



## Taraval Station Newsletter Mini Updates



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Community Members,

As 4th of July celebration approaches, some had already started celebrating. Here are some facts:

- Each year more than 12,000 fireworks-related injuries, half of them children, are treated in hospital emergency rooms.
- More than 25% of the children injured by fireworks are innocent bystanders.
- Something as simple as a sparkler burns at temperatures of up to 1,800 degrees! That's hot enough to melt gold.
- Firework accidents cause millions in property loss each year.
- MUNICIPAL CODE SEC. 1290. DISCHARGE OF FIREWORKS PROHIBITED.

Possession of fireworks such as sky rockets, bottle rockets, roman candles, aerial shells, firecrackers, and other types that explode, go into the air, or move on the ground in an uncontrollable manner can lead to a possible fine or jail time in the county jail. Even "Safe and Sane" Fireworks, such as firecrackers and sparklers, are illegal.

If you see someone setting off fireworks, call 911

If you are reporting a crime in progress, dial 9-1-1. Also, call 9-1-1 to report fires, medical emergencies and any emergencies related to public safety.

To report a non-emergency incident (a crime that has already occurred and the suspects are gone) please call the SFPD non-emergency phone number at 415-553-0123 to have an Officer dispatched to meet with you. You may also go to any SFPD district station to make a report or go to

<https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/get-service/police-reports/file-police-report>

- Taraval Station



**Captain Nicholas Rainsford**

**Commanding Officer**

**Taraval Station**



### Next Community Meeting:

Tue., July 16, 2019  
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Taraval Station  
Community Room  
2345 24th Ave

Thank you for subscribing to our Newsletter.

Please follow us on:

**Twitter:**

@SFPDTaraval

**Website:** <http://www.taraval.org>



## Connect to SF Pride Alerts

Text **PrideSF** to **888-777**  
to receive SF Pride  
emergency alerts from  
AlertSF



For more info, visit  
[www.alertsf.org](http://www.alertsf.org)



Celebrating Pride in San Francisco? Sign up for AlertSF. Simply text PRIDESF to 888-777. AlertSF will send you a text alert for emergencies or significant disruptions impacting the SF Pride Celebration.



**SAN FRANCISCO POLICE  
DEPARTMENT'S**

# 4TH OF JULY

## **SAFETY HOTLINES**

Call **9-1-1** if you see anyone setting off illegal fireworks.

Have a tip on someone possessing illegal fireworks or know of hot spots where illegal fireworks have been used in the past?

Email **[SFPD.fireworks@sfgov.org](mailto:SFPD.fireworks@sfgov.org)** now.





# TARAVAL STATION



San Francisco Police Department is celebrating Pride Month in June by sporting new Pride Patches. We're the 1st law enforcement agency in the nation to do so. Funds raised by donations for the patches will support Larkin Street Youth Services. Contact your local SFPD district station for more information.





## Become A Reserve Officer.



The Police Reserve Officer Program is comprised of community members, such as yourself, and retired police officers who wish to volunteer as a Reserve Police Officer. These officers supplement the full-time officers in a variety of duties throughout the Department. This program is ideal for individuals who have an established career but always wanted to experience being Police Officer. Reserve Officers can enjoy the best of both worlds, maintain their chosen career while helping to police an internationally known city. There will be a Level III Reserve Police Academy starting on September 23, 2019 and it will conclude on December 4th. The Reserve Academy takes place on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6pm to 10pm and all day on Saturdays from 8am to 5pm. The cost for the Academy is 1765.00. This is the minimum requirement to be a Level III Reserve in the state of California. This is a volunteer position with great training opportunities and experiences seldom seen. The Level III Academy is 168 hours long.

If you need additional information please call Sgt. Kin Lee at the Community Engagement Division at 1-415-558-5514 or email [KinYau.Lee@sfgov.org](mailto:KinYau.Lee@sfgov.org) or Email Retired Deputy Chief, Garret Tom at [Garret.Tom@sfgov.org](mailto:Garret.Tom@sfgov.org)



# TARAVAL STATION



## NOW'S THE TIME

### JOIN THE SFPD GO TO SFPDCAREERS.COM



## Join the SFPD – and be part of San Francisco’s finest!

San Francisco is a world-class city with a world-class police force. From Fisherman’s Wharf to Golden Gate Park and from Nob Hill to the Tenderloin, whether we’re on foot patrol, horseback, or in squad cars, investigating felonies, responding to emergencies or leading classes on public safety, we’re working with you to help keep our community safe.

*“The San Francisco Police Department offers qualified men and women the opportunity to make a positive difference in our citizens’ daily lives. I encourage you to apply today to see how you can become one of San Francisco’s finest.”*

– Chief William Scott

## Applying is easy!


We are accepting Entry Level (Q-2) Police Officer applications. To apply please follow the 2-step process:

1. Apply with the City and County of San Francisco at [www.jobaps.com/sf](http://www.jobaps.com/sf) (Entry Level (Q-2) Police Officer)
2. Go to [www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](http://www.nationaltestingnetwork.com), choose law enforcement and register to take the San Francisco Police Department’s Written Examination\*.

\*As part of this process, you will need to establish an account with NTN. A fee is required to take the written examination. Candidates with demonstrated financial hardship may submit a request to have the fee waived prior to test registration. See “Candidate FAQ #27” on the NTN website (<https://nationaltestingnetwork.com/publicsafetyjobs/faqs.cfm>) to learn more on how to apply for a fee waiver.

