



# Park Station Newsletter



Friday, December 28, 2018



## Captain Bailey's Message

**Captain Una Bailey**  
Commanding Officer  
Park Station

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Hello all,

I hope you are enjoying the holiday festivities and again we here at Park Station would like to wish you all a happy and safe holiday season.

I wanted to take a moment to thank all my officers at Park Station for their attention to duty and for their service to the community and the District. Each day much is asked of my officers and they rise to the occasion each and every time. This year Park Station has welcomed six new babies to the rank and file, we had one promotion, we had four retirements, three marriages, eight officers who sustained injuries enough to keep them off duty for an extended period of time and nine family deaths. That was quite a year and in between all those life events they still managed to keep our district safer than ever. Thank you.

As we approach the new year, I want to wish you all a happy, healthy and safe 2019.

Remember always take the time to be safe

Captain Una Bailey



**Next Community Meeting:**

Tuesday,  
February 12, 2019  
7:00p.m.-8:00p.m.

Park Station's  
Community Room  
1899 Waller Street

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## HOLIDAY PARTY WITH MERCY HOUSING

During this holiday season, Captain Bailey and Park Station Officers wanted to provide a nice, warm meal to an assisted living center. With our funds, Park Station could host a Holiday party dinner that could feed approximately 18– 24 individuals. Thankfully, we were able to contact Amy Goodwin of Mercy Housing located at 55 Laguna St (cross of Hermann Street), and we were able to arranged a Holiday turkey dinner for the residence of this facility.

On Tuesday, December 18, 2018, Park Station Officer Davies, Officer Wu, and Officer Deignan, went to the Diamond Heights Safeway to picked up three entire (3) turkeys, with an assortment of delicious holiday sides, which included the following- mashed potatoes, stuffing, corn, and cranberry sauce. Officer Davies, Officer Wu, and Officer Deignan delivered this abundance to the Mercy Housing. The residences were so grateful and happy to receive such a delightful meal that was provided for their holiday party.

Thank you to the San Francisco Police Department Community Engagement Division, and Amy Goodwin for allowing Park Station to provide the opportunity to donate the Holiday turkey meal to Mercy Housing.



### COFFEE WITH A COP

On Monday, 12/17/18, at approximately 9:30am to 10:30am, SFPD's Park Station held the "Coffee with a Cop" event at Peet's Coffee and Tea, located at 310 Broderick Street, where officers, and the community members conversed over their selected beverage of choice. This "Coffee with a Cop" went well, and had approximately 10 members of the community attend, and engage in conversations regarding quality of life issues, and concerns pertaining to the neighborhood. In attendance from Park Station was Captain Bailey, Lieutenant Caturay, Lieutenant Anderson, Sergeant Neill, Sergeant, Sergeant Meyer, Officer Davies, Officer Wu, and Officer Deignan. Officers fielded questions about law enforcement issues and quality of life concerns pertaining to the neighborhood. Park Station appreciates the members of the community, who participated, and engaged in several substantive conversations about the Park District.

Special thanks to the manager, Gabriel Valdez, of Peet's Coffee and Tea for being so accommodating, and allowing Park Station to have our "Coffee with a Cop" at their establishment. Thank you to all who participated with this "Coffee with a Cop" event!!!



## SOCK AND BLANKET DRIVE

For the past 8 years, Officers Ryan Crockett and Jeffrey Sung, have reached out to our community members to help the less fortunate, by providing clean blankets, and socks to those that have possibly neither during the holidays. On Officers Crockett and Sung's own time and dime, they buy blankets and socks to distribute to those who are less fortunate and do not have blankets and/or socks, while also providing city services.

This year, Captain Bailey and Park Station's Outreach Officer Jeffrey Sung, Officer Jason Zimiga, Officer Laura Cremen, and Haight Street Foot Beat Officer Lily Prillinger helped distribute 200 pairs of socks and ten (10) blankets to individuals in need throughout the Park District.



