

# **PUBLIC NOTICE**

**From Vista and North County residents  
in regards to the San Diego Minutemen**

1. **TO ALL EMPLOYERS: The San Diego Minutemen's use of video cameras is harmless.**
  - To this day, not a single prosecution or any other legal case has come from their videotaping.
  - It is simply a meaningless intimidation tactic. Do not fear their cameras.
  
2. **TO THE VISTA CITY COUNCIL: It is time to reconsider a Day Labor Center for the workers and resolve the situation in a manner that will be best for all.**
  - The Day Labor Ordinance of 2006 has done nothing to resolve the issue.
  - The City has blessed the Minutemen's presence by doing nothing to denounce their harassing and provocational tactics, thus making the City Council responsible for the increased tension that exists in Vista today.
  
3. **TO THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL: The San Diego Minutemen are a politically defeated group and do no merit attention, debate, or contention.**
  - The SD Minutemen's two-year efforts to shut down day labor gathering centers in many cities including Vista have failed.
  - In their defeat, they are getting desperate to receive attention and renew their cause, and this includes provoking fights, baiting passersby in order to use pepper spray and violent tactics against them, and other criminal activities.
  - Currently, the Minutemen leaders have various criminal charges pending ranging from vandalism, defamation of character, and assault. They are notorious for being especially violent towards women.
  - They currently act more like a criminal street gang than a political advocacy group, and we encourage the public to view them as such and deal with them as such. This means that if you are harassed by them, if you see them in public congregating and harassing others, we advise that the best thing to do is to call the local Sheriffs and report Minutemen gang activity taking place in your area. Do not confront them as they are a violent and unstable group.

**WE WILL MAKE THIS NOTICE PUBLIC  
Saturday, January 12, 2008**

**7:00 am - 11:00 am**

**On the corner of Escondido Ave. and Santa Fe Ave. in Vista.**

For more information or to endorse this event please contact (760) 468-4519 or email [Latina\\_jillings@yahoo.com](mailto:Latina_jillings@yahoo.com) or visit <http://myspace.com/justicepeacedignity>  
Sponsored by the Vista Human Rights Committee, The Coalition for Justice  
Peace and Dignity, MUDP, Palomar College MEChA