## Have Questions? Contact the San Francisco Police Department Recruitment Unit

1245 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94158  
Phone: 415-837-7270  
Fax: 415-575-6095

 [joinsfpd@sfgov.org](mailto:joinsfpd@sfgov.org)

   @SFPDRecruitment

The San Francisco Police Department values diversity in its workforce, and is committed to fair and equal treatment of all applicants for employment. Discrimination on the basis of sex, race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, disability, medical condition, marital status, sexual orientation, or other protected categories is prohibited and unlawful.



## Protect Your Vehicle Against Catalytic Converter Theft



Thieves are looking for fuel-powered vehicles manufactured after 1974 that have catalytic converters. Thieves often target taller vehicles (such as pickup trucks or SUVs) because they can easily fit under the vehicle to access the catalytic converter. The location of your car may also be a factor like regularly parking in one area for a long period of time. When possible, park in well-lit areas and close to building entrances. If you have a garage at your house, park your vehicle inside and keep the garage door close.

Have the catalytic converter welded to your car's frame, which may make it harder to steal.

Consider engraving your vehicle identification number (VIN) on the catalytic converter — this may help alert a scrap dealer that it was stolen and make it easier to identify the owner.

Calibrate your car's alarm to set off when it detects vibration.

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## Protect Your Vehicle from Car Theft

- Never leave your car running or the keys in the ignition when you're away from it, even for "just a minute."
- Always roll up the windows and lock the car, even if it's in front of your home.
- Never leave valuables in plain view, even if your car is locked. Put them in the trunk or at least out of sight.
- Remove portable electronic devices such as smart phones and GPS navigation systems, including suction cup or bean bag type mounts. (Even the visible appearance of a suction cup ring on the glass windshield can be an enticement to a thief to break in and look for the GPS system.)
- Park in busy, well-lighted area.
- Carry the registration and insurance card with you. Don't leave personal identification documents or credit cards in your vehicle.
- When you pay to park in a lot or garage, leave just the ignition or valet key with the attendant. Make sure no personal information is attached. Do the same when you take your car for repairs.
- Install a mechanical locking device — commonly called clubs, collars, or j-bars — that lock to the steering wheel, column, or brake to prevent the wheel from being turned more than a few degrees. Use it!
- Investigate in security systems. You may get a discount on your auto insurance.



# TARAVAL STATION



Taraval Community Members, We are seeing an increase in burglaries targeting homes that are under construction. In these incidents, suspects would break into the building or construction sites and steal numerous high end construction equipment. Currently, if your home is under construction and no one is at that location after work hours, please call Taraval Station at 415-759-3100 and provide your name and the address of the construction site and phone number. We can have our officers conduct passing calls.



**San Francisco Police Department  
Taraval Station**



## **DON'T BE A VICTIM OF A BURGLARY!**

### **Burglary Awareness & Prevention Tips for Construction Sites**



#### **Securing & Preventing**

1. Secure all equipment and vehicles at all times.
2. Take effort to reduce the visibility of tools and equipment secured in vehicles or on job sites.
3. Make use of adequate lighting in conjunction with open chain-link fencing on the perimeter to allow for high visibility to the job site.
4. Strongly consider the use of security systems such as alarms and video surveillance. Ensure signage for such is clearly visible.



**SFPD Taraval Station**  
2345 24th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116  
(415) 759-3100

#### **Precautionary Measures**

1. Photograph all tools. Ensure photographs clearly show the associated serial number and/or distinctive markings.
2. Ensure job site keys are marked "Do Not Duplicate" and are controlled at all times.
3. Attempt to park employee vehicles within visual range of the job site.

#### **Should a Burglary Occur**

Immediately contact 911. Be prepared to provide the following information:

- a) Time of incident.
- b) Video (if available).
- c) Items taken (include make, model, description, location taken from, value, photos and serial numbers).
- d) Insurance information.
- e) Owner's information.



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# Park Smart!



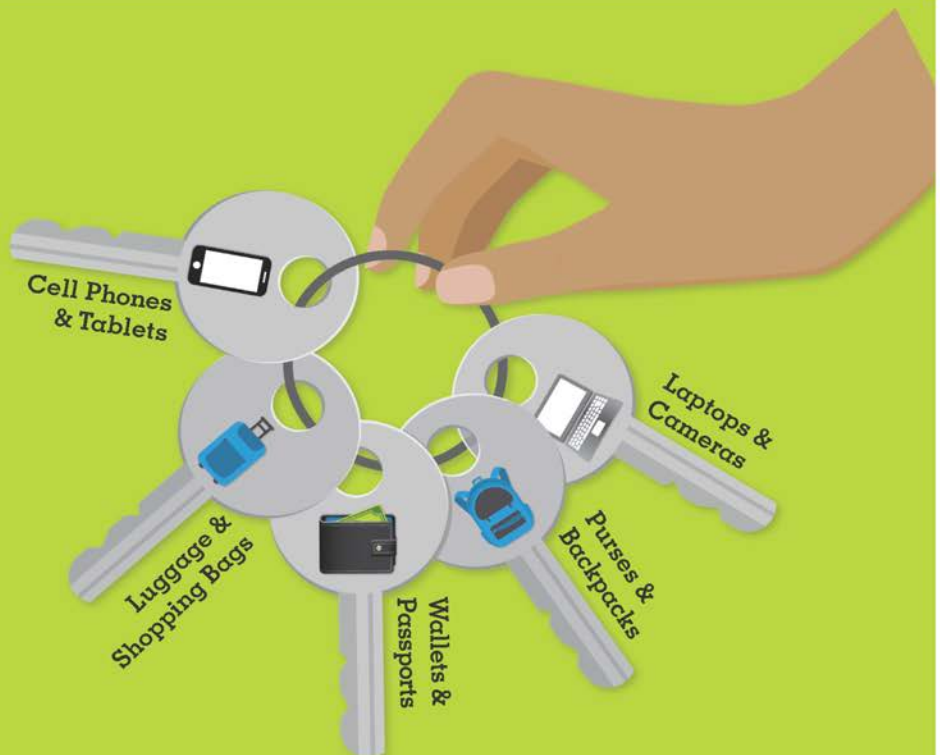
THE KEYS TO  
PARKED CAR  
SAFETY ARE IN  
**YOUR HANDS!**

