# Southern Station NewsLetter







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Captain Timothy Falvey's Message

October 08, 2021

Dear Southern District Community Members,

We are expecting a busy upcoming weekend throughout the City. If you are coming in to the City to take part in some of the events or to catch a game be sure to check traffic reports. If possible take public transportation. If you do drive in to the City be sure to <u>Park Smart!</u>

For more information on Fleet Week and for a schedule of events please go to <u>fleetweeksf.org</u>.

- Giants vs. Dodgers 10/08 (Oracle Park)
   6:37pm
- Giants vs. Dodgers 10/09( Oracle Park) 6:07pm
- Warriors vs. Lakers 10/08 (Chase Center)7:00pm

GO GIANTS!

GO DUBS!

Stay Safe!



Captain Timothy Falvey
Commanding Officer
Southern Station

Next Community Meeting:

Wednesday, October 20th at 6:00 pm

Locations: Zoom

RSVP by email for link at Community@sfsafe.org or SFPDSoutherstation@sfgov.org

Chief William Scott's message

http://sanfranciscopolice.org/ chief-police

# Community Meeting

#### **October 20th Community Meeting**

The October Southern Station Community Meeting will be held, <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>10/20/2021 at</u> <u>6:00pm</u>. We will be hosting this meeting on Zoom.

This community meeting with Captain Falvey will dedicate a portion of the monthly community meeting to a discussion of DGO 2.01 General Rules of Conduct, DGO 2.04 Citizen Complaints against Officers, DGO 2.05 Citizen Complaints against Non-Sworn Members, DGO 2.07 Discipline Process for Sworn Officers and DGO 5.17 Bias-Free Policing Policy.

#### **Community Surveys:**

The San Francisco Police Department is committed to excellence in law enforcement and is 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.

As part of our ongoing outreach to engage with the community and measure our success, the Department has created a community survey link to obtain valuable community feedback for our community events and programs, which will assist the Department in the development of our strategies to meet the needs of the community. If you have recently attended or participated in an event or program hosted by the Department (such as Coffee with a Cop, National Night Out, ALERT program, Youth Summer program, Community Academy or Town Hall Meeting), and have feedback regarding the event or program you attended, please take some time to fill out our community survey.

The Department has also developed a Foot Beat/Bike Patrol survey to gather valuable community feedback on the effectiveness of the Foot Beat/Bicycle Patrol, as it relates to community policing and crime strategies and an Implicit Bias survey to measure progress in the Department's commitment to impartial policing and procedural justice. Please take the time to fill out the Foot Beat/Bicycle and Implicit Bias surveys. If you have already filled out a survey, thank you! Your response will help SFPD better serve our City and continue to support our community through Safety with Respect.

**SFPD Website:** Community Surveys | San Francisco Police Department.

Use this link <u>Take Our Community Events Survey</u> and select a survey from the list.

#### Featured Officer of the Month

#### **Officer Pat Wood**

Officer Pat Wood is a native of San Rafael, California. Officer Wood began his law enforcement career with the Oakland Police Department where he spend 4 years. Pat joined the SFPD as a member of the 229th Lateral class.

As a member of SFPD, Officer Wood has served at Southern, Central and Tenderloin Stations. At Southern Station, he has been assigned to patrol and the foot beats. Officer Wood has also help mentor new officers as a Field Training Officer (FTO).

Officer Wood has also worked as a member of SFPD's Training Divi-

sion. As a member of the Training Division he has served as a Recruit Training Officer (RTO) and Field Tactics Force Options Instructor. While working at the Training Division, Officer Wood helped develop the Advanced Car Stop Course, Pre Action Course, High Risk Pedestrian Stop Course and Tactical Geometry Course.

Outside of work Officer Wood enjoys spear fishing and spending time with his family and friends. If you see Officer Wood give him a wave and say hello.



#### Featured Citizen of the Month

#### Kristine Demafeliz

Kristine Demafeliz has been a member of the SFPD family for 16 years. Kristine is a native San Franciscan. She began her career with SFPD at the Airport Bureau's administrative offices. Currently she is the Executive Assistant to Assistant Chief Robert Moser. Kristine also assists in day to day operations in Chief William Scott's Office.

Kristine is also a Wellness Champion in the Department. Prior to the Pandemic, Kristine led Yoga Classes for Department members. Kristine's passion is yoga and she describes herself as a "Executive Assistant by day and a yoga teacher by night." She also assists the Department's Behavioral Science Unit in teaching members, both sworn and unsworn, the importance of diet, meditation and stress relief.



For this years National Night Out, Kristine led a yoga class for children in the community and a group or officers. When not at work Kristine enjoys spending time with family and friends, shopping and of course yoga.



# 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.



# **DEFINITION OF COMMUNITY POLICING**

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

- <u>Homeless Outreach and Outreach to Drug Users</u>: Southern 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.
- <u>Foot Patrols</u>: Southern Station has beat officers assigned to the Mission Street corridor from 4th St to 9th St and on 6th St between Mission St and Howard St.
- <u>Monthly Police Community Relations Meetings</u>: 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.
- <u>Email Updates</u>: Southern 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.
- <u>Twitter:</u> Southern Station's Twitter sends out the updates on upcoming community events, notable arrests and crime alerts.



# **CRIME DEFINITION**

- **Robbery** Robbery is the taking of property from another by using force or by using fear.
- **Assault** An assault is an unlawful attempt, coupled with the present ability, to commit a violent injury on another person.
- **Battery (Misdemeanor battery)** is any willful and unlawful touching of another. **(Felony battery)** is the use of force or violence upon the person of another that causes serious bodily injury.
- <u>Assault</u> is when a person swings their arm and <u>battery</u> is when that arm makes contact with another person.
- **Aggravated Assault** Assault upon another person with a deadly weapon or instrument other than a firearm or by any means of force likely to produce great bodily injury.
- **Burglary** The intent upon entry into a property to commit grand theft, petty theft, or any felony.
- **Grand Theft** Grand theft is theft committed when the value of the money, labor, or property taken exceeds \$950.
- **Petty Theft** Theft where the value of the property taken is less than \$950.

