

Defending Institutions: Promoting Civic Debate and Rejecting Personal Attacks



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James R. Lewis
City Manager,
City of Pismo Beach



**Patricia Lock-
Dawson**
Mayor,
City of Riverside

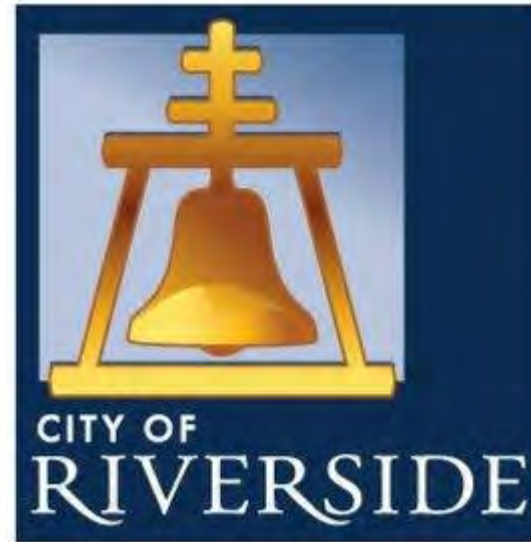


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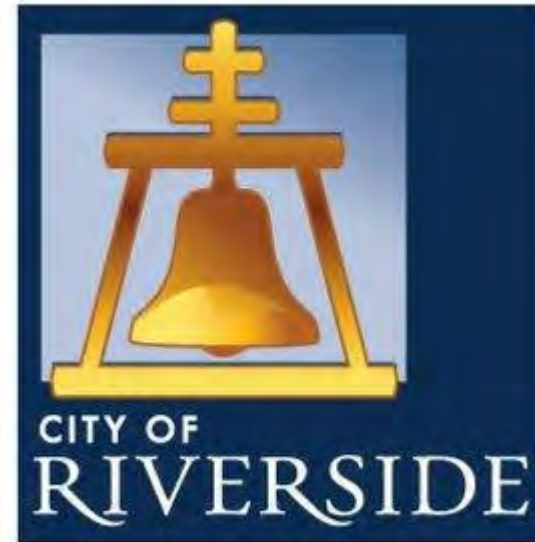


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Oakland Mayor's Home



Sacramento Mayor's Home



Sacramento City Manager's Home



2020 Protests



Coordinating with Business



Violence Against Women

According to a study from *The State and Local Government Review*, women who are mayors are twice as likely to be hit with psychological abuse and three times more likely to be the subject of physical violence.

Riverside County Courthouse Vandalized



Headlines

Sections

Los Angeles Times

Riverside officials demand sheriff apologize for accusing councilmember of supporting vandalism



Protect Yourself

- Exercise situational awareness.
- Avoid electronics while walking.
- Consider an alarm system.
- Participate in neighborhood watch.
- Speak up if something seems off.
- Have an exit plan.
- Keep police apprised.

Solutions

1. Communicate and Collaborate
2. Connect and Share
3. Build Trust
4. Manage your Public Persona
5. Harden the Target