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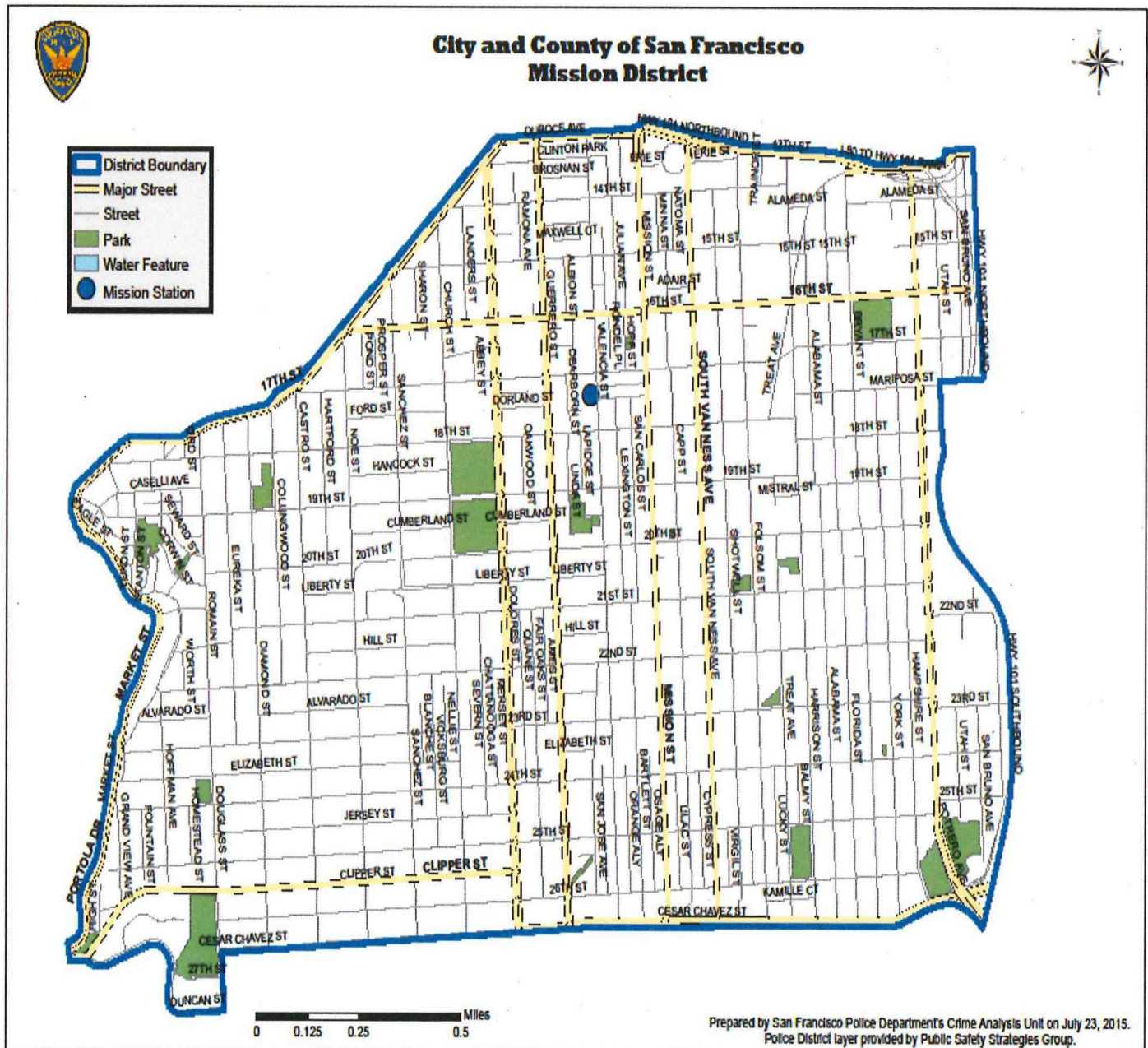
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October Statistics

