## Annual Report 2023

The California Public-Safety Radio Association, Inc.

The Southern California Chapter of APCO International





#### The California Public-Safety Radio Association, Inc.

The California Public-Safety Radio Association (hereinafter referred to as CPRA) was originally founded in 1935 as a statewide group called the California Police Radio Association. Because California is so large, it was decided in 1941 to divide the state between North and South. A line was drawn from east to west through Fresno. The group to the north of Fresno was known as the Northern California Police Communication Officers. This group is now known as the Northern California Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials or NAPCO. The area south of Fresno was at first known as the California Police Communication Officers but shortly afterward the Southern California group changed the name back to the original California Police Radio Association (CPRA). On April 1, 1945, CPRA became the 13<sup>th</sup> chartered chapter of the then Associated Police Communications Officers (APCO). In 1953 the CPRA Chapter, in order to better reflect its membership, changed its name to the California Public-Safety Radio Association. In 1956, the Association followed suit and changed its name to the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials (hereinafter referred to as APCO). Since it was a separate organization when it joined APCO in 1945, the corporate name CPRA was allowed to be grandfathered. All other present and future chapters are now required to use APCO in their chapter names.

Today, the Southern California Chapter (CPRA Chapter) of APCO is made up of over 600 local volunteer public safety professionals from Police, Fire, EMS, 9-1-1, State/Local Government, Tribal, Military, Forestry, Highway and Conservation services who volunteer their time and expertise for the betterment of public safety communications. It represents more than 250 Public Safety agencies and 9-1-1 Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) who serve over 23 million people throughout Southern California. Our Corporate members, who provide products or services to public safety, also support and participate in many of the activities of the Chapter. The Southern California Chapter of APCO meets monthly in various Southern California locations.

The Southern California Chapter of APCO is an all-volunteer 501(c)(3) non-profit charitable organization which provides its members with Operational and Technical education and training, discusses the current critical issues affecting Public Safety and 9-1-1 PSAPs, disseminates the latest information on emerging technologies including Next Gen 9-1-1 and FirstNet, reports on FCC Regulatory notices and actions, conducts monthly Frequency Coordination meetings, advises on the current activities at APCO International, and provides an opportunity for networking with peers. Additionally, the Chapter holds special events throughout the year, including: an Annual Public Safety Awards Banquet in April that recognizes the top 9-1-1 Practitioners & Technologists in Southern California; an Annual Vendor Showcase & Training event in October that displays the latest equipment and services for Public Safety; and an Officer Installation Dinner & Holiday Celebration in December.

#### MISSION:

APCO is an international leader committed to providing complete public safety communications expertise, professional development, technical assistance, advocacy and outreach to benefit our members and the public.

#### **VISION:**

APCO commits to strengthen our communities by empowering and educating public safety communications professionals.



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It is my honor to submit the 2023 Annual Report on behalf of APCO's Southern California Chapter (CPRA) Executive Committee and our Chapter membership.

As we represent approximately 220 PSAP's in Southern California, we continued to host monthly membership and Frequency Coordination meetings throughout the various counties. We do this to give our members more opportunity to attend.

We celebrated National Telecommunicators Week Aril 9 -15, 2023. On April 11<sup>th</sup> I flew to Sacramento to receive the Dispatcher Week Proclamation from Senator Ochoa-Bogh. With me was NAPCO President Susie Rivera, and CalNENA's Vice President Mandi Runnels. On April 21st, we hosted our annual Public Safety Awards Banquet. We had a great turnout and everyone who came had a great time. Thank you to our awards committee for putting on a great event.

May 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>, CalNENA, NAPCO and SoCal APCO Executive Board members participated in the first Annual 911 Goes to Sacramento. We hosted 60 members from throughout the state and helped sponsor a couple of bills that impact dispatchers. It was a great turnout for our initial event. We will be participating in 911 Goes to Sacramento next year on April 30" and May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024.

In August, many of our chapter members and Executive Committee attended the APCO International Conference in Nashville, Tennessee. We found time to meet our Northern California Chapter (NAPCO) for a joint dinner. This event gives both executive teams time to reflect on the year's activities and plan for any upcoming events. At the conference, both Executive Boards voted to host a California APCO State conference starting in 2024. We will alternate years in Northern and Southern California. Our first conference will be held Oct 1 -3, 2024. Visit calapco.org for more information.

