

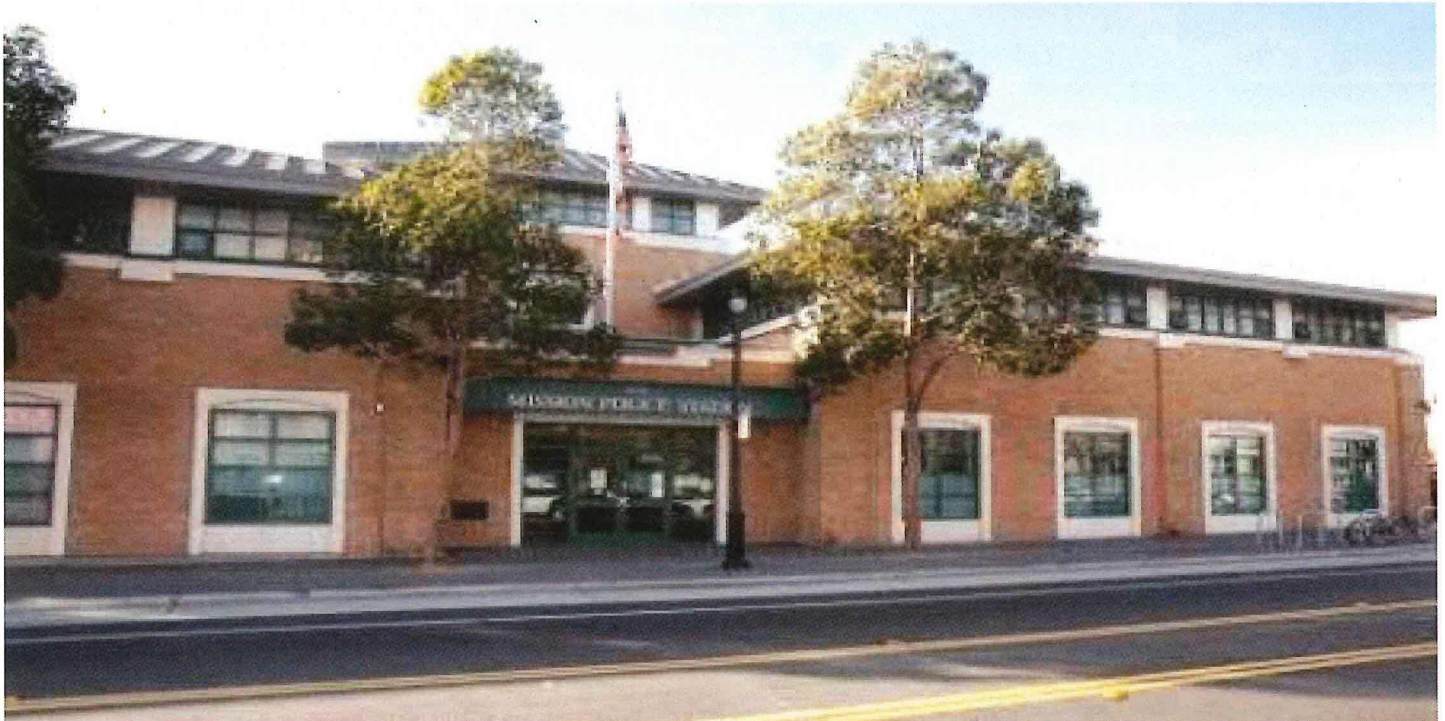


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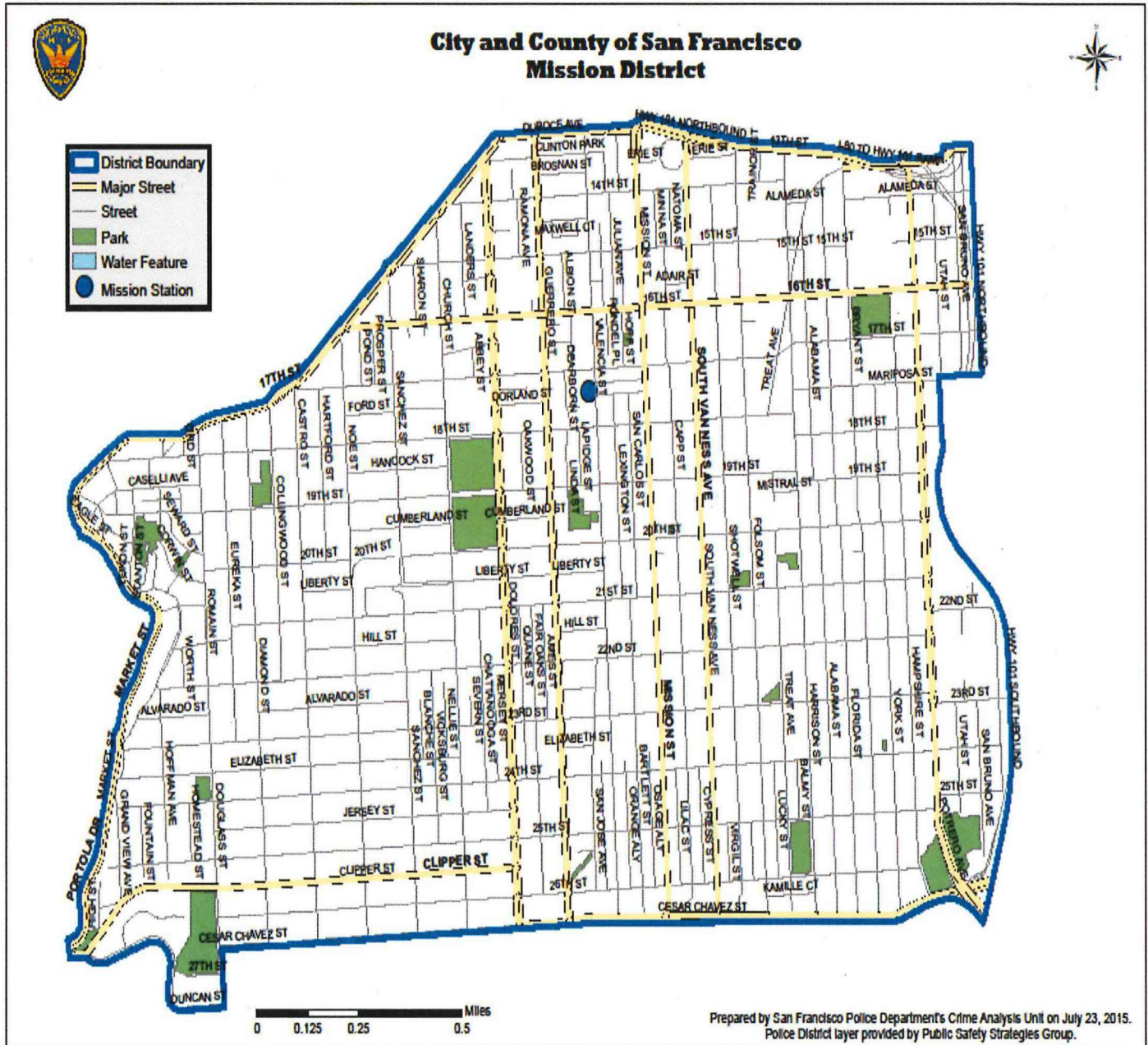
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Mission Station Statistics

<u>Violent Crimes</u>	<u>August 2018</u>	<u>September 2018</u>
Homicide	0	0
Rape*	4	0
Robbery	48	33
Aggravated Assault	34	35
<u>Property Crimes</u>		
Burglary	82	41
Larceny/Theft	156	124
Arson	1	4
Total:	444	342

*Rape statistics reflect reports not made at SFGH
Data gathered through Crime Data Warehouse.

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Recent Mission Incidents

Battery

Date: 09/22/2018 1100 hours

Where: Mission Street and 20th Street

On 09/22/18 at approximately 1157 hours, Officers Fortie #293 and Colgan #834, working in full police uniform and operating a marked police vehicle, were dispatched to the intersection of Mission Street and 20th Street in regards to a possible battery. The battery occurred on inbound SFMTA Muni coach line 14, bus #7255.

Once on scene, Ofc Fortie met briefly with the MUNI bus driver, reporting witness 2, who had exited the bus and pointed at the bus stop located at the northeast corner of the intersection. Reporting witness 2 stated that the unknown suspect might still be waiting at the bus stop. Reporting witness 2 described the suspect as a 55-60 year old white female with light hair in a bun, light colored jeans, and lots of property. Ofc Colgan and Fortie searched and cleared the bus stop as well as a second bus, which had arrived on scene after the incident, for the suspect. While searching the bus, Ofc Colgan was flagged down by an unknown passenger who directed him eastbound 20th St.