Violent Crimes	October 2018	
Homicide	1	
Rape*	1	
Robbery	34	
Aggravated Assault	33	
Total:	69	
Property Crimes		
Burglary	33	
Larceny/Theft	155	
Theft from Vehicle	212	
Arson	3	
Total:	403	

*Rape stats only reflect reports not made at SFGH

Data gathered through CDW

**Note, these statistics are the most up to date at this time.*

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Recent Mission Incidents

Assault, Aggravated, w/Other Weapon; Elder Adult or Dependent Abuse

On 10/25/2018 at approximately 1213 hours, Officers Flannery #891 and Fernandez #1118 responded to the intersection of 15th Street and Landers Street regarding a person throwing rocks at another person. The suspect was described as a black male adult wearing a black shirt and black pants.

Upon arrival, Ofc Flannery observed a black male adult standing in the middle of Landers Street close to the intersection with 15th Street. The male, later identified as suspect 1, was gesturing at another male who was frantically flagging the officers down.

As the officers exited their patrol vehicle, the other male, later identified as reporting victim 1, pointed to suspect 1 and stated he had thrown a rock at him. Due to the nature of the call and that suspect 1 matched the description of a person that was throwing rocks, Ofc Fernandez placed suspect 1 into handcuffs.

Ofc Flannery spoke with reporting victim 1 who stated the following in summary:

Reporting victim 1 stated he was standing on the North east corner of 15th Street and Landers Street taking photographs of the homeless encampment that was located on the northwest corner of Landers Street and 15th Street. Reporting victim 1 was going to forward the photos to 311. As reporting victim 1 took pictures, suspect 1, who was part of the homeless encampment, began to cross the street and approached reporting victim 1 in an aggressive manner. Reporting victim 1 stated that suspect 1 yelled at him telling him he had no right to take his picture. Reporting victim 1 stated that as suspect 1 got to the middle of the street, approximately 10-15 feet away from reporting victim 1 he saw suspect 1 cock his arm back and throw a rock at reporting victim 1. Reporting victim 1 stated he heard the rock "whizz" past his head and right shoulder area and hit the garage door behind him. Reporting victim 1 stated the rock missed him by "6 inches or a foot." Reporting victim 1 stated he did not have time to duck or move as the rock came at him so fast. Reporting victim 1 stated he feared he would be hit with the rock in the head or his eye. Reporting victim 1 described the rock as red in color and stated that suspect 1 had picked it up and dropped it back at the encampment.

Ofc Flannery walked to the encampment and located a red rock approximately two inches in diameter laying on the ground. Ofc Flannery seized the rock and showed it to reporting victim 1. Reporting victim 1 stated that was the rock that suspect 1 had thrown at him.

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Firearm, Discharging At an Inhabited Dwelling; Firearm, Loaded, In Vehicle, Possession or Use; Firearm, Discharging At Occupied Bldg, Vehicle, or Aircraft

On 10/28/2018, at approximately 0211 hours Mission Officers Feng #1548, Gilman #483, Roman #2373, and Wilson #627 responded to the area of 26th Street and Bartlett Street on a "shot spotter activation". Upon arrival, Officers Roman and Wilson located 13 fired casings on the ground in front of 3437 26th Street.

Ofc Roman located a witness, reporting witness 1, who stated that he heard approximately 8 gun shots and saw a Dodge Challenger driving east bound, at a high rate of speed. The vehicle made a u-turn in the intersection of Mission Street and 26th Street and drove to Bartlett Street before making a left turn (southbound) on Bartlett Street.

Ofc Feng contacted reporting witness 2 because he stated he awoke to gunshots while in his residence located at 3441 26th Street. Ofc Feng asked reporting witness 2 about the incident and he stated the following in summary:

Reporting witness 2 stated he was sleeping in his residence when he was awakened by gunshots from outside on 26th Street. Reporting witness 2 did not know how many shots he heard and he did not hear any sounds of tires screeching. He stated that he only heard a vehicle's engine "revving".