# Community Engagement

# Pictures from Coffee with a Cop 10/06 Thank you to Starbucks for hosting Coffee with a Cop!







# Weekly Recap

# September. 27-October. 03, 2021

Crime	Incidents	Number Arrested
Homicide	1	0
Arson	0	0
Rape	0	0
Robbery	4	0
Agg. Assault	6	3
Burglary	3	0
Auto Boost	14	0
Vehicle Theft	10	0
Other	18	3
Total	56	6

# List of Part 1 and Part ii crimes

# September. 27- October. 03, 2021 Crime Data Maps

Southern District Incidents	
BURGLARIES:	
Attempted Forcible Entry	0
Forcible Entry	4
Unlawful Entry - No force	5

Southern District Incidents	
ROBBERY:	
Firearm	1
Knife or Cutting Instrument	0
Other Dangerous Weapon	2
Strong-arm (No Weapon)	2

Southern District Incidents	
ASSAULTS:	
Firearm	0
Hands, Fists, Feet, Etc.	2
Knife or Cutting Instrument	1
Other Assaults (Misdemeanors)	16
Other Dangerous Weapon	3

#### Crime Data portal

Have you seen our Crime Data portal? This portal gives you access to items such as Crime Reports and Traffic Violation Reports. These items are updated on a quarterly basis and can be viewed here -https://bit.ly/3foN2dD

# SF is OPEN

SF ya está abierto · 三藩市現已開放 · Bukas ang SF

# San Francisco celebrates a safer reopening! Protect yourself, your family, and your community by following these prevention measures:

¡San Francisco está celebrando una reapertura segura! Siga estas medidas de prevención para protegerse y proteger a su familia y a su comunidad:

三藩市慶祝安全重開! 採取以下防護措施, 保護自己, 家人及社區

Ipinagdiriwang ng San Francisco ang isang mas ligtas na muling pagbubukas! Protektahan ang iyong sarili, ang iyong pamilya, at ang iyong pamayanan sa pamamagitan ng pagsunod sa mga hakbang sa pag-iwas:



#### **Get vaccinated**

Vacúnese 接種疫苗 Magpabakuna



#### Stay home if sick, and talk to your doctor

Quédese en casa si está enfermo y consulte a su médico 如果身體不適, 請留在家中 並諮詢您的醫生 Manatili sa bahay kung may sakit,

at kausapin ang iyong doktor



#### Maximize fresh air

Aumente al máximo el flujo de aire fresco 保持大量新鮮空氣 Padaluyin ang sariwang hangin

#### Wear a mask for added protection and clean your hands.

Póngase un cubrebocas para obtener protección adicional y lávese las manos. 佩戴口罩加強保護及清潔雙手。

Magsuot ng mask para sa karagdagang proteksyon at hugasan ang iyong mga kamay.



# Stay Heal thy

# Stay healthy by getting vaccinated and protect yourself and your community.



Get your vaccine today. SF.gov/getvaccinated



# Halloween Tips

# Steps to Take When Trick or Treating



# Make Trick-Or-Treating Safer



- · Avoid direct contact with trick-or-treaters.
- Give out treats outdoors, if possible.
- Set up a station with individually bagged treats for kids to take.
- Wash hands before handling treats.
- Wear a mask.





# Halloween Tips

Traditional Halloween activities are fun, but some can increase the risk of getting or spreading COVID-19 or influenza. Plan alternate ways to participate in Halloween.

#### Wear A Mask



- · Make your cloth mask part of your costume.
- A costume mask is NOT a substitute for a cloth mask.
- Do NOT wear a costume mask over a cloth mask.
   It can make breathing more difficult.
- Masks should NOT be worn by children under the age of 2 or anyone who has trouble breathing.



#### **Wash Your Hands**



- Bring hand sanitizer with you and use it after touching objects or other people.
- Use hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- Parents: supervise young children using hand sanitizer.
- Wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds when you get home and before you eat any treats.



#### **Keep Your Distance**



- Stay at least 6 feet away from others who do not live with you
- Indoors and outdoors, you are more likely to get or spread COVID-19 when you are in close contact with others for a long time.

#### Ways to Celebrate a Safe Halloween

With October's arrival, San Francisco officially kicks off the season of scary. Given that community members under age 12 are still unable to be vaccinated (as of this writing)—and with some qualifying individuals remaining unvaccinated—it's important to take COVID-19-related precautions to keep everyone safe.

Courtesy of the <u>CDC</u>, here are some steps to consider taking to make sure it's an all-around safe Halloween for everyone this year.



#### To make trick-or-treating safer, the CDC suggests that

**adults**: Avoid direct contact with trick-or-treaters; give out treats outdoors if possible; set up a station with individually bagged treats for kids; wash your hands before handling treats; and be sure to wear a mask.

For children who go trick-or-treating this year, the CDC says to be sure to wear a mask and also offers these suggestions: Make your cloth mask part of your costume; remember that a costume mask is NOT a substitute for a cloth mask; do NOT wear a costume mask over a cloth mask—it can make breathing more difficult; and masks should NOT be worn by children under the age of two or anyone who has difficulty breathing.

Remember to wash your hands and also: Bring hand sanitizer with you and use it after touching objects or other people; use hand sanitizer with at least 60 percent alcohol; wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds when you get home and before you eat any treats; and also for parents, be sure to supervise young children using hand sanitizer.

**Keep your distance**: Stay at least six feet away from others who do not live with you—including for activities like Halloween costume parades. Also remember that both indoors and outdoors, you are more likely to get or spread COVID-19 when you are in close contact with others for a long time. The CDC also cautioned that traditional Halloween activities can increase the risk of getting or spreading COVID-19. Another option this year is to plan alternate ways to participate in Halloween, such as by having a celebration at home with the family.

Some of the CDC's suggestions for **low-risk Halloween activities** during the pandemic include: Carving or decorating pumpkins with the family; carving or decorating pumpkins outside, while maintaining a safe distance, with neighbors/friends; decorating your home for the holiday; enjoying a Halloween movie night with your family; and holding a Halloween scavenger hunt trick-or-treat search, where your household searches around your own home or yard for treats.



With the Covid-19 restrictions lifting in phases and many of us are starting to venture out again, here are some Package Theft Prevention Guide from SFSafe to help prevent your packages from being stolen.



# PACKAGE THEFT PREVENTION GUIDE

WON'T BE HOME?

Use the "Hold Package" option at USPS.com to have packages held at location post office for pick up. You can also arrange for neighborhoods to pick up any packages that might be delivered.

USE SPECIAL SERVICES

Use USPS special services like Signature Confirmation or Registered Mail to add a layer of security.

REQUEST NONDESCRIPT PACKAGING

When completing your online order, opt for packaging that conceals the item or select the 'gift' option to ensure package arrives in a plain box especially when ordering from a high-end store.