Ofc Fortie walked east up to Alioto Park, located at the northwest corner of Capp St and 20th St. Ofc Fortie immediately observed suspect 1, a subject Ofc Fortie knew from prior encounters. Suspect 1 matched the description of the battery suspect. Ofc Fortie approached suspect 1, informed her that she was being detained, and placed her in handcuffs.

Ofc Colgan remained with suspect 1 while Ofc Fortie returned to 20th St and Mission St to meet with the reporting party.

Ofc Fortie met with reporting witness 1 who stated the following in summary:

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Reporting witness 1 was sitting at the front of the bus, approximately 10 feet away from reporting victim 1, when he observed suspect 1 enter. Suspect 1 pushed her way past several other people on the bus and made her way to a seat in the middle, which was occupied by reporting victim 1. Suspect 1 told reporting victim 1 to move her child. Reporting victim 1 refused and did not move reporting victim 2. Suspect 1 then pushed her way into the row, past reporting victim 1, and grabbed reporting victim 2's arm then "yanked" him to the left, towards reporting victim 1, so that she could sit down. Suspect 1 then began "wailing" on reporting victim 1, attempting to hit her with a closed fist, approximately three to five times about her head. Reporting witness 1 observed at least one hit make contact with the left side of reporting victim 2's face. Suspect 1 then stopped hitting reporting victim 2 and briefly sat down in the seat next to her.

When the bus did not move, Suspect 1 got up and attempted to leave. Reporting victim 2 tried to stop suspect 1 from leaving so that she would be there when police arrived. Reporting victim 2 grabbed suspect 1 and the two got into a brief altercation, shoving each other back and forth. Suspect 1 was able to shove reporting victim 2 back far enough so that she could exit the bus, then fled southbound Mission Street on foot.

Ofc Clark #4261 arrived on scene and spoke with reporting victim 2 who stated that following in summary:

Reporting victim 2 and her three year old son, were riding on the bus when approached by Suspect 1, who demanded that reporting victim 2 move so that she could sit down. Reporting victim 2 refused and suspect 1 responded by walking up to reporting victim 1's seat, grabbing reporting victim 1 by the arms and then pushing him to the side of the seat toward reporting victim 2. Reporting victim 2 intervened and tried to stop suspect 1, at which point, suspect 1 hit suspect 2 twice with a closed fist, once on the left side of her mouth and once on her left shoulder.

Reporting victim 1 had no injury and no visible marks upon his person. It should be noted that when Ofc Fortie arrived on scene just after the incident occurred, reporting victim 1 appeared calm and did not appear to have suffered any lasting damage due to the incident.

Cold shows were conducted with reporting victim 1 and reporting victim 2 which produced positive results.

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Ofc Clark mirandized suspect 1 who then admitted to Ofc Clark that she used her right fist to hit reporting victim 2 and suspect 1 stated that reporting victim 2 was "lucky she didn't have [her] ring on".

Suspect 1 was transported to Mission Station where she was subsequently booked on the above listed charges

Firearm, Possession by Prohibited Person; Firearm, Loaded, In Vehicle, Possession or Use; Ammunition, Poss. By Prohibited Person; Loitering for Purpose of Prostitution

On 09/29/18 at approximately 0226 hours, Sergeant Caldera #498 was in full police uniform driving a marked SFPD cruiser southbound on Shotwell Street from 18th Street towards 19th Street. It should be noted the area bordering Mission Street, 15th Street, Hampshire Street, and 22nd Street, is known to Mission District Officers as a location of extremely high prostitution activity and prostitution related criminal behavior. Activities include but are not limited to: robberies, shootings, pimping, pandering, increased foot and vehicle traffic, discarded hypodermic needles and condoms, and public sex acts occurring at all hours of the day and night. This area is also most commonly referred to as the "Tracks."

As Sgt Caldera was approximately 20 yards north of the intersection of Shotwell and 19th street, he observed a vehicle with yellow paper plates. The vehicle was stopped in the lane of traffic facing southbound on Shotwell, south of 19th. Sgt Caldera noticed that there was an (Suspect 2) unknown black female standing on the north sidewalk of Shotwell adjacent to the vehicle. The female appeared to be engaged in conversation with the occupant(s) of the vehicle. Sgt Caldera further noticed that the female was wearing a skin tight dress that stopped just below her buttocks, typical of the clothing worn by prostitutes that frequent the area.