If you love it, don't leave it.

## DON'T TEMPT A CAR THIEF!

Car thieves only need seconds to break into your car. So Park Smart, and especially keep your trunk clear.

**Take everything  
with you.**





## Community Boards Conflict Resolution Center

601 Van Ness Avenue, Suite #2040, San Francisco, CA 94102

(415) 920-3820 ◦ [CommunityBoards.org](http://CommunityBoards.org)

### WHAT IS MEDIATION?

Mediation is a confidential and voluntary meeting where people discuss difficulties they are having with each other assisted by impartial third-parties, our Community Mediators.

Mediators help people come up with workable and lasting solutions. They do not give advice or make judgments. The goal is to help everyone feel heard, understood and respected.

### IS THIS YOUR PROBLEM?

- Noise disturbance
- Landlord & tenant disputes
- Roommate disagreements
- Family conflicts
- Neighbor issues
- Communication breakdowns
- Harassment
- Tree & vegetation care
- Fence maintenance
- Property repairs
- Pet problems
- Parking issues
- Vandalism or graffiti
- Or something else?

**Start Your Mediation Today!**

### ¿QUÉ ES LA MEDIACIÓN?

La mediación es una reunión de tipo voluntario y confidencial, en donde las personas que se encuentran en dificultades con otras se reúnen para discutir entre ellas con la ayuda imparcial de terceras personas, las cuales son nuestros mediadores comunitarios.

Los mediadores ayudan a la gente a encontrar soluciones prácticas y duraderas. Los mediadores no dan consejos ni hacen juicios. El objetivo es ayudar a todos a sentirse escuchados, comprendidos y respetados.

### ¿ES ÉSTE SU PROBLEMA?

- Bulla, ruido
- Disputas entre propietarios e inquilinos
- Desacuerdos entre compañeros de cuarto
- Conflictos familiares
- Problemas de vecinos
- Interrupciones de la comunicación
- Acoso, hostigamiento
- Cuidado de la vegetación
- Cuidado de la cerca
- Reparaciones de propiedades
- Problemas con las mascotas
- Problemas con el estacionamiento
- Vandalismo o graffiti
- Otros problemas

**¡Inicie hoy su mediación!**

### 何謂調解?

調解是一種另類解決爭議的方法，由獨立第三者（我們的社區調解員）協助調解爭議雙方的矛盾。調解過程是完全自願及保密的。

調解員協助當事人通過談判尋求共同所能接受的最終解決方案。調解員是客觀的，不會參與自己的意見，或者判斷。除了解決矛盾，調解的目的是讓當事人雙方覺得他們的問題被重視，理解和尊重。

### 您是否遇到過以下的問題?

- 噪音干擾
- 業主與租客的糾紛
- 室友分歧
- 家庭衝突
- 鄰居關係
- 溝通障礙
- 騷擾
- 花木樹草的護理
- 護欄維修
- 物業維修
- 寵物問題
- 停車問題
- 惡意破壞或塗鴉
- 其他問題

**今天開始調解!**



## Previous Weeks Notable Incidents

\*\*\* Not all crimes are reported in the daily report, Address shown are the "Unit Block" where the incident took place.

### Daily Crime Report :: Sun – June 09, 2019

#### Traffic Collision – Hit & run – Under the Influence – Warrant Arrest – Arrested

**8:43 pm**

#### Holloway Ave

Officers responded to a report of a vehicle collision. The victim reported that the suspect had hit a vehicle before hitting the victim's vehicle and then the suspect had fled the area on foot. A witness confirmed that the suspect had failed to stop at a stop sign and had collided with a vehicle which was in the intersection before hitting a parked vehicle. Responding officers located the suspect, who appeared confused and made incoherent statements while displaying symptoms of being under the influence of narcotics. A computer check on the suspect revealed a warrant for his arrest. **The suspect was arrested.**

#### Threats – Battery of a Police Officer- Warrant Arrest – Arrested

**5:04 pm**

#### 00 Byxbee St

Officers responded to a report of a fight. Responding officers located the suspect, who was very aggressive and walked away from the officers while refusing to comply to orders. The officers deployed pepper spray and the suspect responded by swinging his arms and hitting the officers. The suspect was then placed into handcuffs and after further investigation, **the suspect was arrested.**