In October, the California APCO (NAPCO/SoCal APCO) Vendor Showcase and Training event was held. This event was a huge success, both in attendance numbers and vendor support. There were over 50 exhibitors and we hosted multiple sessions of Public Safety training throughout the event. This is our last vendor showcase in this format, as we will be hosting state conferences in the future.

We continued the tradition of sending sympathy cards and flowers to members and agencies who suffer great loss during the year as a part of the Chapter Compassionate Care Program. In December, we finished the year with the Officer Installation Dinner at Knott's Berry Farm Hotel. With the support of our commercial partners, the Chapter was able to hold an amazing dinner event enjoyed by all.

In 2023 we continued our forward momentum as an organization. Our total membership and involvement are both trending upwards. We built on our relationships with NAPCO, CalNENA and the State 911 Office.

As the Chapter President, I had the privilege of flying to Sacramento in December 2023, to swear in the Northern California APCO (NAPCO) Board of Directors.

SoCal APCO Chapter President



#### **Reporting Period**

This report reflects activity of the CPRA Chapter of the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials (APCO) – International from **January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023**.

#### Area Served

The Southern California Chapter of APCO International serves public safety professionals from the following ten (10) geographic counties within Southern California: Imperial County, Kern County, Los Angeles County, Orange County, Riverside County, San Bernardino County, San Diego County, San Luis Obispo County, Santa Barbara County, and Ventura County. These Public Safety agencies serve over 23.8 million citizens (60% of the State's population), encompassing 56,512.35 square miles, and is the second most urbanized area in the United States.

#### Contact & Social Media Information

The CPRA Chapter of APCO International is an all-volunteer organization, and as such, does not have employees nor maintains a physical business location. Postal box, Social Media, and automated message services are utilized for correspondence with the Chapter.

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Association

APCO Website: www.apcointl.org Flikr.com: CPRA-SoCal Chapter of APCO

#### 2023 Elected Chapter Officers (Chapter Executive Committee Voting Eligible Officers)

**President** – Ron Dunn, Riverside Police Department, CA

President-Elect – Terri Nelson, Huntington Park Police Department, CA (Retired)

Vice-President – Steve Goodwyn, Anaheim Police Department, CA

**Secretary** – Amanda Garcia, California Highway Patrol

**Treasurer / CFO** – John W Wright, Riverside Police Department, CA (Retired)

Sergeant-At-Arms – Jeffrey Loveland, City of Riverside Fire Department, CA

**Executive Council Delegate** – Ernest Gallo, City of Torrance, CA

Chapter Commercial Advisory Member – Larry Weber, The Sales Group

**Director** – Timothy Buchfeller, Riverside County Sheriff's Department, CA

Director - Dale Digiambattista, Hemet Police Department, CA

**Director** – Howard Newton, County of Riverside, CA

David Buchanan

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#### **2023 Chapter Committee Assignments**

700 MHz Advisory Committee

(Chair)

**800 MHz Advisory Committee** Jim Donovan (Chair)

800 MHz Re-Banding Committee Ray Grimes (Chair)

Audit Committee

(Chair)

Commercial Advisory Committee Larry Weber (Chair)

Engineering & Technology Committee Howard Newton (Chair)

Finance & Budget Committee John W Wright (Chair)

David Buchanan Joseph Parrino Howard Newton

Frequency Advisory Committee David Buchanan (Chair)

Gary David Gray (Vice-Chair)

**Bob Bearss** 

Historical Committee Adriana Spirescu (Chair)

Member Services Committee Timothy Buchfeller (Chair)

Membership Committee Steve Goodwyn (Chair)

Nominating Committee Timothy Buchfeller (Chair)

Howard Newton Dale Digiambattista

Operations & Training Committee Terri Nelson (Chair)

P.O.S.T. Advisory Council Member Ron Dunn

Program Committee Terri Nelson (Chair)

Regulatory Review Committee David Buchanan (Chair)

Resolutions & Bylaws Committee Amanda Garcia (Chair)

Gary David Gray (Vice-Chair)

John W Wright

Technologist Awards Committee Howard Newton (Chair)

Telecommunicator Awards Committee Terri Nelson (Chair)

