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From: Leila Daniel [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, June 22, 2020 1:05 PM
To: Wendi Sims
Subject: Anti-racist work to be done!

Hi there,

My name is Leila Daniel and I live in SLO county. I am writing to make sure you are committed to fighting racism in our community. You need to reallocate funds from law enforcement and incarceration to fund community services, mental health and community non-profits. Support R.A.C.E. Matters demands in your jurisdiction and adopt a resolution declaring racism a public health crisis (THIS PRETAINS TO ACTION ITEM #8 ON THE AGENDA: COVID19 RESPONSE UPDATE. Also, as a city council, connect and collaborate with organizations in Grover Beach who work on diversity, inclusion, equity and/or racial justice.

Thank you for your time,
Leila Daniel

[REDACTED]

From: Raleigh Delk [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, June 22, 2020 12:10 PM
To: Wendi Sims
Subject: City Council Meeting 6/22 Public Comment

I'm Raleigh from Los Osos and I'm asking the Grover Beach City Council to address and respond to the demands of R.A.C.E. Matters SLO. These potential improvements include the reallocating funds from the police department to local mental health services and nonprofits. Additionally, the city council could adopt a resolution declaring racism a public health crisis as San Luis Obispo has done. For more information, refer to <https://www.racematterslo.org/> and connect and collaborate with other organizations in your city who work on diversity, inclusion, equity, and racial justice.

Regardless of the degree of racism in Grover Beach and SLO County as a whole, such changes could benefit everyone in the community and set an example for the rest of the state and the country. Learn more about the data-driven studies behind these demands at <https://www.joincampaignzero.org/>

Sincerely,
Raleigh Delk

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From: Miriam Cahill [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, June 22, 2020 1:09 PM
To: Wendi Sims
Subject: Important Steps to be Taken

To Whom it May Concern,

My name is Miriam Cahill and I live in SLO county. I am writing to make sure you are committed to fighting racism in our community. You need to reallocate funds from law enforcement and incarceration to fund community services, mental health and community non-profits. Support R.A.C.E. Matters demands in your jurisdiction and adopt a resolution declaring racism a public health crisis (THIS PERTAINS TO ACTION ITEM #8 ON THE AGENDA: COVID19 RESPONSE UPDATE). Also, as a city council, connect and collaborate with organizations in Grover Beach who work on diversity, inclusion, equity and/or racial justice.

Thank you for your time,
Miriam Cahill

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"If your plan is for one year, plant rice. If your plan is for ten years, plant trees. If your plan is for one hundred years, educate children." -Confucius

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From: Sophie Stebbins [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, June 22, 2020 1:43 PM
To: Wendi Sims
Subject: Public Comment for board meeting 6/22

Hello,

I am writing to demand that Grover Beach city council hears the voices and demands of our Black community.

I am asking that the city council:

- Supports R.A.C.E Matters' (SLO) demands in their jurisdiction.
- Adopts a resolution declaring racism a public health crisis.
- Connects and collaborates with organizations who work on diversity, inclusion, equity, and/or racial justice.

The citizens of SLO county are asking for a response and swift action regarding racial justice.

Thank you,

Sophie Stebbins

[REDACTED]

From: bb [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, June 22, 2020 3:32 PM
To: Wendi Sims
Subject: Public Comment

Good Afternoon,

My name is Brandy Bell and I am a SLO County constituent. I am writing to ensure that Grover Beach support the RACE Matters demands already provided to the council. Secondly is it imperative to adopt a resolution declaring racism a public health crisis. Thirdly I publicly request that the council reach out to and work with organisations in the city making meaningful change on matters of racism, inclusion, equity and social justice.

More than ever before, the people of your city are watching your actions, and we are voting en masse in accordance with our values and those who have a track record of upholding them.

Thank you for your time.

Brandy Bell

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From: Sarah Hepler [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, June 22, 2020 2:19 PM
To: Wendi Sims
Subject: Upcoming 6/22 council meeting

Good afternoon,

My name is Sarah Hepler and I am a resident of Grover Beach. I am emailing to request that you support RACE matters demands and adopt a resolution declaring racism a public health crisis. I would also like you to consider making Juneteenth (June 19th, or the third Saturday in June) a holiday in Grover beach.

Thank you,

Sarah Hepler