**SUPERVISOR OF THE MONTH**

**Captain Bailey has named**  
**Sergeant Joseph Salazar as the Supervisor Of**  
**The Month for December.**

Sergeant Joseph Salazar has been with the San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) for 24 years. In the beginning of Sergeant Salazar career, he was sent to Central Station for Field Training, then transferred to Ingleside Station, where he completed his probationary period, and remained at Ingleside Station for his permanent assignment. During his time as an officer, Sergeant Salazar also worked at the following Units: Mission Station, Southern Station, Narcotics, and Violence Reduction Team (VRT).

In 2013, Sergeant Salazar was promoted to the rank of Sergeant, and completed his probation year at Taraval Station. For his permanent assignment, Sergeant Salazar was transferred to Park Station, where he supervised the plainclothes/ undercover unit. Sergeant Salazar is currently working Park Patrol.

During Sergeant Salazar's career, he has been awarded two (2) Silver Medals of Valor, along with numerous Captains' Commendations, and Police Commission Awards.

In 1989, Sergeant Salazar joined the Marine Corp, where he was stationed at the Marine Base in Yuma, Arizona. Sergeant Salazar did a tour of duty during Desert Storm. Sergeant Salazar ranked at Corporal, and was a Marine Corp Reserve in the Bay Area.

Before becoming a Police Officer, Sergeant Salazar always was interested in Criminal Justice, and while attending San Jose State University (SJSU) major in Administrative Justice. In 1995, Sergeant Salazar graduated from SJSU, where he earned his Bachelor's Degree of Science.

Sergeant Salazar enjoys sports, especially baseball. Sergeant Salazar has been a member of the San Francisco Baseball Club for over 15 years. Sergeant Salazar, and his wife are life-long San Francisco bay area residence.

Sergeant Salazar enjoys law enforcement and is committed to duty to serve the City of San Francisco. Sergeant Salazar likes to supervise hard working police officers, who take pride in their work.

**OFFICERS OF THE MONTH**

In the above photo (left to right),  
Officer Jeremy Cummings, Officer Kamakana Alvaro, and  
Lieutenant Christopher Wilhelm.

Captain Una Bailey has named Officer Jeremy Cummings and  
Officer Kamakana Alvaro as **Officers Of The Month for December.**

Officer Jeremy Cummings and Officer Kamakana Alvaro were awarded the Bronze Medal of Valor for an incident that involved a man, who had shot his mother, and barricaded himself in a house. While the male subject was still armed with a firearm, several Officers, including Officer Cummings and Officer Kamakana, ran up the stairs of the house and rescued the mother, so she could get immediate medical treatment. After a 15 hour stand-off, the male subject eventually surrendered.

Officer Cummings has been with the San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) for 12 years. Officer Cummings began his career at Tenderloin Station for Field Training, completed his probationary period at Central Station, and was assigned to Mission Station. After 7 years at Mission Station, Officer Cummings transferred to Park Station, where he has worked for the past 4 years. Officer Cummings has chosen to spend most of his career working the midnight shift at each station.

Before becoming a Police Officer, Officer Cummings was the Director of a college IT/Computer Department, while earning his Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice. Officer Cummings knew he did not want an office job, and an internship with the New Hampshire State Police convinced him to enter into Law Enforcement and join SFPD. Officer Cummings said, "I have loved every minute and have not looked back at that office job since joining the Police Department".

Besides working and patrolling the Haight Street area, Officer Cummings spends his time being a family man to his 3 children as well as riding motorcycles. Officer Cummings looks forward to one day being assigned as a motorcycle officer, and riding around the hills of San Francisco.

## OFFICERS OF THE MONTH



In the above photo,  
Captain Bailey, Officer Alvaro, and  
his family.



In the above photo,  
Captain Bailey, Officer Cummings, with  
his family and friends.

