

County of Santa Clara
Board of Supervisors
Supervisory District Five
Supervisor Liz Kniss



BOS-D5-012709-04

DATE: January 27, 2009

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM:

SUBJECT: Referral Regarding Juvenile Hall Visiting Area

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Refer to Administration a report to the Public Safety and Justice Committee and subsequently the Board of Supervisors, evaluating placement of a metal detector staffed by personnel to be located in the visiting area at Juvenile Hall.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

On January 1, 2009, an individual in custody escaped from Juvenile Hall through the visiting area. To assist in prevention of further acts, and to provide a secure environment for the persons in the visiting area, I request a report to the Public Safety and Justice Committee and subsequently the full Board of Supervisors with an evaluation related to placing a metal detector staffed by personnel at the visiting area of Juvenile Hall.