APCO Chapter Committees

Review Bylaws & Strategic Planning

Audit Chapter Finances

Solicit Nominations and Conduct Elections

Work with Vendors to Obtain Sponsorships

Organize Chapter Fundraising Events

Solicit and Coordinate Training Classes

Develop the Chapter Calendar and Schedules

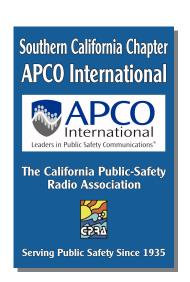
Organize Awards Events and Celebrate Members

Document Historical Chapter Accomplishments

Take Photos / Videos for Sharing and Posterity

Assist with Regional Frequency Coordination

Create Chapter Newsletters and Publications



#### 2023 Chapter Membership

To be a member of the CPRA Chapter of APCO-International, members must join APCO, which may be done through the Association's website at www.apcointl.org. As of December 2023, the CPRA Chapter of APCO International had a total of 644 members.

#### **Membership by APCO Individual Job Classifications:**

10	9-1-1 Administrative Support
13	9-1-1 Coordinators
16	9-1-1 Directors
59	9-1-1 Managers
121	9-1-1 Supervisors
215	9-1-1 Telecommunicator/Dispatchers
8	9-1-1 Training and Education Coordinators
6	Commercial Consultants
19	Commercial Marketing/Sales

- 5 Commercial Owners
- 10 Commercial Presidents
- 8 County/State Officials
- 85 Engineering/Technicians
- 2 Fire Captains
- 3 Fire Chiefs
- 38 Information Systems Support
- 2 Police Chiefs
- 4 Police Officers / Deputies
- 15 Retired
  - 5 Sheriffs

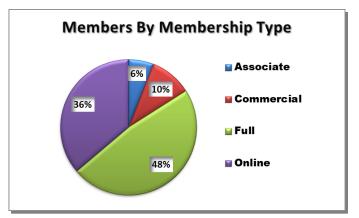
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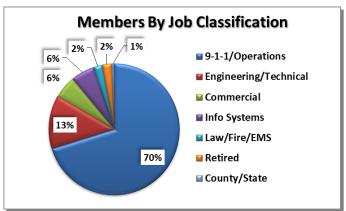
#### Membership percentages by Job Classifications:

9-1-1 / Operational	70.2 %
Engineering / Technician	13.2 %
Commercial	5.6 %
Information Systems	5.9 %
Law / Fire / EMS Officers	2.2 %
Retired	2.3 %
County / State Officials	<u>0.6 %</u>
	100.00 %

#### Membership by APCO Membership Type:

36	Associate Members
50	Commercial Members (Individual)
14	Commercial Members (Group)
173	Full Members (Individual)
135	Full Members (Group)
236	Online Members (Group)
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#### **APCO / Chapter Life Members**

#### **APCO International Life Members:**

Jim Acosta	Ralph Blount	David Buchanan
Ernest Gallo	Richard Granado	Gary David Gray
Anna Holmes	Kenneth Mann	Garrett Mayer
Donald Miller	Richard Miller	Joseph Parrino
Henry Richter	Donald Root	Adriana Spirescu
Charles Taylor	John W Wright	

