

## CUESTIONARIO

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Presentation of the Safe Community Programmes

Photo: Tuxtla Gutiérrez, Chiapas, México.



**Name of the Community: TUXTLA GUTIÉRREZ**

Country: **MÉXICO**

Number of inhabitants: **553,406**

Programme started year: **2005**

International Safe Communities Network Membership: Designation year: **2011**

Info address on www for the Programme: No:.....Yes, where?

<http://www.pgje.chiapas.gob.mx/comunidadsegura/>.

**Full application available:** <http://www.pgje.chiapas.gob.mx/comunidadsegura/>.

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We are witnesses that Chiapas sets another example on its ability to reach agreements that involve citizens, private sector, community organizations and civil society in general, in an action of responsibility for security.

Through this certification, we are making progress in building local infrastructure for injury prevention and safety promotion; today we are on the path of the emergence of a model of control and prevention of injuries and violence currently affecting the population of Tuxtla.

Achieving this certification, as a safe community for Tuxtla Gutierrez, is another reference, not only from the perspective of keeping the state in the first places of safety with lower rates of victimization, but also on ensuring security as an essential resource for daily life, and promote better social and economic development of Tuxtla Gutierrez.

## WHAT BENEFITS DOES THE CERTIFICATION BRING?

The certification of the capital city of Tuxtla Gutierrez, as a safe community, will be the third in Latin America, but it also reaffirms that Chiapas sets another example of its ability to stay among the first places to ensure certainty and infrastructure for injury prevention and safety promotion, involving private citizens, private sector, community organizations and civil society in general, in an action of responsibility for security.

Achieving this certification, and safe community for Tuxtla Gutierrez is another reference, not only from the perspective of maintaining the state in the first places with the lowest risk rates, injury and victimization, but also ensuring security as an essential resource for daily living, and municipalities, as Tuxtla Gutierrez, meet their expectations of development.

For the governor Juan Sabines, this certification process is a sustainability program for which you have to move forward progressively, with state and local public policies that may have a greater impact beyond a six-year administration, through constant attention of the challenges on Health, Public Security, Justice and Civil Protection issues.

In addition, the Safe Community program is a positive link to attract investment, new business development, product promotion and gain more confidence of domestic and international markets, by investing in Chiapas.

A certification of this kind means an ongoing commitment to safety and a change in the culture of crime prevention, citizen's attitudes and active participation of society through citizen councils.



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Seen in a different perspective, ensuring the rule of law and security, is not an exclusive function of the authority. If this were so, there would be no one watching over the authority making sure it be governed by law. All citizens or political actors create, protect and strengthen the rule of law.

## IMPACT.

The concept of safe cities, takes into account the structure and urban organization that Tuxtla Gutierrez currently shows, which is fortunately organized to address the problem of a population of over 500 thousand inhabitants; In the case of Tuxtla Gutierrez, urban components have been designed to support the security and well being of the population, such as,

### Axis of Democratic Participation

Program	Objetive
1. SOLIDARY CITIZEN POLICE	Assist, organize and provide first contact, preventive security services in urban and suburban neighborhoods, in order to preserve public order proactively and be attentive to the health and public hygiene, and harmonious coexistence of neighbors of more than 500 colonies of this county, with which it has a strong daily relationship, close and direct.
2. DOWNTOWN POLICE	Regulate and monitor the operation of stores, parking lots and street parking meters in the city of Tuxtla Gutierrez, to strengthen the surveillance of local and state police in the city.
3. FEMALE POLICE FOR TRANSIT AND ROAD SAFETY	Monitor, control and regulate traffic in their areas of action in order to improve road safety through preventive actions, individually or in coordination with other elements of male support transit staff projecting honesty, trust and loyalty.
4. BREATHALYZER	Reduce the high rate of road accidents caused by drunk driving, through social awareness and creating a culture of injury prevention in order to induce a holding which may inhibiting risk factors for alcohol consumption, especially in young people.
Program	Objetive
5. CHILDREN REHABILITATIO CENTER (CRIT CHIAPAS)	Promote national unity around our values in order to create a culture of integration of people with disabilities into society, as well as build and operate rehabilitation centers for disabled children as a support to institutions that provide medical care to people with disabilities in Mexico through the Teleton Fund for Institution Support

<p><b>6. CENTRA (Specialized Centre for the Prevention and Treatment of Addictions)</b></p>	<p>Prevent the people of Chiapas on the consumption of psychoactive substances, promoting healthy lifestyles through the use of tools in the field of prevention and treatment, to enable the individual to establish appropriate links with their family socio, including alternative changes for the productive reintegration of people.</p>
<p><b>7. CHILDREN AS INSPECTORS</b></p>	<p>Promoting universal values in children, in order to outline future generations of citizens committed to their environment, as well as, strengthen children's leadership for children to become agents of change.</p>
<p><b>8. EVERYBODY GOES TO SCHOOL</b></p>	<p>Identify those children who are currently outside the school system and those at risk of leaving, helping them to improve their quality of life, incorporating them into school and ensuring their stay in school in order to ensure compliance with its right to education</p>
<p><b>9. AMANECER The down program</b></p>	<p>Contributing to the overall improvement of the quality of life for adults over 64 years and over, providing not only financial support, but care such as preventive health, legal and administrative guidelines.</p>
<p><b>10. ROAD SAFETY</b></p>	<p>Reduce the number of deaths caused by traffic accidents in the population aged 15 to 29, by promoting road safety, accident prevention and improved care for victims.</p>
<p><b>11. CITIZEN'S NETWORK</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Neighborhood Assemblies</li> <li>• Citizen Participation Council of the PGJE</li> <li>• Municipal Advisory Council</li> </ul>	<p>The participation of social and private sectors, being the link in the binomial government and citizens to implement strategies that help create a culture of legality and complaint, and ensure the full observance of the rule of law and the welfare social, and increasing living standards of Chiapas society.</p>