NETWORK WITH NEIGHBORS

Neighborhood groups on social media or community apps can provide a system for reporting suspicious activity. This is also a good way to keep your deliveries and neighborhood secure.

PORCH AREA VISIBILITY

Keep the porch area clear and visible. The more likely a would-be thief is to be seen, the more likely they are to choose another target.

CUSTOMIZE DELIVERIES

Customize deliveries by adding specific delivery instructions using USPS.com and your tracking number. You can also schedule packages to arrive when you are home or reroute packages.

**DELIVER TO SECURE LOCATIONS** 

Send packages to secure locations such as Amazon Lockers, FedEx and UPS locations, P.O. Boxes, and local post office.

USE MODERN ALTERNATIVES

Take advantage of contemporary options like smart lockers, lockboxes, cameras, motion detection lighting, alarms like Package Guard, and services like Doorman.





# PREVENT GARAGE DOOR BREAK-INS

Garages can sometimes be the most vulnerable area of the home and they are often the entry point most targeted by thieves because of the easy access to the home. Here are some tips to help secure your garage and protect it from theft.





#### ALWAYS CLOSE YOUR GARAGE DOOR

This may seem obvious, but just drive through any residential neighborhood and you'll likely see a few wide-open garage doors. This is an invitation to burglars and at the very least, you're allowing passersby to easily view the contents of your garage.



#### INSTALL MOTION-SENSITIVE LIGHTS

Homes and garages with poor exterior lighting become more appealing targets for burglars. Ensure all entry points are well-lit. Constant lighting supplemented by motion sensitive lighting is best.



#### REINFORCE THE GLASS ON THE GARAGE DOOR

Add vinvl adhesive to reinforce garage windows. You can also opt for a frosted or translucent glass design to allow sunlight in while obscuring contents inside.



#### DON'T LEAVE GARAGE DOOR REMOTE IN YOUR CAR

A garage door remote is basically another key into your home and thieves won't hesitate to use it if they find it. Opt to use a remote on a keychain.



#### INSTALL AN INTERIOR MANUAL GARAGE DOOR LOCK

When leaving on a vacation or for extended periods of time, disconnect automatic door motor and install a manual lock.



#### TIE EMERGENCY RELEASE CORD

Tying your emergency release cord into a small ball will make it more difficult to reach by thieves who manage to break the garage windows.



#### INSTALL SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS

There should be at least 1 exterior mounted camera facing the street and registered with the D.A.'s office.



#### SECURE ANY VALUABLES

Keep all tools in cabinet systems with locks and be sure to hang and lock any bicycles. As much as possible, try to avoid keeping valuable items in the garage or inside vehicles.



# HAVE A QUALITY, FUNCTIONING GARAGE

Garage doors should be as secure, sturdy, and well-built as your front door and should remain in good condition and tight fitting. Deadbolts should also be added to the garage-to-house door.

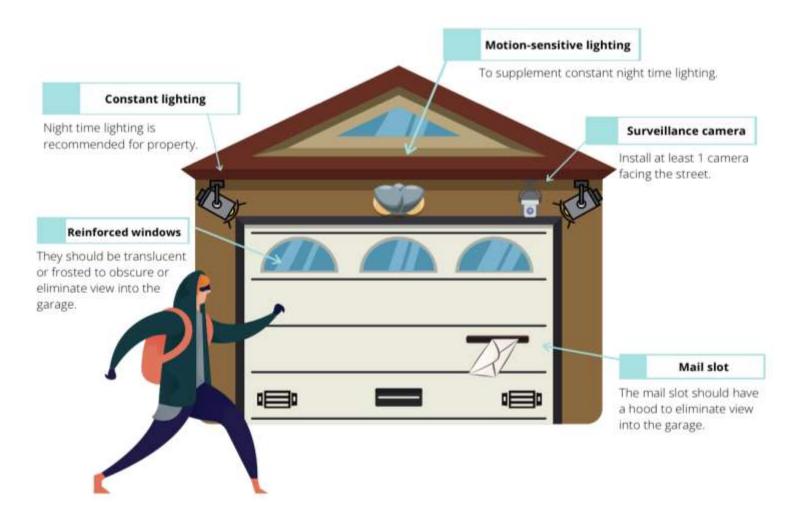


#### INSTALL INTERIOR MAIL SLOT HOOD COVER

If the garage door is equipped with a mail slot, a hood cover will prevent any view into the garage and its contents, eliminating enticement to enter.



#### ANATOMY OF A SAFE GARAGE



#### Your home is only as safe as its weakest entry point.

Your garage is an important part of your home and securing your garage is one of the most essential steps to securing your entire home. It is always recommended to regularly check and update your home's security system and safety measures.

#### PREVENT THEFT FROM YOUR VEHICLE

Remember when parking your vehicle to ensure it is properly secured before walking away. Be sure that your windows are up, and your doors are locked. Thieves often check door handles to see if a car is unlocked. Remove all valuables from the inside of your car and take them with you. <a href="PARK SMART!">PARK SMART!</a> Flyers available in English -Chinese - Spanish



# Safe Habits to Adopt:



Turn off the ignition
Never leave your car running unattended



Keep your vehicle & tires in good condition to prevent breakdowns—stranding you in a dark or unfamiliar place



**Lock your doors** when you get in your car



See something, say something
If you see a motorist in distress, call 9-1-1
versus stopping to help



Clear your trunk and take your valuables with you every time you leave your car



If you are being followed, drive to the nearest police or fire station a populated area is a good default



# Addressing Crime / Safety tips Vison Zero SFMTA



In an effort to improve vehicular and pedestrian safety Citywide, <u>TransBASEsf.org</u> has identified dangerous intersections in the Southern District. We have implemented the "**Focus on the Five**" traffic safety initiative. Southern Station Officers will be engaging in increased traffic enforcement at these intersections and other locations in the district. Refer to the <u>TransBASEsf.org</u> for more detailed information.

# Focus on the Five Dangerous Intersections

- Mission St @ 8th St
- 5th St @ Bryant St
- Howard St @ 6th St.
- 6<sup>th</sup> St @ Harrison
- 10<sup>th</sup> St @ Mission St

**22450(a)** CVC: The driver of any vehicle approaching a stop sign at the entrance to, or within, an intersection shall stop at a limit line, if marked, otherwise before entering the crosswalk on the near side of the intersection

**21453** (a) CVC: A driver facing a steady circular red signal alone shall stop at a marked limit line, but if none, before entering the crosswalk on the near side of the intersection, and shall remain stopped until an indication to proceed is shown.