### Daily Crime Report :: Mon – June 10, 2019

#### Shoplifting – Possession of Stolen Property – Cited

**5:28 pm**

#### 1600 Ocean Ave

Officers responded to a report of a known shoplifter who had just exited the store, Walgreens. Responding officers were on their way to the store but located the suspect standing nearby on a MUNI platform. The officers made contact with the suspect who stated that the items in his backpack had just been purchased from Safeway, despite that the items had Walgreen labels on them. After further investigation, the officers determined that the items were stolen from Walgreens. **The suspect was cited.**

#### Shoplifting – Warrant Arrest – Arrested

**12:58 pm**

#### 200 West Portal Ave

Officers responded to a report of a shoplifter. The victim reported that the suspect had walked inside the store and then stole two bags of produce. Responding officers located the suspect and a computer check on the suspect revealed a warrant for his arrest. **The suspect was arrested.**

### Daily Crime Report :: Tue – June 11, 2019

#### Robbery

**8:14 pm**

#### 00 Lee Ave

Officers responded to a report of a robbery. The victim reported that she was walking home when she noticed that she was being followed. Shortly afterwards, the victim stated that somebody pushed her down and reached over her to take her coin purse before they fled the area



## Notable Incidents (Cont.)

### **Battery**

**7:34 pm**

#### **Great Hwy & Rivera St**

Officers responded to a report of a battery. The victim, a MUNI driver, stated that he had been standing next to his MUNI bus which was nearby the private bathroom for MUNI drivers when the suspect attempted to use the bathroom. The victim told the suspect that it was locked and that there was a public bathroom nearby for use instead. The suspect responded by attempting to grab a key that was around the victim's neck but grabbed the victim's shirt instead. The victim knocked the suspect's hand away and the suspect immediately fled the area.

### **Firearm in Vehicle – Arrested**

**3:56 am**

#### **00 Chumasero Dr**

Officers were conducting a safety inspection when they observed a vehicle which had been previously used in a crime involving a gun. The vehicle was occupied by two people and a gun was in plain view. The officers successfully detained the occupants without incident and a search of the vehicle located an illegal, high capacity magazine. A computer check on the gun revealed that it was stolen. **The driver was arrested.**

### **Trespassing – Warrant Arrest – Arrested**

**2:00 am**

#### **00 Plaza St**

Officers responded to a report of a trespasser inside the plaza. Responding officers located the suspect, who was walking around without pants on and was waving a stick around. **The suspect was arrested**

## Daily Crime Report :: Wed – June 12, 2019

### **Robbery with Force on School Grounds**

**4:12 pm**

#### **2200 14th Ave**

A School Resource Officer responded to a report of a robbery. The victim told the officer that he was approached by another student, the suspect, who told the victim to give him money or he would harm victim. The victim refused and the suspect punched the victim in the stomach.

### **Robbery with Force**

**12:55 am**

#### **19th Ave & Judah St**

Officers responded to a report of a robbery. The victim told the officers that he was at the MUNI stop when he noticed the suspect exit a vehicle, that was across the street from the victim, and walked towards him. The suspect pointed at the victim and said "that's him" before grabbing the victim's shirt and necklace and punching the victim. The suspect then left with the victim's necklace.

### **Battery**

**1:47 pm**

#### **300 Faxon St**

Officers respond to a report of a battery. The victim told the officers that the suspect, her mother in law, had struck her in the face. The victim told the officers that the suspect then took her cell phone and erased something that was on it before an argument ensued.



## Notable Incidents (Cont.)

### Warrant Arrest –Arrested

**5:13 pm**

**300 Rivera St**

Officers responded to a report of a possible burglary. The witness reported that two suspects had suspiciously ducked under the plywood that was across the entryway of an empty home. Responding officers located the suspects and a computer check on one of the suspects revealed a warrant for his arrest from the federal department. **The suspect was arrested.**

## Daily Crime Report :: Thu – June 13, 2019

### Trespassing – Cited/Arrested

**6:57 am**

**3200 20th Ave**

Officers responded to a report of a trespasser who was refusing to leave the property, despite being informed that he had been repeatedly warned that he was not welcome there. Responding officers located the suspect and **cited him**. Later in the day, at 1:00 pm, the suspect returned to the location. **The suspect was then arrested.**

### Attempted Robbery with Force

**4:13 pm**

**22nd Ave & Noriega St**

The victim came to Taraval Station to report an attempted robbery. The victim reported that she had stopped at a stop sign to let a suspect cross the street when the suspect suddenly banged on the vehicle's hood and demanded that the victim give him her car. The suspect then attempted to open the car door, but the door was locked. The suspect then walked away and boarded a nearby bus.

## Daily Crime Report :: Fri – June 14, 2019

### Robbery with a Gun

**9:40 am**

**1800 Ocean Ave**

Officers responded to a report of a robbery. The victim reported that he had been in the passenger side of his vehicle when the suspect broke the window on the driver's side and unlocked the door before stealing the victim's wallet and iPhone which inside the car. The suspect took items that were in the trunk. The victim confronted the suspect but was pushed away before the suspect fled the location in a waiting vehicle. The victim stated that the suspect had a gun in his hand and a knife or screwdriver in his other hand during the incident.

