Local Law Enforcement

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The District, on behalf of each campus or center of the District, has a written agreement with local law enforcement agencies. The agreement clarifies operational responsibilities for investigations of Part I violent crimes, defined by law as willful homicide, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault, sexual assaults, including, but not limited to, rape, forced sodomy, forced oral copulation, rape by a foreign object, sexual battery, or threat of any of these, and hate crimes as defined by law, occurring at each location.

The written agreement designates which law enforcement agency has operational responsibility for violent crimes, sexual assaults, and hate crimes, and delineates the specific geographical boundaries of each agency’s operational responsibility, including maps as necessary.

The written agreements required by this policy are public records and are made available for inspection by members of the public upon request to the Chief of Security. Written agreement shall be reviewed and updated if necessary every five years.

Sierra Joint Community College District employees shall report all crimes to the campus security and/or the appropriate police agencies. The Superintendent/President shall establish procedures that encourage pastoral counselors and professional counselors, if and when they deem it appropriate, to inform the persons they are counseling of any procedures to report crimes on a voluntary, confidential basis for inclusion in the annual disclosure of crime statistics.

See Administrative Procedure 3520.