**22350 CVC:** No person shall drive a vehicle upon a highway at a speed greater than is reasonable or prudent having due regard for weather, visibility, the traffic on, and the surface and width of, the highway, and in no event at a speed which endangers the safety of persons or property.

**21950(a) CVC:** The driver of a vehicle shall yield the right-of-way to a pedestrian crossing the roadway within any marked crosswalk or within any unmarked crosswalk at an intersection, except as otherwise provided in this chapter.

**22107 CVC:** No person shall turn a vehicle from a direct course or move right or left upon a roadway until such movement can be made with reasonable safety and then only after the giving of an

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# SHARING THE ROAD WITH CYCLISTS

When it comes to safely sharing the road with cyclists, it's paramount for drivers to learn how to coexist.

#### Share the Road

When out and about, drivers need to be evermindful of sharing the road with cyclists.

#### Follow the 3 Foot Rule

Maintain a distance of 36 inches from cyclists whenever passing them. If possible, keep an even wider berth if there's bad weather or if in a higher speed limit zone.

#### Be Cautious with Kids

Kids can be unpredictable since their motor skills and decision-making faculties aren't fully developed. Be on alert when driving near schools and residential areas.

#### Stay Off the Horn

Sudden hoking might startle a cyclist and can cause them to swerve into traffic or off the road.

#### Mind Your Blind Spots

Drivers should double-check their mirrors when changing lanes, making turns, and especially before opening their car door after parking.

#### Be Patient

Don't tailgate a cyclist. When you need to pass one, patiently wait until it's safe to do so.



Visit www.sfsafe.org for more safety tips!

If you have any questions, please email safebikessf@sfsafe.org

# Your Friend is in the crosswalk.

# Yielding saves lives.

sfmta.com/benicelooktwice

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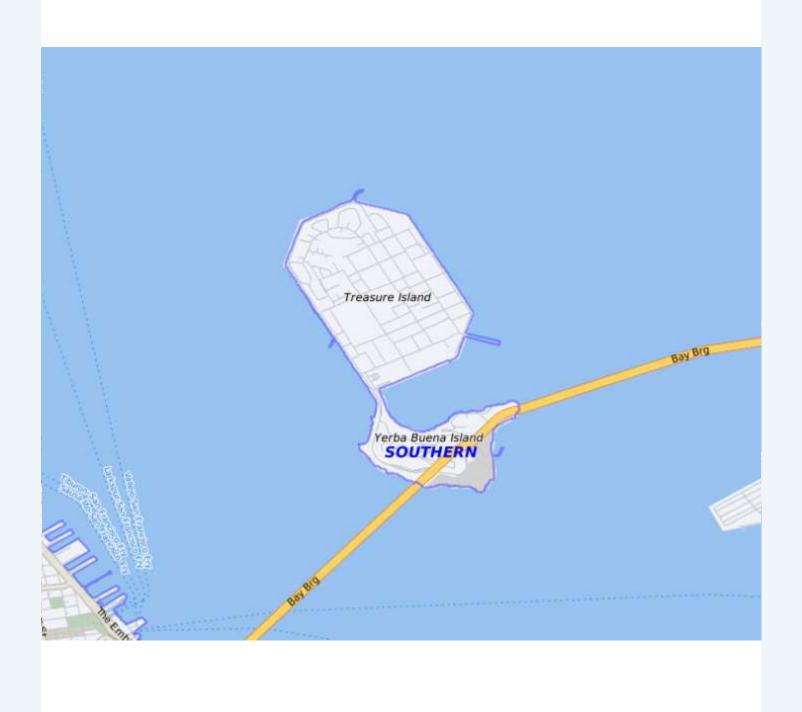