Eje de Innovación Tecnológica

Program	Objetive
12. VIGILANT TAXI DRIVER	Reduce the canals of communication between government and society through the use of Information Technology and Communication as a tool, encouraging citizen participation and streamline processes of public services to improve the quality of life of tuxtlecos. (5.000 taxi drivers registered for this program to provide information about incidents around the town)
13. SAFE BUSINESS BUTTON	Implement a secure business device button in stores, so it is linked directly to the 066 Emergency System, so that if triggered (police, Red Cross or fire) it may perform in time and efficiently in the shortest response time.
14. CONEJO BUS: ECOLOGICAL PUBLIC TRASNPOR	Modernizing public transportation by adopting modern units with advanced technology, to transport and drive with safety, quality and warmth, for the benefit of users and promote their programs through the use of a fuel-friendly environment, as biodiesel.
15. BLOOD BANK	Regionalization of blood through its integration with hospital networks to efficiently and effectively provide blood services with blood components state coverage under the principles of quality, safety and self sufficiency of blood.
16. Centro de Atención y Vigilancia Permanente (CAVIP)	Optimizar los recursos Municipales con los patrullajes electrónicos para disminuir los tiempos de respuestas de la policía para la incidencia delictiva
17. WATER PRESERVATION	Having the necessary water infrastructure and expand potable water services, with the fundamental premise of meeting the current needs and future population and economic growth of the metropolitan area of Tuxtla Gutierrez, Chiapas and neighboring municipalities. Water for everybody, every day.
18. INTEGRAL PROTECCION SYSTEM AND WASTE TREATMENT	Meet the needs of hygiene and solid waste management by the population of Tuxtla Gutierrez, Chiapas, and through operational and regulatory mechanisms that allow us to deliver quality public service, in time and efficiently, with a strong commitment to improve the quality of life of citizens, as well as the tourist image of the city to satisfy national and foreign visitors, and protect public health and the environment.
19. THE CLINIC FOR WOMEN	Improving the quality of life of women from Tuxtla and its surroundings, with comprehensive health care for all female diseases.

Program

Objetive



## Institute of Civil Protection for the Comprehensive Management of Disaster Risk

The School of Civil Protection is a joint project with state government, federal government, funded by the Disaster Prevention Fund.

The school provides training in security and school emergency, evacuation of buildings, Formation of civil defense brigades, induction course for civil protection, prevention and firefighting, first aid, search and rescue, basic rappelling, diving, rescue vertical, first responder, to name a few-and is designed as a meeting point for knowledge, skills and research to strengthen prevention activities in the South-east of the country.

This training is aimed at voluntary and community Brigades, internal civil protection units, local councils, regional centers for emergencies and disasters and even state and local law enforcement agencies receive training and training in civil protection issues.

Hereinafter other programs will have to be incorporated where more involvement of the three levels of government will be emphasized as well as the community. Examples of this are the attention to problems brought by conurbation with other municipalities, in terms of road communication, water supply, waste treatment, control of toxic emissions, industrial plants waste water treatment, rain drainage and sewage, among other important issues, because other problems will arise inevitably, and in order to effectively resolve them the support of state or federal government is required, for works or projects that are not accessible to the local budget.

The Safer Cities scheme, is based on the participation of both the government institutions, as well as civic organizations. In Chiapas, for instance, public policies oriented towards security and protection of citizens include organizations such as Unions, Chambers, Private Sector Initiative, Neighborhood Assemblies and other forms of Citizen Councils.

## COMMUNITY SAFETY: SOCIAL WELL BEING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

*"In Chiapas, there is nothing more important than the peace of the people."*

The programme covers the following safety promotion activities:

For the age group Photo: Typical safety feature

Children 0-14 years:.....



Youth 15-24 years: .....



Adults 25-64 years: ...



Elderly 65+ years:.....

# Certificación de Tuxtla Gutiérrez Como Comunidad Segura

At the following environments:

Home:

Traffic:



Occupational:



School:

Sports:

Leisure:

**Staff :**

LIC. JUAN JOSÉ SABINES GUERRERO



Number:

Professions: **Degree in Political Science**

Permanent:

Temporary: **2007 -2012 Government of the state of Chiapas**

Organization: **Government of the state of Chiapas**

Specific intersectoral leadership group: **Government of the state of Chiapas**

General public health/health promotion group:

**International commitments:**

Study visits: **CISALVA - site inspection for the certificate of Tuxtla Gutiérrez like safe community**

Participation in Safe Community conferences: **NO** Where?

Hosting Safe Community Conferences: **NO** When?

Hosting "Travelling Seminars": **NO**

Other, what?.....**Participe in conference of ANCPC in México**

Attach the following photos in the text as a JPEG

**NOTE: Max 100 KB and the size not bigger than 400x400 pixlar**

1. The community
2. Typical safety feature
3. The leader(s)

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