



Community Meeting

Join us for our 4th annual Military Equipment Use Policy community meeting. Those in attendance can join the discussion and ask questions.

Thursday, March 19

5:30-6:30PM

Sheriff's Office Main Office

2796 Ventura Ave.

Santa Rosa, CA 95403



Junta Comunitaria

Acompáñenos a nuestra cuarta reunión comunitaria anual sobre la Política de Uso de Equipo Militar. Los asistentes podrán participar en el debate y hacer preguntas.

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La Oficina Principal de la

Oficina del Alguacil

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Questions by Community Member's Regarding Military Grade Equipment:

- **More advertising** – “Not a lot of people here”
- **Mental health and cell extractions** – Does staff know if the inmate has mental health issues?
- **Avoid scattershot approach** – Does not want the department to use a scattershot strategy
- **Protest response** – How does the Sheriff's Office handle protests?
- **Patrol rifles** – Not listed in the materials
- **Rifle-pointing statistics** – Number of times a deputy has pointed a rifle at a person
- **Specialized unit training costs** – Breakdown of training costs for specialized units
- **AB 481** – The Sheriff provided good information on AB 481
- **Flash bangs in the jail** – Use of flash bangs in the jail
- **Chemical agents** – Type of gas used by the office (CS and OC)
- **Asset tracking** – Tracking of specialized equipment and vehicles (e.g., rescue vehicle)
- **Drone use and data sharing** – Data regarding drone use and video footage; do we share this information with companies?



Public Comment Card/Tarjeta de Comentarios

AB 481 (Military Equipment/Equipo militar)

Date/fecha: March 19, 2026/el 19 de marzo, 2026

Name/nombre: Keenan Lorenzato

In the meeting there was a request
to eliminate the 8 stinger grenades from
the inventory and policy. This is because
they are a dangerous scattershot munition.
Both Cert and Swat stated they do
not use them. I hope the department
can eliminate the holding of these
unused munitions.



Sonoma County Sheriff's Office ✓

Public Information Specialist Emily Fuller · 3 days ago



(español a continuación) In accordance with AB 481, we are hosting a community meeting to discuss and answer your questions about r... see more



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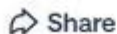
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The answer is no. No you shouldn't be using military equipment to "keep citizens safe."



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