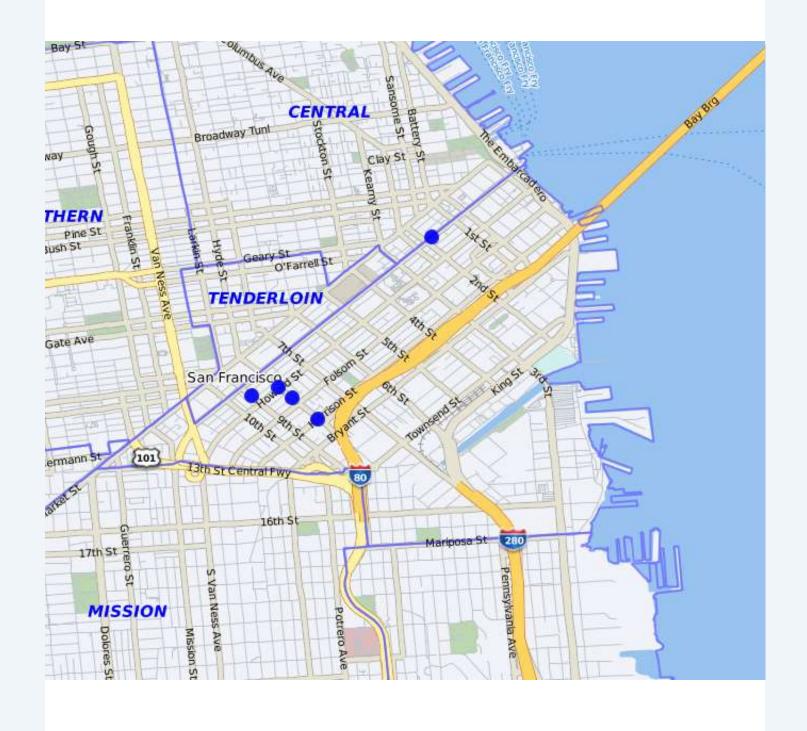
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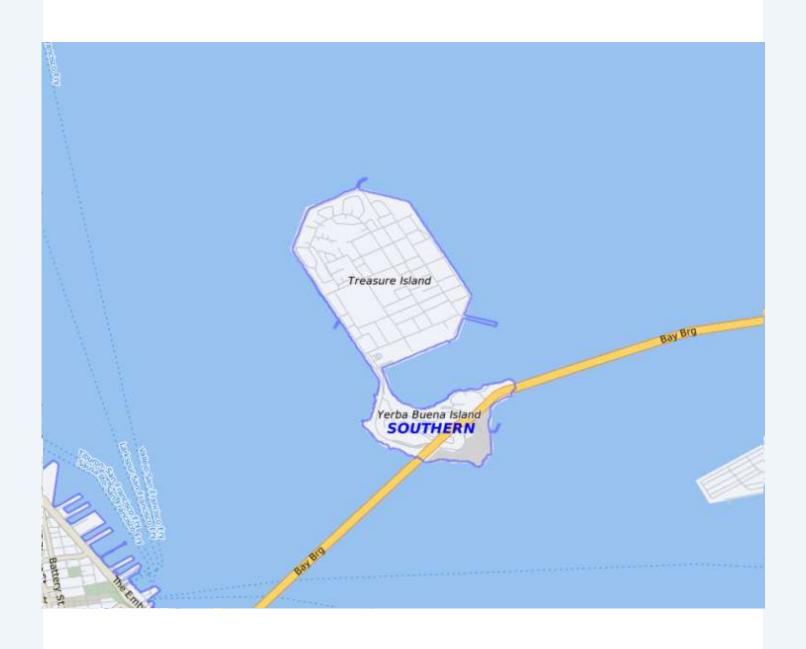
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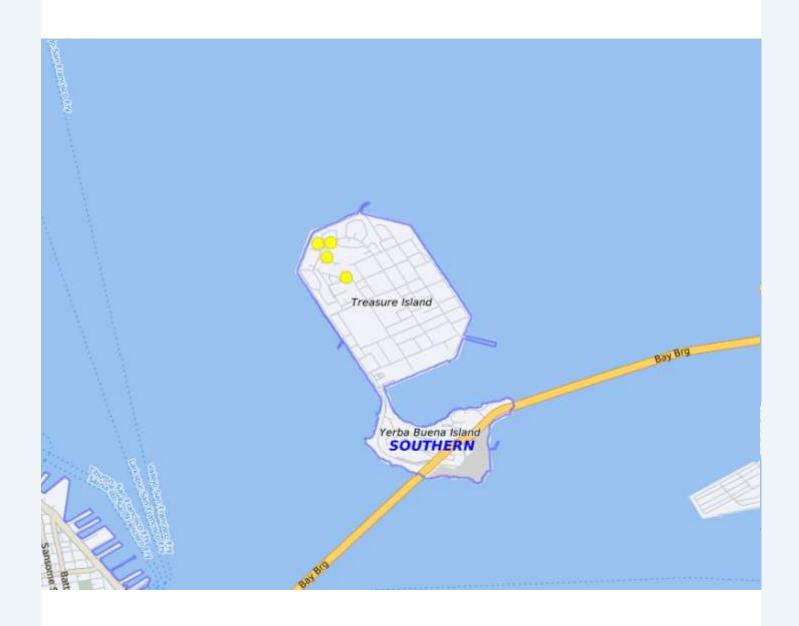
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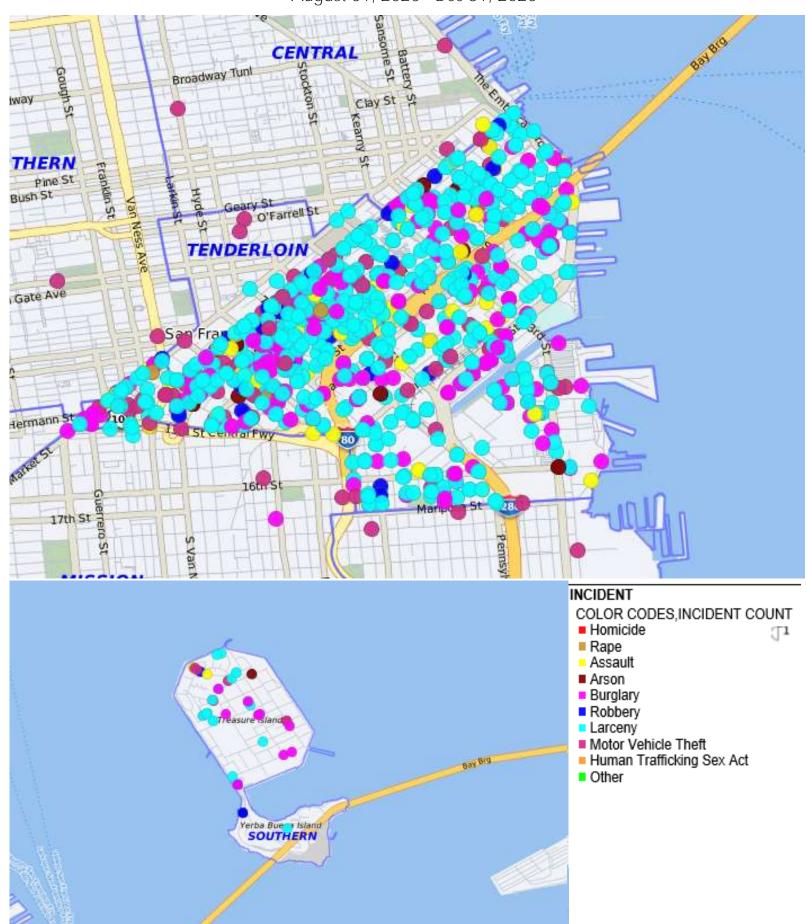


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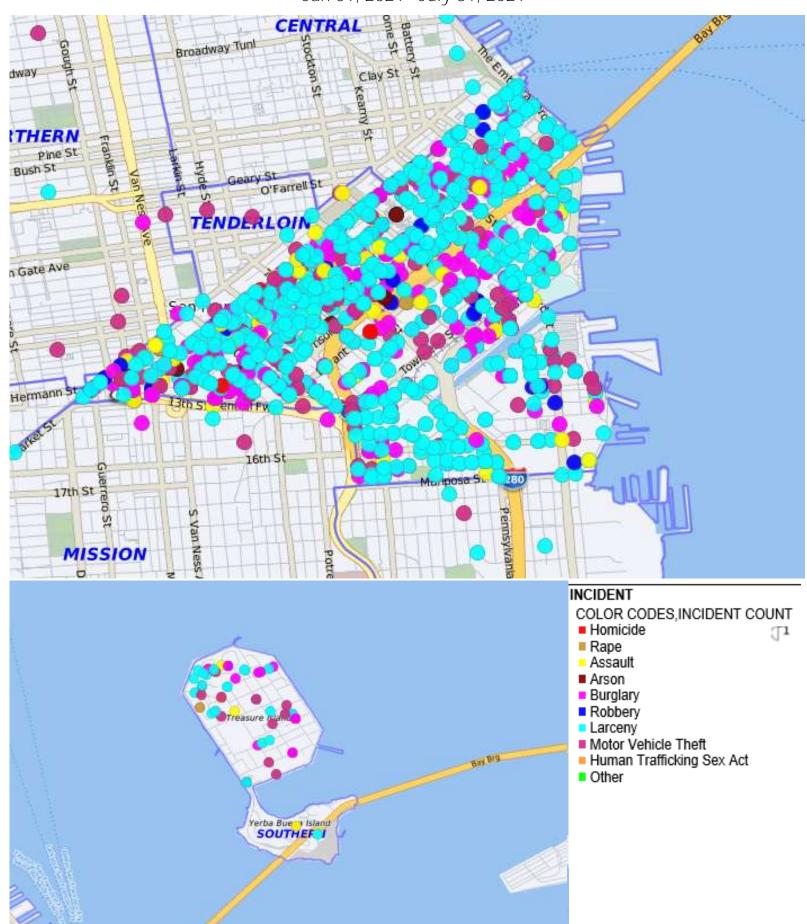
# Comparisons of bi-annual crime maps