Officer Alvaro has worked for the SFPD for 10 years, and he has enjoyed the last 4 years of his career at Park Station. Officer Alvaro currently works as the Haight Street Foot Beat for the Midnight Watch, and does an amazing job patrolling Haight Street. Officer Alvaro enjoys walking Haight Street, and talking with various community members. Officer Alvaro appreciates the assortment of characters and great individuals that make his shift a breeze to work.

Officer Alvaro was honored to receive the Bronze Medal of Valor along with Jeremy Cummings. Officer Alvaro stated he has always looked up to Officer Cummings for his guidance and mentorship. Officer Alvaro also stated that “Jeremy and I just happened to be in a place, where we could help and act. Some individuals would say that our actions were heroic, but Jeremy and I both agree that we did what Officers just do.”

In Officer Alvaro spare time away from work, he enjoys Jiu Jitsu because it has taught him patience and humility. Officer Alvaro says Jiu Jitsu would benefit all Officers and would be a great addition to the training curriculum.

Officer Alvaro contributes his success to his family because of their support - he has the courage and strength to suit up daily in his police uniform. Officer Alvaro has a wonderful wife, Marisela, and two kids - Mariana (4) and Matias (2). Officer Alvaro says, he “would not be able to do anything without their love and support”.

## CITIZEN OF THE MONTH



**Rick Johnson with Mayor London Breed at Park Station's National Night Out 2017**

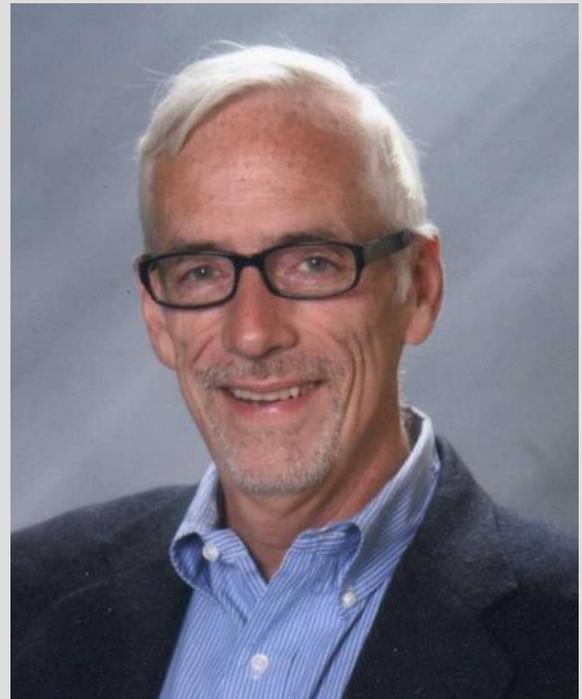
*Congratulation* to Rick Johnson, who has been selected by Captain Bailey as Citizen of the Month for December 2018.

Rick Johnson has been active in neighborhood and civic affairs since his retirement in 2007. In 2010, Rick joined the Board of Directors of the Midtown Terrace Home Owners Association, and was president for five (5) years. The Midtown Terrace neighborhood, on the slopes of Twin Peaks, has flourished in recent years with many neighborhood events. They are hosts to an annual Easter Egg Hunt, Block Party, Halloween event, and Holiday Party, as well as numerous other events. The neighborhood was instrumental in working with Precita Eyes to obtain funding to install the Twin Peaks mural opposite the Forest Hills Muni station.

In June 2016, Rick joined the Park Station Community Police Advisory Board (CPAB) and has participated in most of the CPAB events including National Night Out, Officer Appreciation Day, and various activities at the station. Rick's younger brother, Ron, is the Undersheriff of Yuba County, which helps explain his appreciation of law enforcement.

Rick has also been a member of the District 7 Neighborhood Council, the San Francisco Pedestrian Safety Advisory Council and currently sits on the San Francisco Commission on Aging and Adult Services Advisory Council.