As Sgt Caldera continued southbound on Shotwell, the female began to walk southbound on Shotwell. The vehicle slowly drove alongside of the female. The vehicle pulled over and stopped alongside of the female. The female stopped briefly and then continued southbound on Shotwell. The vehicle continued to drive slowly alongside of the female. The vehicle again pulled over alongside of the female.

Based on the above mentioned violations, Sgt Caldera effected an enforcement stop on the vehicle. The female quickly walked away, N/B on Shotwell.

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As Sgt Caldera approached the vehicle, he could smell the strong distinctive odor of fresh marijuana emanating from the vehicle.

Sgt Caldera contacted the driver, and sole occupant of the vehicle, who identified himself via his valid California drivers license as suspect 1. Suspect 1 appeared nervous while Sgt Caldera spoke with him. Suspect 1 was fidgeting and was unable to articulate his reason for being in the area. Sgt Caldera asked suspect 1 why he was speaking with the above mentioned prostitute to which suspect 1 responded that he didn't know the female was a prostitute.

Officers Griffin #1502 and Ishida #2035 arrived on scene to assist.

A records check was conducted on suspect 1 which revealed numerous prior arrests out of county for 211 PC, 245(a)(1) PC, 12025(a)(1) PC, 12031(a)(1) PC, 12020(a) PC, 626.9(b) PC, 148(a)(1) PC, 12101(b)(1) PC, 215(a) PC, 12021(a)(1) PC, 12025(b)(2) PC, 12031(a)(2)(b) PC, 12101(a)(1) PC, 29800(a)(1) PC, 25850(c)(1) pc, 30305(a)(1) pc, and 186.22(a) PC. The records check showed prior felony convictions for 12101(a)(1) PC, 10851 CVC (10/15/09 Solano) and 211 PC (12/05/08 Solano).

Based on the above mentioned odor of marijuana, Sgt Caldera requested suspect 1 exit the vehicle in order to conduct a search of the vehicle for marijuana (see People v. Fewes – published 9/24/18).

As suspect 1 exited the vehicle, suspect 1 reached for the waistband of his pants twice. Based on the location of the stop, the time of night, suspect 1's nervous behavior, suspect 1 reaching for his waistband, and suspect 1's extensive arrest record for crimes of violence, firearm's and gang participation, Sgt Caldera elected to conduct a pat search for weapons on suspect 1. The search produced negative results.

A search of the vehicle produced 8 plastic baggies of green vegetable matter (suspected marijuana). Also while searching the vehicle, Ofc Griffin located the rear license plate for the vehicle in the right front passenger compartment. A records check on the license plate revealed that the vehicle had an expired registration as of 9/20/18 and was registered to suspect 1.

Also during the search of the vehicle, Sgt Caldera located a firearm under and behind the driver side dash above the steering column resting on the floor heater duct. The firearm was only visible by looking up underneath the dash from the floorboard. Ofc Ishida seized the firearm from the vehicle.

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Suspect 1 was transported to Mission Station for further investigation.

Since there was no legal parking available at the scene, Sgt Caldera approved to have the vehicle driven to Mission Station and later towed to Auto Return.

At Mission Station, Sgt Caldera further inspected the firearm, which was a black Glock 23, .40 caliber. Sgt Caldera noticed that the magazine inserted into the magazine well extended past the grip approximately 1 inch. Additionally, Sgt Caldera could see the brass colored tip of a cartridge loaded in the magazine through the gap on the firearm slide and lower receiver. A records check of the firearm came back with no returns. Additionally, suspect 1 has no firearms registered to his person.

Sgt Caldera conducted a mirandized interview with suspect 1 who stated the following in summary: Suspect 1 stated that he was on probation for his last arrest (11/12/14: 29800(a)(1) PC, 25850(c)(1) PC, 30305(a)(1) PC, 186.22(a) PC) for two more years. Suspect 1 confirmed that he is the owner of the vehicle since September of 2017. Suspect 1 stated that he is the only person who drives his vehicle. Suspect 1 stated that he didn't have the license plates on his vehicle due to the registration being expired. Suspect 1 denied any knowledge of the firearm inside of the vehicle.