August 01, 2020- Dec 31, 2020



# Comparisons of bi-annual crime maps

Jan 01, 2021- July 31, 2021



# Notablearrest/incidents of note

#### **Burglary Arrest**

On 10/08/2021, Officers assigned to the Transbay Center responded to a retail location in the building regarding a theft suspect. As the suspect attempted to leave Officers determined the suspect was in possession of a stolen motorcycle. The suspect was taken in to custody and booked for burglary, possession of a stolen vehicle, possession of stolen property and resisting arrest. Case #210653514

#### **Robbery with Gun**

On 10/06/2021, an auto burglary occurred near the intersection of Embarcadero and Howard St. The victims attempted to follow suspects in an attempt to retrieve their property. The suspects turned their vehicle down a dead end street. The suspects then brandished a firearm at the victims and were able to escape. Case #210651643



# Monthly comparison of crimes

(provided I ast week of the month)

# August 2021

Southern District Incidents	
BURGLARIES:	
Attempted Forcible Entry	5
Forcible Entry	40
Unlawful Entry - No force	36

Southern District Incidents	
ROBBERY:	
Firearm	9
Knife or Cutting Instrument	3
Other Dangerous Weapon	3
Strong-arm (No Weapon)	7

Southern District Incidents	
ASSAULTS:	
Firearm	0
Hands, Fists, Feet, Etc.	4
Knife or Cutting Instrument	3
Other Assaults (Misdemeanors)	62
Other Dangerous Weapon	16

# Monthly comparison of crimes

(provided I ast week of the month)

# September 2021

Southern District Incidents	
BURGLARIES:	
Attempted Forcible Entry	7
Forcible Entry	26
Unlawful Entry - No force	28

Southern District Incidents	
ROBBERY:	
Firearm	1
Knife or Cutting Instrument	1
Other Dangerous Weapon	5
Strong-arm (No Weapon)	13

Southern District Incidents	
ASSAULTS:	
Firearm	3
Hands, Fists, Feet, Etc.	9
Knife or Cutting Instrument	1
Other Assaults (Misdemeanors)	62
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#### Summaries of Supreme Courts Case Laws

(rel eased evry 3 months-First week January, april, july, october)

#### Kansas v. Glover (2020) 140 S.Ct. 1183.

A Kansas deputy sheriff ran a license plate check on a truck and discovered that the registered owner had a revoked driver's license. The deputy assumed the registered owner was driving the vehicle and pulled it over. The registered owner, Glover, was in fact driving and charged with being a habitual offender. Thereafter, Glover moved to suppress the evidence, claiming that the deputy lacked reasonable suspicion to detain him.

The United States Supreme Court held that, "when the officer lacks information negating an inference that the owner is the driver of the vehicle, the stop is reasonable." The Court noted that the Fourth Amendment permits an officer to detain an individual when that officer has a "particularized and objective basis for suspecting the particular person stopped of criminal activity." Officers must be permitted to make commonsense judgements and inferences regarding human behavior. The Court found that prior to pulling the vehicle over, the deputy observed an individual operating the vehicle, he knew the registered owner had a revoked license, and the model of the vehicle matched what he observed. From these facts the deputy drew the commonsense inference that the driver was the registered owner and the Court found that provided more than reasonable suspicion to initiate the traffic stop.

#### People v. Henderson (2020) 9 Cal.5th 1013

Henderson was convicted of first degree murder with special circumstances, the personal use of a deadly weapon, and sentenced to death which triggered an automatic appeal to the California Supreme Court. Following his arrest, and during a custodial interrogation, Henderson initially waived his Miranda rights. When asked if he was present at the scene of the crime, Henderson stated, "Uhm, there's some things that I, uhm, want uh ..." He was again asked if he was present and Henderson continued, "[want] uh, want to speak to an attorney first, because I, I take responsibility for me, but there's other people that..."

Under established Miranda law, officers must terminate a custodial interrogation of a suspect when that individual invokes their right to counsel or to be silent. That being said, "various cases have held that a suspect's use of equivocal words or phrases does not constitute a clear request for counsel." A suspect must unambiguously assert his right to counsel or to remain silent. Courts objectively look to whether the suspect expressed their desire for counsel with sufficient clarity "that a reasonable police officer in the circumstances would understand the statement to be a request for an attorney." Courts have found the following statements to be equivocal and not an invocation: "maybe I should talk to a lawyer;" "[i]f you can bring me a lawyer;" "I think it'd probably be a good idea for me to get an attorney." In this case the court found that by stating, "[I] want to, speak to an attorney first," Henderson did not use equivocal language and the California Supreme Court found this was a violation of the Fifth Amendment.

# Department Press Releases

# Language Access Community Survey

About this survey: This survey is being conducted by San Francisco's Office of Civic Engagement and Immigrant Affairs (OCEIA) and the Immigrant Rights Commission to learn about how to improve language access for San Francisco communities.

The <u>survey</u> is anonymous and available in:

- English
- Español (Spanish)
- 繁體中文 (Traditional Chinese)
- Filipino
- 简体中文 (Simplified Chinese)
- Tiếng Việt (Vietnamese)
- العربية (Arabic)
- Русский (Russian)
- 한국어 (Korean)
- Tigrinya
- Amharic
- Samoa (Samoan)

#### Department Press Rel eases



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#### **NEWS RELEASE**

San Francisco, California 94158

October 5, 2021 21-188

#### San Francisco Police Make Arrest in Mission District Homicide

On October 1, 2021, San Francisco Police officers from Mission Station responded to the 1400 block of Treat Way regarding a homicide investigation. SFPD Homicide investigators were contacted by the San Francisco Medical Examiner's Office and were advised that a 34-year-old male victim died that day, and the death was likely a result of an unreported assault that occurred on Treat Way and Kamille Court on September 28, 2021.

