

# Violence Prevention Initiative

a citywide and neighborhood approach to improving safety and well-being

## Vision

Creating and sustaining a city where everyone in Long Beach lives in safe communities, attends safe schools, and are contributing neighbors connected to their community.

## Goals



**Social  
Connectedness**



**Economic  
Opportunities**



**Safe & Healthy  
Neighborhoods**



**Trauma-Informed  
Systems**

## Citywide Approach



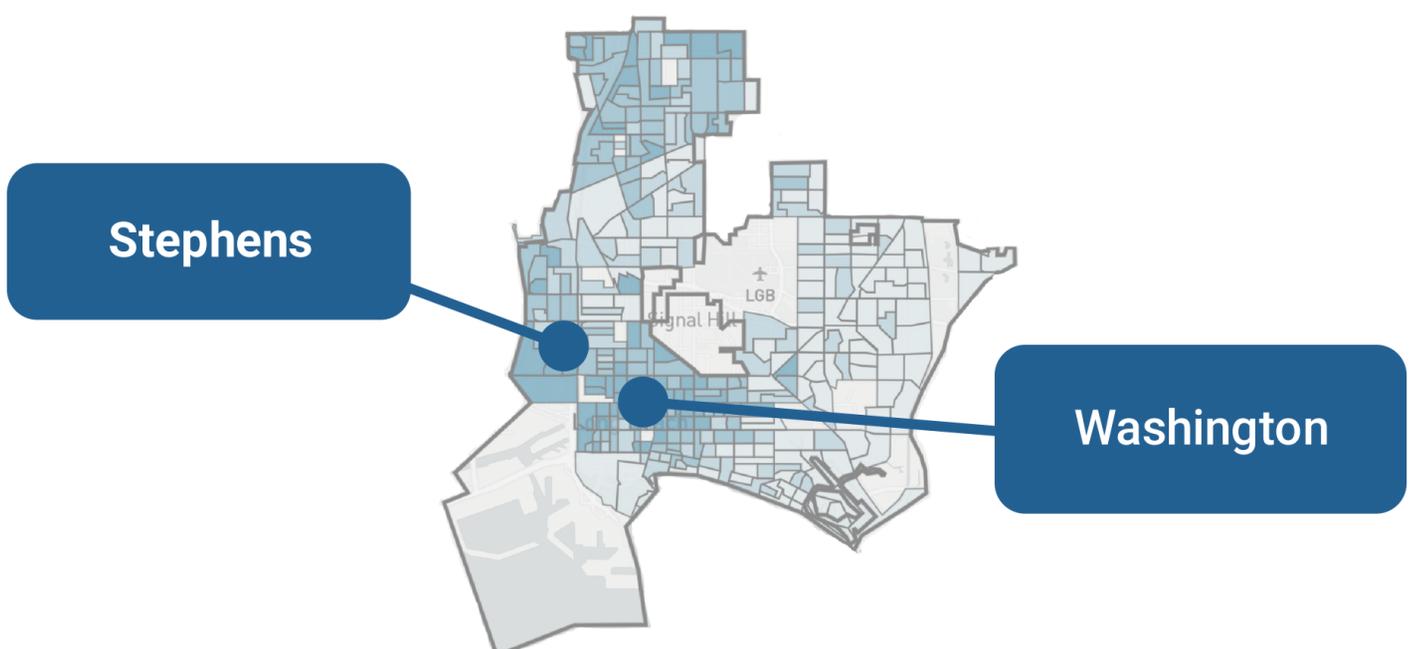
Health Department is the backbone organization managing the initiative, supporting facilitation and coordination, data collection, research, and reporting.

Citywide cross-sector partnership with community stakeholders working together to define safety and creating a shared vision to achieve it. The Collaborative uses an agreed upon way to track and measure progress and success, promotes coordination, and builds trust and relationships through continuous communication.

The citywide Steering Committee helps set the agenda for the Collaborative and oversees the implementation of violence prevention strategies.

## Neighborhood Approach

To actively promote safety, this initiative uses an equitable place-based neighborhood approach to engage and uplift community voices, foster trust and relationships, build community capacity, and align and coordinate resources.



To learn more about and get involved in current and upcoming citywide and neighborhood level efforts to improve safety, please contact us.

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