

Petition to Santa Cruz City Council

Fire and Prosecute Bad Cops

- We, the undersigned, believe **laws must be fairly enforced and not target the poor.**
- **SCPD policy must not harass innocent behavior** in Public Spaces such as sitting near a building, sleeping when there is no place to go, street performing, talking with a friend in a public parking lot, playing music, or peacefully spare changing.
- **Public spaces** are for public use; we need more of them--and a Downtown Plaza.
- **Prosecute real crimes** like assault, vandalism, rape, and robbery.
- **Police officers** who regularly falsely arrest or abusively assault members of the public must not only be fired, but prosecuted for these crimes.
- **Police officials who cover for bad cops** must not be tolerated but replaced.
- **The Mayor and City Council** are responsible for ensuring that the **City Manager** performs this job; if it is not being done, he needs to be replaced himself.

[You do not need to be a resident, adult, voter, or citizen to sign this petition]

NAME (please print) PHONE OR E-MAIL COMMENTS (H = Harassed yourself; S =
Witnessed Harassment, C = Contact Me)

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