Investigators contacted witnesses who said that the victim was with a group of people in the area of Treat Way and Kamille Court on the evening of September 28, 2021. The victim was approached by an unknown suspect who punched the victim in the face, which caused him to fall to the ground, and hit his head. The victim was privately transported to a local hospital where he later succumbed to his injuries.

Homicide investigators developed information that identified the suspect as 32-year-old Asafo la of San Francisco. On October 4, 2021, at approximately 10:30 p.m., la surrendered himself to San Francisco Homicide investigators. la was subsequently booked at San Francisco County Jail on one count of murder (187 PC), and failure to register as a sex registrant (290.012 PC).

While an arrest has been made this remains an open investigation. Anyone with information is asked to call the SFPD Tip Line at 1-415-575-4444 or Text a Tip to TIP411 and begin the text message with SFPD. You may remain anonymous.

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#### About the San Francisco Police Department:

The San Francisco Police Department stands for safety with respect for all. Hailed by the New York Times as a major city department "where police reform has worked," SFPD continues to break ground with its voluntary Collaborative Reform Initiative and its work on Mayor London Breed's ambitious Roadmap for Police Reforms. Since 2018, the department has worked in partnership with the California Department of Justice to implement 272 recommendations that aspire to make SFPD a national model of 21st Century policing. Follow our progress at https://sanfranciscopolice.org/reform.

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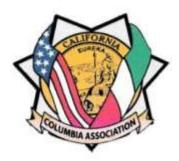
# ITALIAN HERITAGE PARADE

## ALL OFFICERS INVITED TO THE 153rd CELEBRATION

Sunday, October 10, 2021







Inviting all Italian American peace officers, other first responders, support staff and their families (or those wanting to be Italian for the day) to march in San Francisco's Historic 153rd Italian Heritage Parade on Sunday, October 10, 2021!

This is the oldest parade of its kind in the United States.

Meet between 10:00 and 10:30 a.m. in front of the SF Italian Athletic Club (1630 Stockton, between Filbert and Union Streets)

Free buffet for all first responders marching in the parade to follow at the Italian Athletic Club, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor (passes will be distributed), sponsored by the

## California Law Enforcement Columbia Association

(An Association of Italian American Public Safety Officers)

Come join SFPD along with the SF Sheriff's Department, CHP, US Park Police, the SF Fire Department and other Bay Area agencies. Join in the festivities and get a firsthand view of the love and respect that the Italian community, and all attendees, have for the SFPD and all Bay Area first responders.

# Family & Kids Welcome

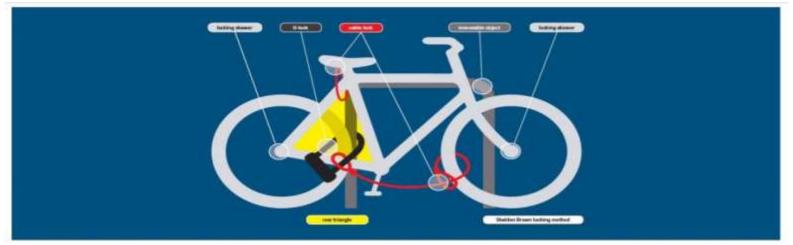
To participate or for more information, contact: SFPD Sergeant (R) Steve Smalley, Columbia Association Secretary/Treasurer at columbiaca@yahoo.com.

First responders marching in the parade should be in Class B uniform, long sleeve shirt and service hat. Retired SFPD officers are asked to wear commemorative Italian and/or department attire and display their star. All public safety officers from the Bay Area are invited to participate (approval to wear their uniforms must be obtained from their respective chief or command staff).

NOTE: On Saturday and Sunday, October 9 and 10 there will also be a Saints Peter and Paul School Bazaar (600 Filbert St.) for the entire community, family and kids. While all the festivities are taking place, the Blue Angels will also be flying overhead.

Mama Mia, So Much Fun.

Register your Bicycl es



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

Go to <a href="https://sfsafe.org/register-your-bike/">https://sfsafe.org/register-your-bike/</a> to register your bike!

## **SFSAFE's Mission**

SFSAFE engages, educates, and empowers San Franciscans to build safer neighborhoods through crime prevention, education, and public safety services that result in stronger, more vibrant and resilient communities.

SFSAFE's services provide people with the tools, knowledge and skills to help address and prevent crime and violence and to become advocates for safety and wellness in their neighborhoods. Most services are provided cost-free to the San Francisco community. Ultimately, SFSAFE's work is about working together to create a safer San Francisco.



https://sfsafe.org/

# SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT



Auxiliary Law Enforcement Response Team

# A.L.E.R.T.



Are you someone who is interested in disaster preparedness and wants to help out your community while working hand in hand with Law Enforcement? If so, then the ALERT program is for you!



The San Francisco Police Department Auxiliary Law Enforcement Response Team (ALERT) is a volunteer civilian disaster preparedness program. The ALERT program trains members of the public to assist Law Enforcement in various tasks after a major disaster, and in other identified non-disaster activities throughout the year.

Volunteers must be at least 16 years of age and must live, work, or attend school in San Francisco. ALERT volunteers must pass a basic DOJ/FBI background check and complete two 8-hour classes at the Police Academy to graduate. Active members must participate in one 4-hour drill in each calendar year to remain active but may also donate more time during various Station support and outreach activities throughout the year.

#### Day #1 Class

- Introduction to ALERT
- The Law
- Deployment Protocols
- Traffic Control
- Radio Communications.

#### Day #2 Class

- Conflict Resolution
- Medical Assistance
- . Missing Person Search
- Patrolling & Site Protection
- Graduation

#### 2020 NEW VOLUNTEER CLASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY 03/21 from 8 AM - 5 PM SATURDAY 05/30 & 06/06\* from 8 AM - 5 PM SATURDAY 09/26 & 10/03\* from 8 AM - 5 PM

\*Day #2 class must be completed within 12 months of Day #1

### **How To Join ALERT**

Contact Lt. Marina Chacon (SFPD Retired)
ALERT Program Coordinator
Phone: 415-558-5545

E-mail: sfpdalert@sfgov.org





Web: www.sf-police.org/alert Facebook: www.facebook.com/sfpdalert



The San Francisco Neighborhood Emergency Response Team (NERT) is free training from the San Francisco Fire Department in how to help yourself and your neighbors prepare for and respond to a disaster by working together. The 20-hour training includes personal preparedness, light search and rescue, disaster medicine, shutting off your utilities, and how to participate as a member of a neighborhood response team. NERT also offers continuing training for graduates, and activities that support building robust neighborhood teams.