#### **Chapter Life Members:**

Patricia Daniel Mike Rowles Billy Williams

Bryan Hawkins Spencer Leafdale

#### 2023 Chapter Meetings & Presentations

	Date	Location	Attendance
Jan	01/19/2023	LA CHP Communications Center, Los Angeles, CA	45
	Presentation	Motorola - "CAPE – Drone Video & Flight Control Software" CHP – "The Voice Behind The Call"	
Feb	02/16/2023	Anaheim Police East Sub Station, Anaheim, CA	46
	Presentation	APCO AFC – "How the FCC Impacts Your 9-1-1 Center"	
Mar	03/16/2023	Palm Springs Police Department, Palm Springs, CA	47
	Presentation	Intrado – "Emergency Call tracking System (ECATS) Training Panel – "911 Center Updates: Across the Coachella Valley"	
April	04/22/2022	Sheraton Cerritos Hotel, Cerritos, CA	339
	Presentation	Annual Public Safety Awards Banquet	
May	05/18/2023	Hughes Community Center, Claremont, CA	35
	Presentation	DHS – "Homeland Security Update for Public Safety" Eagleview – "High Resolution Aerial Imagery & Analytics"	
June	06/15/2023	Orange County Sheriff - Loma Ridge, Silverado, CA	36
	Presentation	Kim Turner – "911 Recruitment. Leveragin Gen Z Priorities" Orange County DA – "After the Call, Presenting 911 Evidence"	
Jul	07/20/2023	Ventura County Fire Department, Camarillo, Ca	43
	Presentation	CalOES – "Next Gen 911 Update" RGB Spectrum – Leveraging the Network to Improve 911"	
Aug	08/17/2023	One Safe Place, San Marcos, Ca	31
	Presentation	Prepared 911 – "Collecting Multi-Media from 911 Callers" First Responder Wellness – "Post Traumatic Stress"	
Sep	09/21/2022	Riverside Police Department, Riverside, Ca	36
	Presentation	Sun Ridge Systems – "Integrated Applications for CAD" Santa Anna PD – "Overcoming the Challenge of Insufficient Trainers"	
Oct	10/27/2022	Holiday Inn, La Mirada, CA – Vendor Showcase	216
		Annual Vendor Showcase & Public Safety Training Event Regional Dispatch Operations Roundtable	
Nov	11/16/2023	Chino Police Department, Chino, Ca	38
	Presentation	Mindbase – "Proactive First Responder Wellness" CPR It Works – "911, CPR, AED, the Chain of Survival"	
Dec	12/2/2022	Knott's Berry Farm Hotel, Buena Park, CA	68
		Officer Installation & Recognition	

#### 2023 Annual Chapter Events

	Date	Location	Attendance
Apr	04/21/2023	2022 Annual Public Safety Awards (Technical & Telecommunicator) Sheraton Hotel, Cerritos, CA	339
Oct	10/12/2023	Vendor Showcase & Public Safety Training Holiday Inn Hotel, La Mirada, CA	216
	Companies R	epresented:	54

#### **Training Sessions:**

"Building the Future of 911"

"NG911 Functions, Features, & Solutions"

"Financial Planning for First Responders"

"All About Contours – When They Help"
"Tips Tricks & Techniques to Reduce Liability & Boost Morale"

"Staffing, Retention & Technology of 911"

"Cast Members or Characters - Who is Running the Show?"

#### Workshops:

"SoCal Intra County Mutual Aid & Interoperability Workshop" "911 PSAP Operations Roundtable"

Dec 12/01/2023 2023 Officer Installation Dinner 68

Knott's Berry Farm Hotel, Buena Park, CA

#### 2023 Annual Event Sponsors:

Platinum & Diamond Sponsors: NGA - Next Generation Advanced

Gold Sponsors: CentralSquare / ESChat / Kim Turner LLC Silver Sponsors: Hexagon / Lumen / National Public Safety Group

Nice / Tyler Technologies / Public Safety Towers

Bronze Sponsors: ADCOMM / Eagleview / Goserco / SkyMira

The Spectrum Firm

Location

#### **2023 Executive Committee Quarterly Workshops**

Date

	Date	Location
Jan	01/04/2023	Orange County Sheriff's Department – Eckhoff St.
Apr	04/05/2023	Newton Avocado Manor – Temecula
Jul	07/05/2023	Glendale Police Department - Glendale
Nov	11/01/2023	Samsung EBC - Irvine

#### 2023 APCO International Western Regional Conference

April 04/17 – 04/20/2023 Ogden, UT - Cancelled by Utah Chapter

#### 2023 APCO International Annual Conference & Exposition

Aug 08/6 – 08/9/2023 Music City Center, Nashville, TN



#### 2023 Annual Public Safety Awards Recipients

The CPRA Chapter of APCO International solicits annual award nominations, in multiple categories, from over 250 public safety agencies throughout the Southern California region. Nominees and/or award recipients are not required to be a member of APCO International.

