

**Send your comments to Sheriff Villanueva via email/phone:**

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**Or there is an online comment form at: [lasd.org/contact-us/](https://lasd.org/contact-us/)**

(date)

Dear Sheriff Villanueva,

As a proud resident of the unincorporated area of Altadena, I am extremely concerned and saddened to learn of the closing of our community Sheriff's station. This station not only represents public safety in our close-knit community, but it also represents the drastic change in enhanced community policing because of the hard work between citizens and law enforcement.

Understandably so, the COVID-19 pandemic has affected many lives in many ways and will continue to do so for quite some time. However, this is not the time to make drastic decisions without community input that directly affects public safety.

(I/we) implore you to work with the Chief Executive Officer to find alternative ways to mitigate the Department's budget deficit instead of directly hindering the communities you say you are here to protect and serve.

Thank you for taking the time to note my concerns, and I look forward to hearing an update soon.

Sincerely,

(Name)