For more information, visit the NERT website at <a href="http://sf-fire.org/NEIGHBORHOOD-EMERGENCY-RESPONSE-TEAM-NERT">http://sf-fire.org/NEIGHBORHOOD-EMERGENCY-RESPONSE-TEAM-NERT</a> or contact Captain Erica Arteseros at (415) 970-2022 or <a href="mailto:sffdnert@sfgov.org">sffdnert@sfgov.org</a>.



San Francisco Police Activities League



# LAW ENFORCEMENT CADETS

-Gain leadership and career skills
-Character development
-Community Service
-Internship at SFPD stations/Bureaus

4-Week summer training

Minimum qualifications:

- -14 20 years old
- Reside or attend school in San Francisco
  - Enrolled in high school/college
  - Have and maintain a 2.0 GPA
- Pass SFPD criminal history background check

Would you like to learn more about the program or SFPAL?
Please visit our website @sfpal.org or contact our office (415) 401-4666





# San Francisco Police Activities League



We offer the following programs to SF youth:

- Fishing
- Flag Football
- SFPAL 49ers
   Football & Cheer
- Jiu-jitsu
- CrossFit
- Law Enforcement Cadets
- Virtual Chess
- Virtual Art

# Building Community through Youth Sports and Healthy Activities









For More information or registration visit our website a stpal.org



SFPAL PO Box 31114 San Francisco, CA 94131

## SFPAL Annual Golf Tournament



Registration for the San Francisco Police Activities League Annual Golf Tournament Crystal Springs Golf Course is now open! Join them for a day of friendly competition in support of the many programs serving San Francisco youth. We hope to see you out on the course! Visit the SFPAL's website for more information.

https://www.sfpal.org/annual-golf-tournament

## Feedback provided by Community on crime trends or events

## 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 <u>sanfranciscopolice.org/feedback</u>. 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 <a href="http://sanfranciscopolice.org/police-commendation-complaint">http://sanfranciscopolice.org/police-commendation-complaint</a> for more information on providing input on SFPD policies and practices.)

## Help SFPD solve homicide cold cases.

https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/staysafe/ongoing-investigations/homicides-andcold-cases

## Other SFPD tip line

Narcotics Tip Line | San Francisco Police Department

Narcotics Tip Line 1-800-272-2548



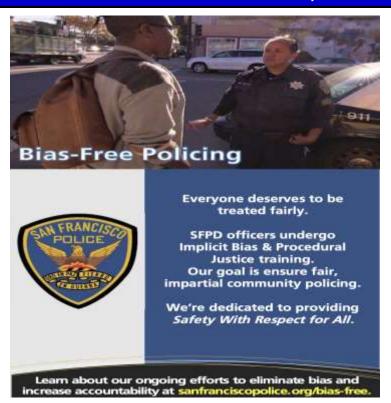
# CPAB-Project updates (provided monthly 1st week)

## September 2021

Community Police Advisory Board (CPAB) "CPABs" are community-oriented police advisory boards for each police district. Each CPAB, led by the District Captain for that police district, is comprised of approximately 10 to 15 committed volunteer community members and a representative from the Community Engagement Division of the SFPD. District Captains may choose more members if they wish to accomplish specific tasks. Each district's Board members live and/or work in the communities within that district, where a community may be either a neighborhood with specific needs or a specific demographic. Each member thus represents the diversity of their community. In addition to the district CPABs, there will also be a City-wide CPAB Steering Committee facilitated by SF Safety Awareness For Everyone (SAFE). Two representatives from each Community Police Advisory Board shall be selected to participate in this Committee, with the purpose of sharing information across districts.

Captain Falvey held his monthly CPAB meeting on 07/18. Time was spent discussing upcoming community events including National Night Out which is to be held August 3rd.

## Station / Department Vision and Values



A guiding principle of the San Francisco Police Department is its commitment to treating all people with dignity, fairness, and respect. It is crucial for our members to carry out their duties in a manner free from bias and eliminate any perception of policing that appears biased. Biased policing is unsafe, unjust, and ineffective. It also alienates the public, fosters distrust of police, and undermines legitimate law enforcement efforts.

The SFPD is dedicated to ensuring our officers and professional staff provide unbiased, quality service to the diverse communities we work for. Our goal is to provide fair and positive interactions between San Francisco officers and the people we are proud to serve.

https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/your-sfpd/policies/bias-free-policing





la responsabilidad en: sanfranciscopolice.org/bias-free.

## Station / Department Vision and Values

# 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:

- Apply with the City and County of San Francisco at <u>www.jobaps.com/sf</u> (Entry Level (Q-2) Police Officer)
- Go to 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 3rd Street, 5th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94158

Phone: 415-837-7270 Fax: 415-575-6095



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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.

## Contact numbers and emails

EMERGENCY: 911

Non-Emergency: 553-0123

Cell Phone 911: 911

SF Services Center: 311 / www.sf311.org

Southern Station: 575-6000

sfpdsouthernstation@sfgov.org

Captain Timothy Falvey 575-6000

sfpdsouthernstation@sfgov.org

Patrol Lieutenants 575-6000

Anonymous Tip-Line 552-4901

SF S.A.F.E. 553-1984 community@sfsafe.org

Website: <u>SFPD Southern Station Website</u>

SFPD Tip Line: 575-4444

Text a Tip: 847411 (Tip 411)

SF Homeless Outreach: HSOC 734-4233

Graffiti Abatement: 278-9454

Southern Events: 575-6000 Sgt. D. McDonnell

Southern Permits/ Code Abatement: 575-6000 Ofc. L. Gabriel

Deputy DA, Southern: 553-9407

Dept. of Parking & Traffic: 553-1943

DPW Dispatch 311

D6 Supervisor

Deputy City Attorney 554-3887 - Jennifer Choi

Matt.Haney@sfgov.org

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https://sfbos.org/roster-members

https://sfbos.org/supervisor-haney-district-6

