

Argument in Favor of Measure M

VOTE YES ON MEASURE M

Your support of Measure M will provide the resources to the Woodland Police Department to enhance Public Safety through expanded Crime Prevention programs.

Public Safety for the City of Woodland is a priority and requires a continued investment by our residents in order to keep pace with the needs of policing a growing city. Woodland's law enforcement team is facing additional issues due to the impacts of State Prison releases under AB 109, increased Youth Gang activities, additional issues with a growing homeless population due to a sluggish economy and additional problems with regional criminal activity.

During the past several years the Woodland Police Department has done an excellent job protecting our residents with limited resources. Due to budget issues, layoffs, retirements, and the expiration of Federal grants the WPD has experienced an overall reduction in staff. Many of the reductions have been in areas which focused on Community Policing and Crime Prevention.

Your support of Measure M will provide our Police Department with needed resources to expand Community Policing and Crime Prevention activities, increase opportunities for the Department to engage with at-risk youth and expand anti-gang intervention strategies, and support Neighborhood Watch throughout our City.

Let's help our Woodland Police department by voting yes on Measure M.

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