#### **2023 Telecommunicator Awards Winners:**

#### Telecommunicator of the Year

Samantha (Sami) Maria Soto, Orange County Fire Authority

#### Supervisor of the Year

Steve Powell, Riverside Police Department

#### **Trainer of the Year**

Brian Bustillos, California Highway Patrol

#### **Outstanding Performance (Individual) - Police**

Dawn Drootin, Anaheim Police Department

#### Outstanding Performance (Individual) - Fire

Grace Romero, Orange County Fire Authority

#### **Outstanding Performance (Team)**

Valley Dispatch Center, Los Angeles Police Department

#### **Special Recognition**

Riverside County Sheriff's Department

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Timothy Buchfeller – Master of Ceremonies

#### 2023 Technologist Awards Winners:

#### **GIS Technologist of the Year**

Chase Van Schoonhoven, Riverside County Sheriff's Department

#### RF Technologist of the Year

Peter Jimenez, Orange County Sheriff's Department

#### IT Technologist of the Year

Theresa Roach, Orange County Sheriff's Department

#### RF Engineer of the Year

Brian Chrisman, University of California Irvine



#### **2023 Financial Summary**

#### **Account Balances**

Opening Checking Balance \$ 126,041.68 January 1, 2023

Petty Cash on Hand \$ 200.00

Total Funds Available (1/1/2023) \$ 126,241.68

Closing Checking Balance \$ 120,497.84 December 31, 2023

Petty Cash on Hand \$ 200.00

Total Funds Available (12/31/2023) \$ 120,697.84

Annual Net Increase / (Net Loss) \$ (5,543.84)

#### Income

Annual Public Safety Awards Banquet	\$	23,799.70	Attendee Registrations	: & Sponso	rships
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APCO International Dues \$ 17,070.53 Annual Membership Dues to Chapter

Chapter Sponsorships \$ 3,089.95 Corporate Presentations

Donations \$ 38.82 Donations to the Chapter

Fundraiser - NTW Buttons \$ 5,065.10 Annual Chapter Fundraiser

Fundraiser – Chapter Coins \$ 57.01 Annual Chapter Fundraiser

Monthly Meetings \$ 7,679.75 Attendee Meeting Registration Fees

Officer Installation Dinner \$ 8,060.17 Attendee Registrations / Sponsorships

Interest Income \$ 4.00 Bank Interest / Non-Profit Checking

Bank Account Setup Transactions \$ 0.49 Union Bank to US Bank Transition

Vendor Showcase & Training Event \$ 26,995.83 Annual Fundraiser / Sponsorships

Total Income \$ 91,861.35

#### **Expenses**

Annual Public Safety Awards Banquet \$ 22,959.69 Chapter Recognition / Telecom & Tech Awards

APCO International Dues \$ 788.00 Chapter Life Member Dues (6 members)

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Bank Fees	\$	180.49	Union Bank – US Bank Setup / New Checks
Committee Meetings & Workshops	\$	1,108.53	Meals, Supplies
Community Outreach	\$	3,597.69	9-1-1 Goes to Sacramento
Compassionate Care	\$	210.40	Flowers/Cards/Support of Members & Agencies
Computer Equipment & Software	\$	282.51	Replacement Equipment / Software Licenses
Equipment (Non-Asset)	\$	383.54	Name Tags / Computer Peripherals
Fundraiser Postage/Shipping Fees	\$	1,208.54	NTW Buttons/Nominations/Face Masks
Insurance	\$	7,800.90	D&O and General Liability Insurance
Monthly Meetings	\$	8,275.27	Meals, Facilities, Parking Fees, Deposits
Office / Meeting Supplies	\$	438.91	Misc. Office Supplies, Paper Goods
Officer Installation Dinner	\$	8,607.49	Facilities/Food Service/Recognition/ DJ
Officer Travel	\$	12,963.75	APCO Conference/ NAPCO Meetings
Post Office Box Rental	\$	252.00	Annual PO Box Rental Fees
Postage & Printing Services	\$	191.63	Misc. Postage & Printing
Promotional Supplies	\$	5,661.22	Chapter Commemorative Coins / Postcards
Utilities – Monthly Recurring Fees	\$	4,783.85	Web Hosting, Storage Facility, WiFi Service, Group Email Service, Online Voting, Online Store, Credit Card Processing Service, Zoom
Vendor Showcase Fundraiser	\$	17,710.78	Facilities, Food Service
Total Expenses	\$	97,405.19	
Assets			
Property & Equipment	\$	1,016.34	Non-Asset Items Valued Under \$500
Property & Equipment	\$	777.11	Asset Items Valued Over \$500
Investments	\$	0.00	2023 INCOME VS EXPENSE \$97,405
Total Assets	\$	1,793.45	\$100,000 \$90,000
Liabilities			\$80,000 \$70,000 \$60,000
Accounts Payable	\$	0.00	\$50,000
Accrued Expenses	\$	0.00	\$30,000 \$20,000 \$10,000
Total Net Assets (Funds & Equipment)	\$ 1	22,491.29	\$0 Income Income Expense Expense Budgeted Actual Budgeted Actual

#### **Financial Notes:**

The Financial Summary contained within this report reflects all financial activity of the CPRA Chapter of the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials (APCO) – International for its 2022 fiscal year:

January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023.

