

JUDGMENT DAY AT CITY COUNCIL?

SUPPORT FREEDOM SLEEPOUT #84

METH SWEETS FOR SLEEPYHEADS TO HELP ENFORCEMENT OF THE SLEEPING BAN

Give your opinion around 5 PM at Oral Communications.

CHIEF VOGEL'S BETRAYAL OF "SANCTUARY CITY" WITH MONDAY'S RAIDS

In addition to City silence on Vogel's support for ICE raids in the Beach Flats yesterday...Item #3 on the day's City Council agenda is a **special Service Celebration of Vogel's 30 years on the SCPD**. Vogel's "accomplishments" included setting loose **the armored BearCat vehicle** on the community; **refusing to release the video of the Sean Arlt slaying** as well as the identity of the police officer who killed him.

ADDITIONAL VOGEL ACHIEVEMENTS

Vogel has also presided over the 2012 **theft and rerouting of SCPD-confiscated bikes** ending the Bike Church's redistribute-to-nonprofits program with the bikes redirected to a City Council connected business. He personally led the massing of **more than 100 cops to disperse the Occupy encampment** in San Lorenzo benchlands and later corral protesters marching to City Hall in early December 2011. All this was followed by the **phony (and costly) prosecutions of the Santa Cruz Eleven** for peaceful support of a Wells Fargo bank occupation at 75 River St.--chilling the income inequality protest across the city. Though this is an officially agenda-ized action, it is likely the Mayor will try to stop any public comment.

FOXES IN THE HOMELESS-HELPER HENHOUSE

Item #9 will ratify the Trump-is-alive-in-Santa-Cruz appointments of anti-homeless politicians to the babble-bubble of the Homelessness Governance Ad-Hoc Committee. Specifically **Mayor Chase (who voted to keep the Sleeping Ban last year)** will join an assistant City Manager--from the **staff that created the "homeless-as-criminals" Public Safety Task Force, pushed anti-homeless laws on Pacific Avenue, and has attacked the Freedom Sleeper protests and protesters.**

CASH FOR THE CAMPER-CRUSHERS

Item #11 gives **\$90,000 to First Alarm Security thugs** to fund their stalk-&-scare raids in City parking garages **to run homeless people out into the cold and rain**. Explicitly: to combat " a large influx in the transient population in the last three to four months and the impacts associated with encampments." Of course, there is no expansion of shelter, opening needed facilities like public bathrooms and wash stations, nor any reining in of uniformed thieves seizing homeless property.

Other items (#7 and 8) include reappointing homeless-hostile hacks (**Terrazas & Mathews**) to the Library Board--where they **extended the Sleeping Ban & other repressive measures to the downtown library.**