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**STATEMENT FROM MAYOR R. CAREY DAVIS**

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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**SAN BERNARDINO POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION (SBPOA) AND THE CITY  
REACH TENTATIVE LONG-TERM AGREEMENT**

*Movement marks major advancement with bankruptcy proceedings*

*San Bernardino, CA* - Statement addressing tentative agreement:

Today, Thursday, August 14, 2014, the City of San Bernardino and the San Bernardino Police Officers Association (SBPOA) announced to Judge Meredith Jury that they have reached a tentative long-term agreement. The terms of the agreement are confidential and subject to the gag order imposed by Judge Jury.

This has been a long and difficult negotiation to work through and I am extremely pleased this tentative agreement has been reached, as it will bring long-term stability to the City of San Bernardino and the SBPOA. This agreement marks progress, a huge step forward toward the negotiation of a plan of adjustment in the bankruptcy.

On behalf of the City of San Bernardino, I would like to thank the SBPOA for their efforts to reach this agreement. The agreement is subject to approval by both the City Council and members of the SBPOA. The Council's decision is on the agenda and will be discussed in the closed session of the City Council Meeting on Monday, August 18, 2014, and is also subject to final documentation.

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