Sgt Caldera contacted Contra Costa County Sheriff's records department who confirmed that suspect 1 is on felony probation.

Suspect 1 was subsequently booked on the above listed charges

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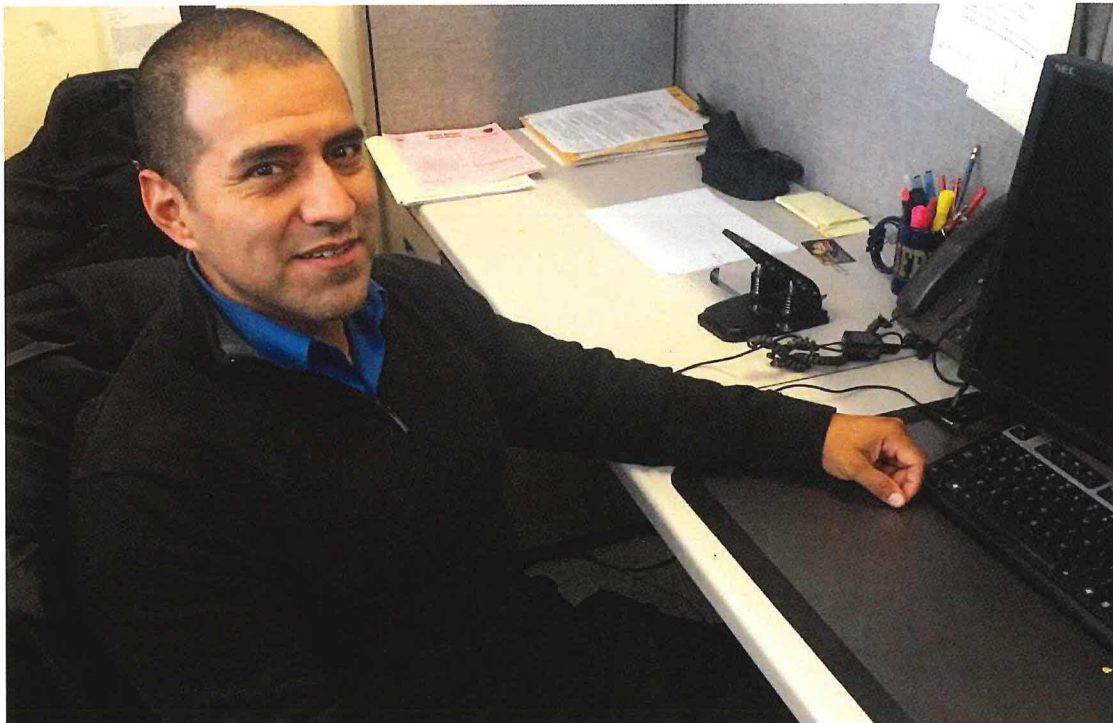
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Meet Mission Officer



Meet Mission Station's Sergeant Paul Dominguez. Sergeant Dominguez is 33 years old and began his career with the San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) in 2006 as a member of the 213th Basic Academy Class and trained at Southern Station. Prior to being transferred to Mission Station's Investigations Team, Sergeant Dominguez worked at SFPD's Special Victims Unit.

Sergeant Dominguez was born and raised in San Francisco. After graduating from El Camino High School, Sergeant Dominguez enrolled at Skyline College, where he majored in Administration of Justice.

Sergeant Dominguez enjoys working in the Mission District. Like many other officers, he enjoys "the people, the diverse community, the local businesses and food." Sergeant Dominguez expressed how much he likes working with the community and bringing victims of crime some closure."

Thank You Sergeant Dominguez for everything you do!

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As an added layer of protection, registration stickers are required for all bicycles parked inside UCSF bike rooms and cages

On SF SAFE Website:

The SAFE Bikes sticker and ID code have been instrumental in helping law enforcement get recovered bikes back to their owners. To register your bike with SAFE Bikes, you will need:

Make, model, serial number and complete description of the bicycle.

A photo of the purchase receipt

A photo of the bicycle

The SAFE Bikes Registration Form will open in a new tab. If the tab doesn't open, please send an email with your name and address and we'll get you started with bike registration.

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3. Choose an available exam date that's convenient for you.
4. Schedule your exam.
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