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**From:** Julie Pardini <juliepardini@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 1, 2022 4:10 PM  
**To:** CMO\_BoardFeedback  
**Subject:** Aug 2, 2022 , 9:00 A.M. Meeting. Non-Agenda Item: Sheriff Dept Activity: Inappropriate overreach.

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Dear Board of Supervisors,

Of late, residents of San Mateo County have had to suspend their judgement,...trying to have continued trust, in the procedures and practices of San Mateo County and those employed or elected,...far too many times.

First, with the careless & expensive mishandling of valuable PPE material at the County Fairgrounds.

And now?, with the Sheriff Department's inappropriate involvement and action in a private business contract—out of state, to make matters worst.

Just what is going wrong with the administration of government business in San Mateo County?

A full investigation needs to be made and people removed from service, if found responsible for these lapses.

Sincerely,

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Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** Arthur Mahoney <art@hazardsolutions.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 1, 2022 10:33 AM  
**To:** Dave Pine; Carole Groom; Don Horsley; Warren Slocum; David Canepa; CMO\_BoardFeedback  
**Subject:** Sheriff Batmobile scandal / oversight of San Mateo County Sheriff's Office

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Dear Board of Supervisors

Thank you for serving San Mateo County as our supervisors. I was shocked to hear that our current Sheriff Bolanos is the subject of an investigation in a bizarre scandal involving a Batmobile raid in Indiana that has made an utter embarrassment of San Mateo County. The YouTube video was in the top 10 trending videos this weekend! This is not the kind of PR we expect on our county.

I implore you to take immediate action to do something positive and not wait until January 2023 when our new sheriff takes office to start with a "clean slate". Please immediately pass and put in action the draft ordinance proposed by Fixin' San Mateo County to use your legislative authority under AB 1185 to enact a strong and independent Civilian Oversight Board and Inspector General office, both with subpoena power, for the San Mateo County Sheriff's Office.

Please do not wait. **It is my understanding that the supervisors have been sitting on the draft ordinance for 2.5 months! During this time, the scandal took place!**

Please take immediate action and pass and put into full force an effective ordinance. It will demonstrate a clear, timely and appropriate response to the scandal. Please for the sake of our county do not delay.

Video (event from July 19, 2022 raid): <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SiM1At3O53E>

Draft ordinance for oversight of San Mateo County Sheriff's Office (submitted May 17, 2022)  
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/19drQn5y48q2vKovySh6usQVcuswCjIXq/view>

Sincerely

Art Mahoney  
San Mateo resident since 2004

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**From:** Diane Stow <stowdm@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 1, 2022 2:01 AM  
**To:** CMO\_BoardFeedback  
**Subject:** Non Agenda Item/Sheriff's Office Corruption

CAUTION: This email originated from outside of San Mateo County. Unless you recognize the sender's email address and know the content is safe, do not click links, open attachments or reply.

I am writing to express my concern over the incident involving the outgoing Sheriff sending a group of deputies to Indiana to intimidate and harass a businessman, unlawfully detain him, seize his records, freeze his bank accounts and file bogus charges against him, all at the behest of a wealthy friend and probable campaign donor to the Sheriff.

It is an appalling display of corruption and abuse of power. I worry that the outgoing Sheriff may very well intend to engage in further personal vendettas and illegal activity before his term in office is expired.

Please make sure all who were involved are immediately placed on leave and let the public know that a thorough investigation will be conducted into this matter.

Sincerely,

Diane Stow  
Redwood City Resident