Park Station would like to thank Rick Johnson for all his help and dedication not only to Park Station, but also our community.



Rick Johnson

**SOME OF PARK STATION'S ARRESTS FOR THE WEEK****Warrant Arrest, Local SF Warrant, Civil Sidewalks, Booking/ Area of Haight St. -12/17/18 09:34**

While on patrol officers observed a subject sitting on the sidewalk in violation of the city's sit lie ordinance. A computer check revealed the subject had a local arrest warrant, subject was placed under arrest and transported to County Jail.

**Driving, No License Issued, Traffic Violation Arrest/ Area of 17th St. -12/17/18 12:39**

Officers observed a vehicle with a torn/partial paper license plate on the front bumper in violation of 5200(a) CVC. Officers effected a traffic stop, a computer records check revealed the driver had not been issued a driver's license. Driver was issued a citation.

**Municipal Code Violation, Resisting, Delaying, or Obstructing Peace Officer Duties, Weapon, Carrying Concealed/ Area of Ashbury Street. -12/19/18 10:20**

While on patrol, officers observed a group of dogs running off leash in the area next to a children's playground in violation of the basic leash law. Officers conducted a records check on all dog owners, results revealed two of the subject had warrants for their arrest. During this interaction one of the subject kept trying to walk away from the scene, subject was told to stay still but officers struggled to gain control of the subject. Subject then refused to comply with the officer's commands and directions. Officers were able to handcuff the subject. Officers conducted a search of the subject and found a concealed dagger on his outer right jacket pocket. Subject was placed under arrest and transported to County Jail.

**Warrant Arrest, Enroute to Outside Jurisdiction/ Area of Oak St. -12/20/18 10:42**

While on patrol officers observed two known subjects sleeping in the area of Oak St. A computer query check revealed that one of the subjects had an outstanding warrant for his arrest. Subject was placed under arrest and transported to County Jail.

**Malicious Mischief, vandalism To Property, Alcohol, Under Influence of in Public place/ Area of Hayes St. -12/20/19 02:20**

Officers responded to a call regarding a verbal argument occurring on the sidewalk. Upon arrival officers observed an unknown subject stumbling on the sidewalk of Hayes St. Subject had no shoes on and walked with an unsteady gait. Officers determined the Subject was under the influence. Subject was detained for public intoxication.

**Warrant Arrest, Enroute to Adult Authority, Park Code Violation/ Area of Fell St. -12/21/18 04:22**

While on patrol officers observed an individual standing with several bags, officers made contact with the individual and advised him that he was in violation of being in the park after hours. Officers conducted a warrant / record check, which revealed the individual had an outstanding warrant for his arrest. The individual was transported to County Jail where he was booked.