Reporting witness 2 stated that he had two exterior "Nest" surveillance cameras in front of his residence which may have captured the incident. Ofc Ramoso #658 was able to recover four videos from the video surveillance from reporting witness 2's "Nest" cameras on scene. Ofc Feng viewed the footage of all four videos and observed the following:

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The first video, which views the front of reporting witness 2's residence directed in a northwest direction, shows a dark colored vehicle, which may be a Dodge Charger travel northbound on Bartlett Street and turn eastbound onto 26th Street. The vehicle pulls up next to a gray vehicle. One male, later determined to be suspect 1, exits the rear driver's side door as a second male, later determined to be detained 1, exits the rear passenger side door. The video ends at this point.

The second video is from what appeared to be the same surveillance camera as the first video and continued where the previous video stopped. The video shows suspect 1 and detained 1 walk from the Dodge Charger and walk to the gray vehicle, later determined to be a 2011 BMW 533i GT. Suspect 1 appears to be on his cell phone and suspect 1 walks to the driver's side door when the vehicle's tail lights illuminate and the vehicle chirps, as if the doors were unlocked. The video ends at this point.

The third video is from a second camera which is in front of reporting witness 2's residence directed in a northeast direction. The video shows suspect 1 standing near the passenger side (south side) of the gray vehicle, on the sidewalk of 26th Street. Suspect 1 is obstructed from the surveillance camera by a tree fronting the residence. Suspect 1 appears to be looking westbound as a vehicle is approaching. Suspect 1 appeared to reach to his waistband as an unknown four door sedan travelled eastbound on 26th Street. Suspect 1 appeared to remove what is later seen as a handgun from his waistband in a rapid motion as the unknown vehicle pulls level with the gray sedan. The surveillance video showed suspect 1 make a quick ducking gesture with his upper body as the unknown vehicle continues eastbound and audible gun shots can be heard over the surveillance video's audio. Possibly three rounds can be heard on the video that is fired from the unknown vehicle as suspect 1 returned to a standing position and fired thirteen rounds as the unknown vehicle speeds away on 26th Street, towards Mission Street. As the shots were fired, suspect 1 is seen moving rapidly to the rear of the gray vehicle and diving to the asphalt behind the vehicle's bumper. The video ends at this point.

The fourth video is from the same surveillance camera as the third video. The video only shows the Dodge Charger pull up in the street, near the gray vehicle. The video progresses and ends when the taillights illuminate and the audible chirp is heard from the gray vehicle.

It should be noted that two other vehicles and a residence was struck by gunfire, but no persons were struck.

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At approximately 0305 hours, Mission units were advised by Tenderloin Station units regarding a suspect vehicle that may have been involved with the shooting. Two males drove up to the Marriott Marquis Hotel (780 Mission St) and valeted their vehicle, a gray BMW 535i. The vehicle had an apparent bullet hole in the rear driver's side wing window, a shattered rear passenger side window, damage to the front driver's side door and an apparent bullet hole in the driver's side 'B' pillar.

Tenderloin Officers Delgado #2415 and Roach #2457 responded to the Marriott Marquis and located the BMW. Additional Tenderloin officers responded and were able to retrieve the registered owner's name and the hotel room number which the registered owner (suspect 1) recently rented.

Tenderloin Officers Kollo #1413, Ramirez #1094, Franchesci #784, Green #1642, and Sgt Zhang #4236 responded to the registered room in an attempt to locate the owner of the vehicle (detained 1) and the passenger (suspect 1). As officers observed the room for persons exiting and entering, suspect 2 and detained 2 (D2) Ordonez exited the hotel room. Ofc Roach and Ofc Delgado directed their department issued handguns towards detained 2 and suspect 1 due to the felony nature of the crimes being investigated. Suspect 1 and detained 2 were both detained without incident. Sgt Zhang made contact with detained 1, who remained in the hotel room, via telephone and ordered detained 1 out of the room. Detained 1 complied and was detained without incident. Detained 2 was subsequently issued a certificate of release.

Mission Officers Sandoval #1499, Foote #740, Wilson, and Roman responded to the Marriott to assist.