### Carrying a Concealed Weapon – Arrested

**12:26 pm**

**Orizaba Ave & Sadowa St**

Officers responded to a report of a suspect walking around with a machete that he had used to cut down a tree. Responding officers located the suspect and ordered him to drop the machete. The suspect complied and was detained without incident. A search of the suspect located nunchucks and throwing knives. After further investigation, **the suspect was arrested**



## Notable Incidents (Cont.)

### Daily Crime Report :: Sat – June 15, 2019

#### Shoplifting – Trespassing – Cited

3:59 pm

1600 Ocean Ave

Officers responded to a report of a shoplifter. The witness reported that the suspect, who had a known history, had returned to the store and stolen merchandise. Responding officers located the suspect, who had been arrested five days ago for shoplifting at the store, and **cited the suspect** after further investigation.

#### Battery

10:49 am

00 Pinto Ave

Officers responded to a report of a suspect who was acting erratically. Responding officers located the suspect and summoned an ambulance. While being placed into the ambulance, the suspect spat at one of the medics. **The suspect was cited.**

#### Possession of Burglary Tools – Possession of a Weapon – Arrested

7:19 am

1100 Ulloa St

Officers responded to a report of a suspect breaking into a vehicle. The witness reported that the suspect had been observed breaking into a neighbor's vehicle. Responding officers located the suspect and detained him. A search of the suspect located paper spray and tools commonly used to break into vehicles. A computer check revealed that the suspect was on probation for assault. **The suspect was arrested.**

**Read More**

**Daily Crime Reports**

**Do you want to know what happens daily in the District?**

**Read more at <http://www.taraval.org/?cat=14>**

**Note: Not all crimes are reported**

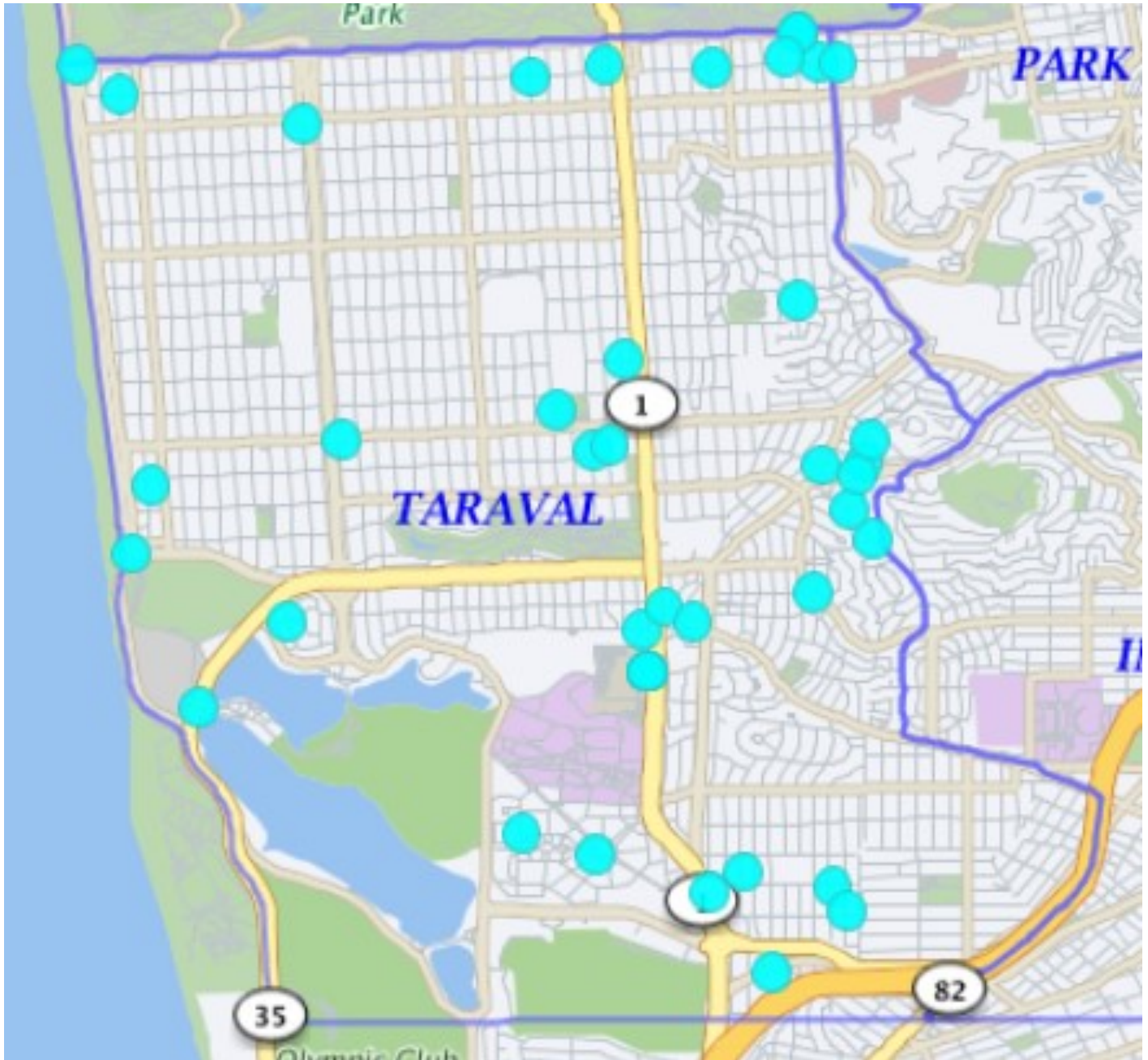


# TARAVAL STATION



## Auto Burglary 06/01/19 – 06/18/19

Auto Burglaries	50
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If the dots does not add up to the number, there may be multiple incidents with the same address.