#### TAX Identification:

CPRA is an IRS designated 501(c)(3) non-profit charitable organization. TIN #: 95-4234700.

CPRA is a registered State of California domestic non-profit corporation: Entity ID #: C0250665

Agent for Service of Process: William Dunlevy, 1200 Paseo Camarillo, Ste. 255, Camarillo, CA 93010

A copy of the Chapter's current IRS W9 form is available on the Chapter website at www.cpra.org.

Banking: US Bank, 9811 Magnolia Ave., Suite B, Riverside, CA 92503

Accounts: US Bank Non-Profit Organization Checking; US Bank Business Visa Credit Card.

Credit Card processing for payments to the chapter is provided through US Bank and Square. All Square credit card transactions are direct deposited into the Chapter's Non-Profit Checking Account. Additionally, the Chapter utilizes Zelle to accept mobile payments to the Chapter. All Zelle transactions are direct deposited into the Chapter's Non-Profit Checking Account. Other than for issuing electronic refunds for payments already received by the Chapter, no outgoing payments are allowed utilizing Square, Zelle, Cash Cards, Gift Cards, or Bank Transfer.

Payments: All outgoing payments are limited to Chapter Check, Chapter Credit Card, or Petty Cash only.

**APCO Dues**: Association dues designated for the CPRA Chapter are direct deposited monthly from APCO International into the Chapter's Non-Profit Checking Account. CPRA is an APCO Tier II dues chapter.

**Assets:** Per Chapter Financial Policy, equipment valued at \$500 or greater is determined to be an "Asset" of the Chapter and therefore reportable to the IRS. Equipment value is depreciated annually at the current IRS published depreciation schedule. Chapter equipment valued below \$500 is determined to be a non-asset item and is tracked in separate inventory records. Equipment depreciated to zero (\$0.00) value is not reflected in this report.

**Financial Policy**: The CPRA Chapter's Financial Policy may be found within the Chapter Policy & Procedures Manual, on pages 26-37. A current copy of the CPRA Chapter Policy & Procedures Manual, as well as the CPRA Chapter Constitution & Bylaws, is available on the Chapter's Website.

**Financial Audit**: All financial records are annually reviewed and audited by the Chapter Finance & Audit Committee as prescribed within the Chapter's Financial Policy of the Chapter Policy & Procedures Manual.

**Tax Filings**: Chapter accounts, Chapter asset inventory, and Chapter State and Federal tax returns are annually reviewed; filings prepared, and required documents filed by the independent professional Accounting Firm of Daniel B. Heyman, CPA – A Professional Corporation, PO Box 261787, Encino, CA 91426.

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Chief Financial Officer (CFO)

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	authority of Article 1, Section 3 (Amended) of the Constitution, do hereby certify that said parties, their associates and	
	successors have become a body, duly organized under the name, THE <u>C. P. R. A.</u> CHAPTER ASSOCIATED POLICE  COMMUNICATIONS OFFIERS, Incorporated, located at a place within the State of <u>California</u> and shall have all	
7	the rights and privileges granted to State or Regional Chapters under the Constitution	
	Tu Testimous Whereof, I hereinto set my hand in approval this <u>1 St</u> day of <u>April</u> , 1945.	
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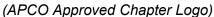
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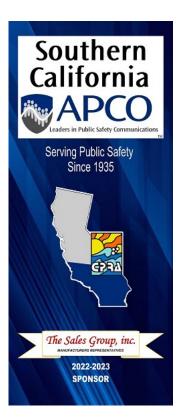


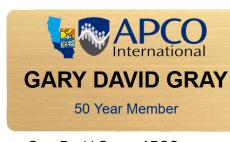






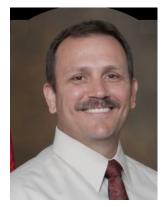
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