating girls in detention with low-level offenses to Orin Allen Youth Rehabilitation Facility, by June 30, 2021.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY REPORT 2007
Wildfire Preparedness in Contra Costa County

RECOMMENDATIONS:

R1: *The Board of Directors of Contra Costa County Fire Protection District, East Contra Costa Fire Protection District, Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District, and San Ramon Valley Fire Protection District should consider directing their Fire Chief to update wildfire evacuation plans and incorporate pre-determined polygons and advanced routing technology, by June 30, 2021.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
East Contra Costa Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
San Ramon Valley Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation has been implemented

R2: *The Board of Directors of Contra Costa County Fire Protection District, East Contra Costa Fire Protection District, Moraga-Orinda Fire Protection District, Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District, and San Ramon Valley Fire Protection District should consider identifying funds to adopt or expand the use of new technologies, such as ground sensors, drones, satellites, and fire spotting cameras, to help detect fires in high-risk areas, by June 30, 2021.*

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation has been implemented (partially), requires further analysis in some cases, or is not feasible in some cases.
East Contra Costa Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Moraga-Orinda Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation has been implemented
Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation has been implemented (partially) and also requires further analysis in some cases.
San Ramon Valley Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable

R3: The East Contra Costa Fire Protection District Board of Directors should consider identifying options to fund additional fire stations and staff to restore fire services to pre-2008 levels, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
East Contra Costa Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation has been implemented

R4: The Board of Directors of Contra Costa County Fire Protection District, East Contra Costa Fire Protection District, Moraga-Orinda Fire Protection District, and Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District should review and consider mechanisms, such as the ordinance passed by the San Ramon Valley Fire Protection District, that would enable their fire district to recover labor and equipment costs from PG&E for overseeing electrical utility work that presents a high fire risk, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation requires further analysis
East Contra Costa Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation requires further analysis
Moraga-Orinda Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation requires further analysis
Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District Board of Directors	The recommendation requires further analysis

R5: The City Councils of El Cerrito, Pinole, and Richmond should consider directing their Fire Chief to update wildfire evacuation plans and incorporate pre-determined polygons and advanced routing technology, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
City of El Cerrito	The recommendation has been implemented
City of Pinole	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
City of Richmond	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

R6: The City Councils of El Cerrito, Pinole, and Richmond should consider identifying funds to adopt or expand the use of new technologies, such as ground sensors, drones, satellites, and fire spotting cameras, to help detect fires in high-risk areas, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
City of El Cerrito	The recommendation has been partially implemented
City of Pinole	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
City of Richmond	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

R7: The City Councils of El Cerrito, Pinole, and Richmond should review and consider mechanisms, such as the ordinance passed by the San Ramon Valley Fire Protection District, that would enable their fire department to recover labor and equipment costs from PG&E for overseeing electrical utility work that presents a high fire risk, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
City of El Cerrito	The recommendation requires further analysis
City of Pinole	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
City of Richmond	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CIVIL GRAND JURY REPORT 2008
Do Our Public Schools Have Adequate Emergency Supplies?

RECOMMENDATIONS:

R1: Each Contra Costa County school district board should consider adopting the Contra Costa County Office of Education Emergency Supplies list (minimum standard list) for its schools and identifying funding sources to purchase the supplies, by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Governing Board of Acalanes Union High School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Antioch Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Brentwood Union School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Byron Union School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Canyon Elementary School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of John Swett Unified School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Knightsen Elementary School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Lafayette School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Liberty Union High School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Martinez Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Moraga School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Mt. Diablo Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Oakley Union Elementary School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

Governing Board of Pittsburg Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Walnut Creek School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of West Contra Costa Unified School District	The recommendation has been implemented

R2: The Contra Costa County Board of Education and the Contra Costa County Office of Education should consider assisting school districts by identifying and applying for federal, state, corporate, and non-profit organization grants that fund the acquisition of school emergency supplies, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Superintendent of Schools, Office of Education	The recommendation requires further analysis
Contra Costa County Board of Education	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable

R3: The Contra Costa County school district boards should consider applying for federal, state, corporate, and non-profit organization grants to fund the acquisition of school emergency supplies, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Governing Board of Acalanes Union High School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Antioch Unified School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Brentwood Union School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Byron Union School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Canyon Elementary School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of John Swett Unified School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Knightsen Elementary School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Lafayette School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Liberty Union High School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Martinez Unified School District	The recommendation requires further analysis

Governing Board of Moraga School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Mt. Diablo Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Oakley Union Elementary School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Orinda Union School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Pittsburg Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of San Ramon Valley Unified School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Walnut Creek School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of West Contra Costa Unified School District	The recommendation has been implemented

R4: Each Contra Costa County school district board should consider developing a plan to identify organizations that provide CPR and First Aid certification refresher training for district teachers, by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Governing Board of Acalanes Union High School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Antioch Unified School District	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Governing Board of Brentwood Union School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Byron Union School District	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Governing Board of Canyon Elementary School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of John Swett Unified School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Knightsen Elementary School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Lafayette School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Liberty Union High School District	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable

Governing Board of Martinez Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Moraga School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Mt. Diablo Unified School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Oakley Union Elementary School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Orinda Union School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Pittsburg Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of San Ramon Valley Unified School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Walnut Creek School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of West Contra Costa Unified School District	The recommendation has been implemented

R5: Each Contra Costa County school district board should consider developing a plan to identify funding, if necessary, to provide CPR and First Aid certification refresher training for district teachers, by December 31, 2020.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Governing Board of Acalanes Union High School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Antioch Unified School District	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Governing Board of Brentwood Union School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Byron Union School District	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Governing Board of Canyon Elementary School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of John Swett Unified School District	The recommendation requires further analysis
Governing Board of Knightsen Elementary School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

Governing Board of Lafayette School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Liberty Union High School District	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Governing Board of Martinez Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Moraga School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Mt. Diablo Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Oakley Union Elementary School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of Orinda Union School District	The recommendation has been implemented
Governing Board of Pittsburg Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of San Ramon Valley Unified School District	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable
Governing Board of Walnut Creek School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future
Governing Board of West Contra Costa Unified School District	The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future

R6: The Contra Costa County Board of Education and the Contra Costa County Office of Education should consider applying for federal, state, corporate, and non-profit organization grants to fund voluntary CPR and First Aid certification refresher training for teachers, by June 30, 2021.

RESPONDENT	RESPONSE
Contra Costa County Superintendent of Schools, Office of Education	The recommendation requires further analysis
Contra Costa County Board of Education	The recommendation will not be implemented because it is not warranted or not reasonable

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<http://www.cc-courts.org/civil/grand-jury-reports.aspx>