\*Note: The map accurately reflects the information available at the time of preparation. Numbers may or may not change as more information becomes available. *Production date 6/19/19 - 0900 hrs*



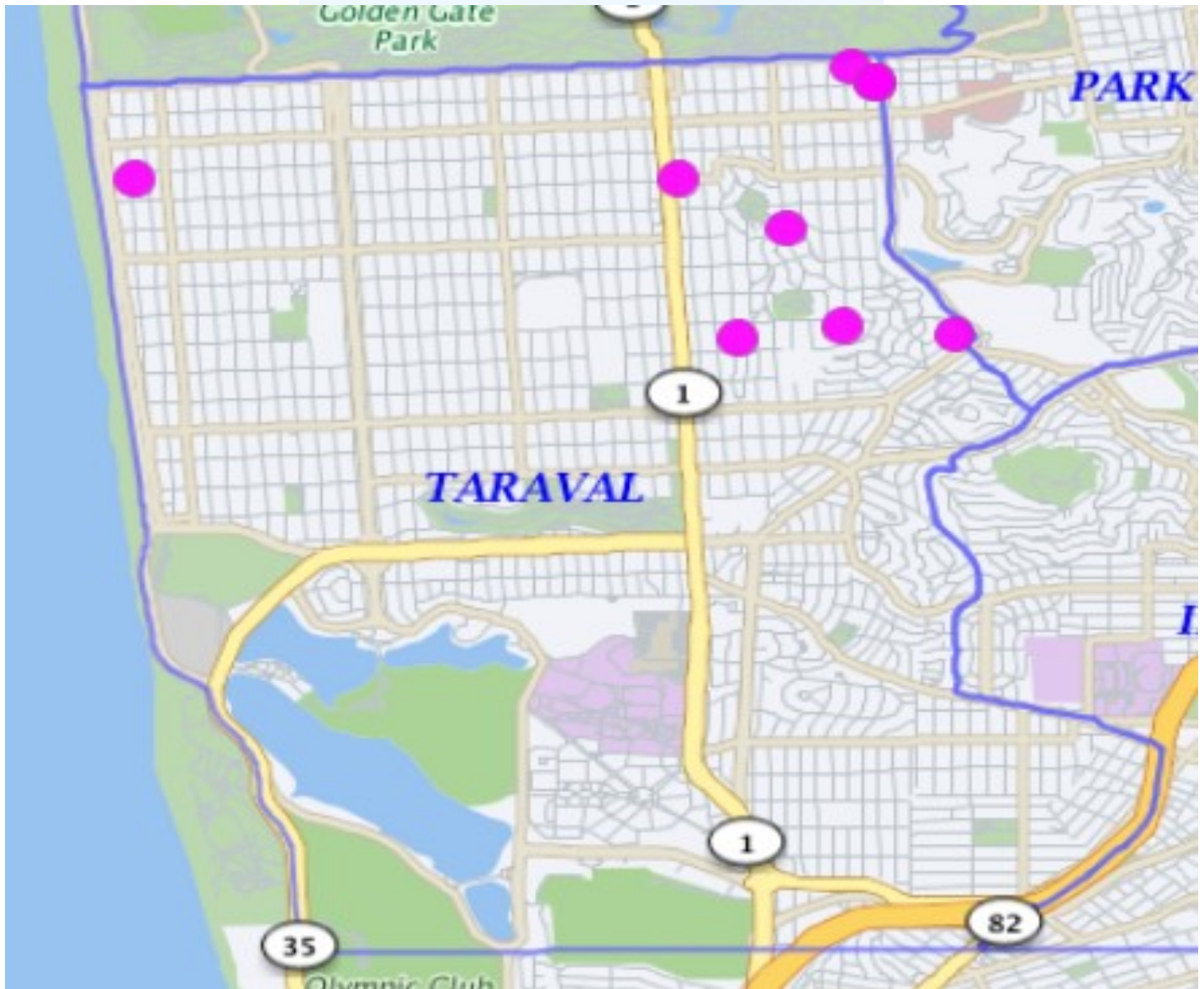
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## Commercial and Residential Burglaries

06/01/19 – 06/18/19

BURGLARY	Attempted Forcible Entry	1
	Forcible Entry	4
	Unlawful Entry - No force	4
		<b>9</b>



