

Safety Advisory Committee Report to Academic Senate

March 11, 2026 (Committee Meeting Date March 11, 2026)

Announcements:

- Executive Director position is going for board approval this week.
- P2 Parking Lot has added more staff spots.

Completed Items:

- Lighting at Delano temporary parking lot was completed and powered up on Saturday.

Upcoming Items:

- Active Shooter Training for staff, faculty, and students is planned before the end of the semester.
- Science and Engineering building's glass exposure and classroom visibility are recognized safety concerns; window film, blinds, and barricade options will be evaluated.
- Lighting expansion bids for the following areas are underway: Business and Humanities, Get Bus Stop, dark areas along Haley Street.
- Interior Campus Vehicular Safety
 - Campus removable metal bollards are expected to be installed late April or early May pending final bids and district approval.
- The Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) is being revised after a February safety summit, with main-campus refinements and satellite-specific plans aimed for board consideration around late May/June.
- BCSGA passed a resolution proposing inclusionary visual alert lighting for deaf and hard-of-hearing students; the SGA representative will send the document to College Safety for review as it was not available for the meeting.
- Commissioning of the Bakersfield College Police Department is still underway and will take approximately one year.

Respectfully submitted,

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Carlos Rios, Interim Administrative Co-Chair

Justin Kelly, Classified Co-Chair