Ofc Sandoval spoke to reporting witness 3, who stated that he was working as valet at the Marriot Marquis. Reporting witness 3 stated the following in summary:

At approximately 0210 hours on 10/28/2018, reporting witness 3 observed the BMW enter the valet area of the hotel. Detained 1, the driver, provided the vehicle's keys to reporting witness 3 and walked into the hotel. As reporting witness 3 approached the driver's side of the vehicle, he observed the damage to the BMW's driver's side doors and windows. Reporting witness 3 believed the BMW may have been involved in criminal activity and notified San Francisco Police Department.

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Ofc Sandoval then located and spoke to reportee 1, the on-duty manager of Marriot Marquis. Reportee 1 allowed Ofc Sandoval to view the video surveillance at the hotel. The video showed detained 1 and suspect 1 arrive at the hotel in a gray BMW 535i and remove items from the trunk. The video showed detained 1 carrying a black rolling backpack and suspect 1 carrying a black backpack on his shoulders. Ofc Sandoval recognized suspect 1 and detained 1 as the two males from the surveillance he viewed on 26th Street and Bartlett Street.

Ofc Wilson spoke to detained 1, who agreed to allow a search of his (detained 1's) vehicle and hotel room. Detained 1 signed a Consent to Search and stated that there was a handgun in a black bag and that the handgun belonged to him (Detained 1).

Ofc Wilson and Sandoval searched the BMW with negative results. Ofc Wilson and Sandoval then went to detained 1's hotel room to continue the search. Ofc Wilson located a gray and black "Gucci" bag with a handgun inside. The handgun, a Glock .40 caliber, was seized. A computer query on the handgun revealed detained 1 to be the registered owner.

Ofc Wilson continued searching the room and located a black Adidas backpack. The backpack was opened enough to view inside. Ofc Wilson observed some clothing and on top of the clothing was a black Glock .45 caliber handgun. A computer query of the handgun revealed the handgun was reported stolen from Lawton, Oklahoma. Ofc Wilson seized the backpack and its contents. Ofc Wilson was able to determine the magazine was empty but one unfired cartridge remained in the handgun's barrel.

Detained 1 and suspect 1 was transported to Mission Station for further investigation.

At Mission Station, detained 1 was subsequently issued a certificate of release, and suspect 1 was booked on the above listed charges.

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Community Policing

Community policing, or community-oriented policing, is a strategy of policing that focuses on police building ties and working closely with members of the communities.

- Homeless Outreach and Outreach to Drug Users: Mission Station officers coordinate with city agencies to provide outreach and assistance to rehabilitate those who are dependent on illegal drugs and outreach to homeless individuals to connect them with resources and support.
- Foot Patrols: Mission Station have beat officers assigned to 16th and Mission Street, Valencia Street, 24th Street and Castro District.
- Monthly Police Community Relations Meetings: Community Meetings are held continuously. Officers also attend meetings with merchants groups, business groups, development authorities and others. Concerns are voiced and addressed through problem solving.
- Email Updates: Mission Station sends out newsletter updates to residents in the District that alerts residents of crime trends, upcoming community events, crime prevention tips, and information on how to contact officers at the District Station.



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The City and County of San Francisco invites you to join a highly respected police department and serve the citizens of one of the most beautiful cities in the country.

San Francisco Police officers perform a wide variety of essential duties to promote public safety and security and enforce the law. Our officers patrol districts to prevent and detect crime, respond to calls for assistance, conduct criminal investigations, pursue and arrest suspects and enforce traffic and parking laws. Our Mounted Unit, Marine Unit, K-9 Unit and Traffic Company ensure that SFPD is able to help keep the public safe, no matter the terrain.

SFPD officers also work closely with San Francisco's diverse communities to build cooperation and support in order to address crime and quality of life issues in our City's neighborhoods. In addition to hosting citywide and neighborhood events ranging from safety fairs to barbecues, SFPD provides educational and employment programs for San Francisco youth. Our values include maintaining open communication with the communities we serve and respecting and protecting the rights of all residents.

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4. Schedule your exam.
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