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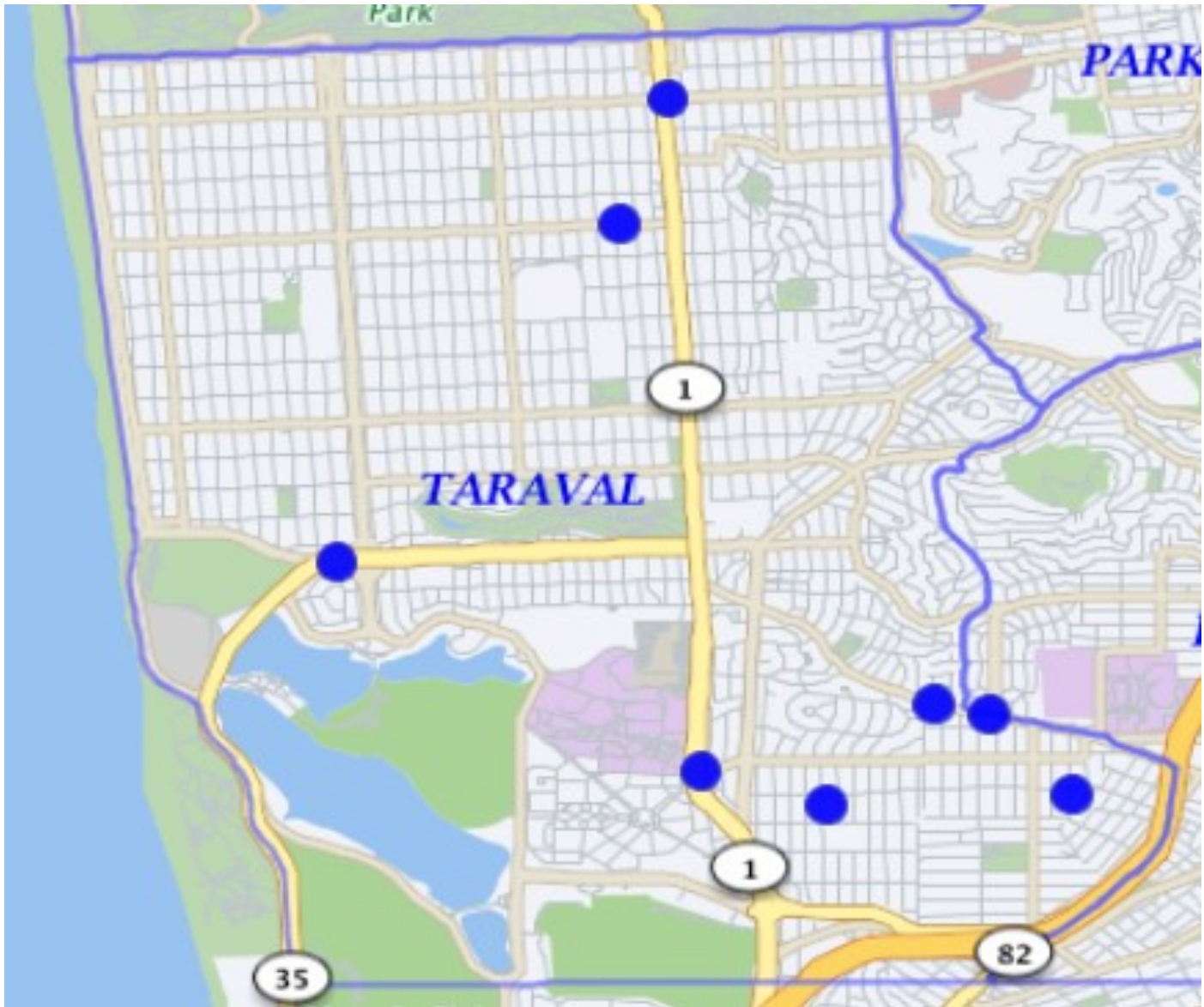


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## Robbery 06/01/19 – 06/18/19

ROBBERY	Firearm	1
	Knife or Cutting Instrument	0
	Other Dangerous Weapon	1
	Strongarm (no weapon)	6
		<b>8</b>



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## Beware of Scams

### **Fake Check Scams**

Consumers paid with phony checks for work or for items they're trying to sell, instructed to wire money back to buyer

### **Prizes/Sweepstakes/Free Gifts**

Requests for payment to claim fictitious prizes, lottery winnings, or gifts

### **Recovery/Refund Companies**

Scammers contact victims and claim the consumer owes money on a fictitious debt or to help recover money lost in a previous scam

### **Advance Fee Loans, Credit Arrangers**

False promises of business or personal loans, even if credit is bad, for a fee upfront

### **Phishing/Spoofing**

Emails pretending to be from a well-known source ask consumers to enter or confirm personal information

### **Computers: Equipment and Software**

Scammers claim to offer "technical support" for computer problems and charge a fee to fix a nonexistent problem

### **Scholarships/Grants**

For a fee, a "search company" offers to conduct customized search for scholarships or grants for students. Scammers take money and run or provide a worthless list

### **Friendship & Sweetheart Swindles**

Con artist nurtures an online relationship, builds trust, and convinces victim to send money

### **Charitable Solicitations**

Scammers contact victims claiming to represent non-existent charities (or real charities they don't actually work for) and ask for donations.



## Definition of Suspicious Activity

Suspicious activity is any observed behavior that could indicate a crime-related incident has been committed, or about to be committed. Unusual items or situations: A vehicle is parked in an odd location, a package/luggage is unattended, a window/door is open that is usually closed, or other out-of-the-ordinary situations occur.

### Examples of Suspicious Activity:

- An individual peering into vehicles, to try, and locate any valuables left unattended.
- An individual trying door handles to vehicles, and/or residences to gain access to the vehicle and/ or residence.
- An individual checking front doors of residences to locate any unattended packages or individuals following delivery trucks to see where the truck is dropping off packages.
- Please dial 911 to report crimes in progress, suspicious activity or for life threatening emergencies. If it is not an emergency, dial (415) 553-0123.



**See something.  
Say something.**



## Definition of 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:**

Taraval Station has two officers that 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:**

Taraval Station has 3 foot beat locations. These officers are assigned to Irving St, West Portal Ave and Ocean Ave.

