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Sent: Monday, January 27, 2025 9:52 PM
To: Scott, Rick
Subject: Re: Editorial Response

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Thanks for sharing. I'll pass along to the team.

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On Jan 27, 2025, at 9:19 PM, Scott, Rick <rscott@slocity.org> wrote:

Hi Courtney,

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Thank you,

Rick

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Viewpoint

The recent Editorial regarding Illegal Cal Poly frat housing creating hell for neighbors caught my attention. I agree with the Editor's point that Cal Poly is failing to uphold their end to this dangerous community issue.

The main point that stuck out for me was *policy decisions versus legislative mandates*. As pointed out in the article, Sacramento, Fresno and Chico State Universities supply the addresses of these off-campus functions. I sincerely doubt that the legal counsel for these universities would outwardly defy law and subject the university to unnecessary litigation. It's a policy decision by Cal Poly and they are making the wrong choice. They are not being team players for our community.

I shouldn't have to remind Cal Poly that the behaviors of these young partygoers directly affect children that must go to school the next day and the parents needing to work. There is an old saying that nothing good happens after 2 a.m. and this is when sexual assaults occur, DUI's (sometimes resulting in death or great bodily injury), vandalism and all the other problems that occur with public drunkenness.

Most city managers don't have an extra \$300K plus laying around in ongoing funds to pay for two more code enforcement officers. Asking Cal Poly to pony up is laughable.

The District Attorney, Chief of Police, City Manager, School Superintendent and the public should demand that Cal Poly supply the addresses of these off-campus functions. It's a *policy* decision. It needs to be reversed.

Here is a potential solution. Most law enforcement agencies give their staff iPhones. If addresses were given in advance by Cal Poly, local police and others could see and prepare to take a

proactive approach i.e. neighbors communicating, step up police patrols.

This solution doesn't cost us anything. Police investigators and patrol officers use computers and iPhones all the time to track and solve all kinds of other crimes and serious issues. This community issue is worthy of their attention. I would think by working smarter and getting ahead of a situation is better than patrol getting called into a chaotic scene. This would be a good start.

Cal Poly, come to the table and talk. Be a team player. Be a concerned community member on behalf of families and victims of crime.

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