### **Monthly Police Community Relations Meetings:**

Community Meetings are going to be held continuously. Officers and sergeants also attend meetings with merchants groups, business groups, development authorities and others. Concerns are voiced and addressed through problem solving. These meeting will be on the third Tuesday of each month.

### **Email Updates:**

Taraval Station will send 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.



## Make the Right Call SF

Make the right call. Keep 9-1-1 available for emergencies.

### 9-1-1

Police, Fire & Medical

Available 24/7

Is there a danger to life, property or the environment?

Is there a crime in progress?

Is someone having a medical emergency and needs immediate assistance?

Is there a fire?

If you answered YES to any of these questions, immediately call 9-1-1.

### 3-1-1

City Services & Information

Available 24/7

Police reports for crimes not in progress such as:

-Auto Burglaries

-Petty Theft

-Vandalism

Report graffiti, potholes, abandoned vehicles, or blocked driveways.

Garbage and recycling services

Street and park maintenance

Property Tax Payments

Birth Certificates

Marriage Licenses

Business Registration

### 415-553-0123

Police Non-Emergency Assistance

Available 24/7

Noise complaints

Loitering

Citizen standby

MAKE THE RIGHT CALL		KEEP 9-1-1 AVAILABLE FOR EMERGENCIES	
<b>9-1-1</b> POLICE, FIRE & MEDICAL AVAILABLE 24/7	<b>3-1-1</b> CITY SERVICES & INFORMATION AVAILABLE 24/7	<b>415-553-0123</b> POLICE NON-EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE 24/7	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is there a danger to life, property or the environment?</li> <li>• Is there a crime in progress?</li> <li>• Is someone having a medical emergency and needs immediate assistance?</li> <li>• Is there a fire?</li> </ul> If you answered YES to any of these questions, immediately call 9-1-1.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Police reports for crimes not in progress such as:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Auto Burglaries</li> <li>- Petty Theft</li> <li>- Vandalism</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Report graffiti, potholes, abandoned vehicles, or blocked driveways.</li> <li>• Garbage and recycling services</li> <li>• Street and park maintenance</li> <li>• Property Tax Payments</li> <li>• Birth Certificates</li> <li>• Marriage Licenses</li> <li>• Business Registration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Noise complaints</li> <li>• Loitering</li> <li>• Wellness checks</li> </ul>	
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*The San Francisco Police Department welcomes dedicated men and women to join us in serving our City. I encourage you to apply to become one of San Francisco's finest.*

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### Applying is Easy!

1. Apply with the City and County of San Francisco at (Entry Level (Q-2) Police Officer) Go to [www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](http://www.nationaltestingnetwork.com), choose law enforcement, and register to take the San Francisco exam (\$45). Financial assistance is available.
2. Choose an available exam date that's convenient for you.
3. Schedule your exam.

## Have Questions? Contact the San Francisco Police Department Recruitment Unit

1245 3rd Street, 5th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94158  
Phone: 415-837-7245  
Fax: 415-575-6095

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**The SFPD wants to hear from YOU.**

We are committed to excellence in law enforcement and are dedicated to the people, traditions and diversity of our City. Our mission is to provide service with understanding, response with compassion, performance with integrity and law enforcement with vision.

We welcome your comments. Let us know how we’re doing, what we could be doing better and your thoughts on how your police department can work more closely with the community we proudly serve.

Visit us at [sanfranciscopolice.org/feedback](http://sanfranciscopolice.org/feedback). Your feedback will help SFPD better serve our City. Comments will be reviewed by our Community Engagement Unit and forwarded to the relevant unit, department office or neighborhood station for review and follow up, if appropriate.

(If this is an emergency, please call 911. For non-emergencies, call 415-553-0123. You may also visit <http://sanfranciscopolice.org/police-commendation-complaint> for more information on providing input on SFPD policies and practices.)



## SFPD RESOURCES

EMERGENCY: 911  
Non-Emergency: 553-0123  
Cell Phone 911: 911 / 553-8090  
Customer Service Center: 311  
SFPD Tip Line: 566-0115  
Anonymous Tip-Line 575-4444  
Chinese Tip Line: 315-2435  
Text a Tip: 847411 (Tip 411)  
Blessing Scam Hotline: 553-9219  
Graffiti Abatement: 850-6951



## TARAVAL STATION RESOURCES

Taraval Station: 759-3100  
Captain Nicholas Rainsford: 759-3100 - [nicholas.rainsford@sfgov.org](mailto:nicholas.rainsford@sfgov.org)  
Patrol Lieutenants: 759-3100  
Taraval Administration & Community Sgt.: 759-3120 – Sgt. Lynn Pomatto  
Taraval Permits/ Code Abatement: 759-3123 – Officer Matt Faliano  
Neighborhood Deputy District Attorney: 553-1752 - Jack Shannon  
Website: [www.taraval.org](http://www.taraval.org) / Taraval Station E-mail: [SFPDTaravalStation@sfgov.org](mailto:SFPDTaravalStation@sfgov.org)  
To Reserve Our Community Room: [taravalcommunityroom@sfgov.org](mailto:taravalcommunityroom@sfgov.org)

## OTHER RESOURCES

Dept. of Parking & Traffic: 553-1943  
DPW Dispatch 695-2020  
S.A.F.E. 553-1984

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