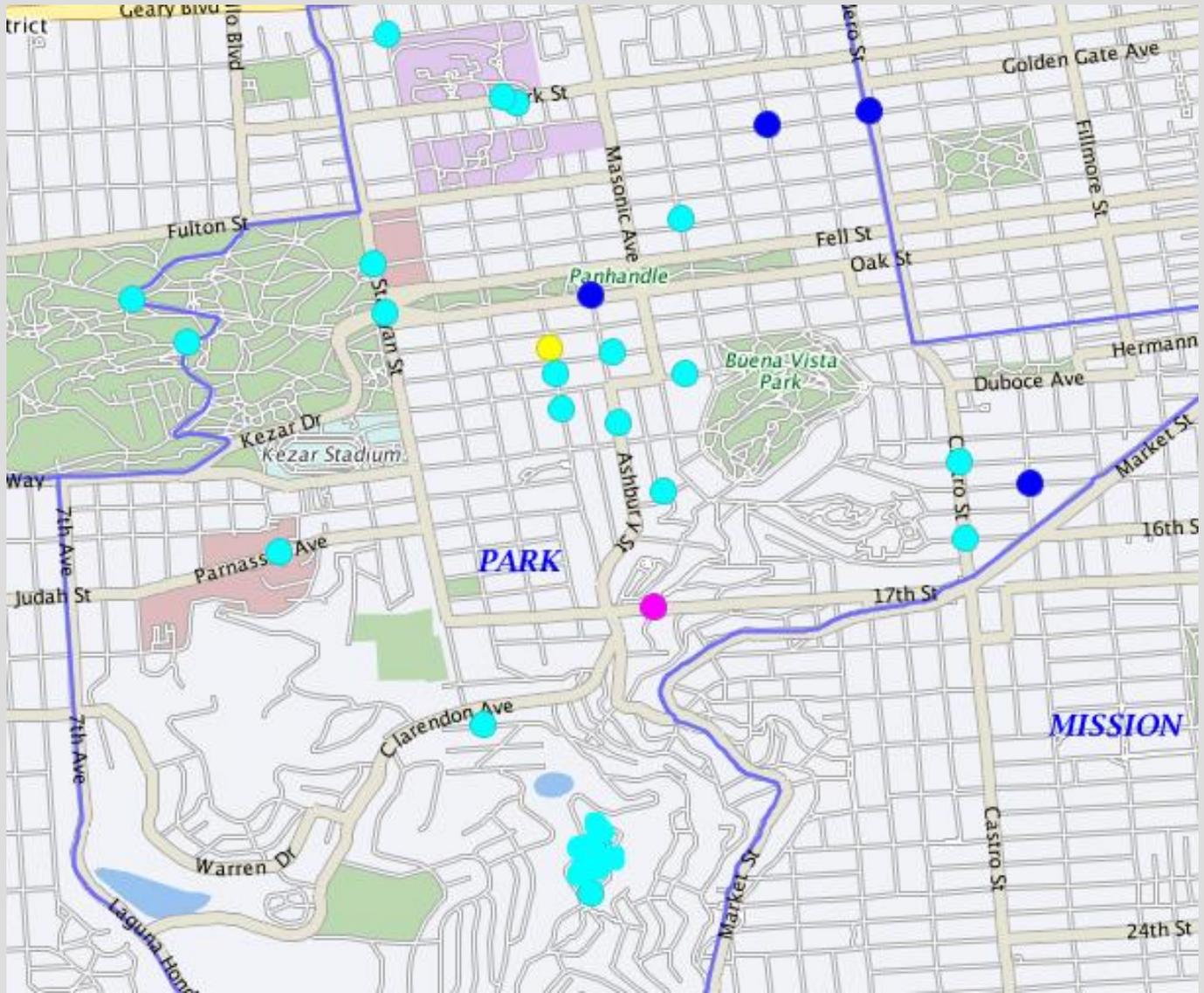
**TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT**

On Tuesday, December 11, 2018, from 6:00am –11:00am and 4:00pm-2:00am, units were assigned to conduct traffic enforcement operations—in the area of Roosevelt Way, the Haight Street Corridor and the Stanyan Street Corridor. Twenty Six (26) total citations were issued to drivers for failure to stop at posted sign, yielding the right of way to pedestrians, U-turn in a business district, and expired registrations.

**Please be careful and safe, this holiday season!!!**

**DISTRICT CRIME MAP**

**Various Crimes that occurred in the Park District  
(from Monday, 12/17/18 to Sunday, 12/23/18)**



- = Auto Burglaries
- = Robbery
- = Assaults
- = Burglary

**THEFT FROM VEHICLE****Theft from a Vehicle:****(25 reported incidents of theft from vehicles occurred from 12/17/18 to 12/23/18)**

INCIDENT TYPE	DATE / TIME	LOCATION	SUSPECT DESCRIPTION	SUSPECT VEHICLE
Theft, From Locked Vehicle, >\$950	12/17/2018 12:40:00 PM	Sanyan St	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Locked Vehicle	12/17/2018 5:30:00 PM	Mountain Spring Ave	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Locked Vehicle	12/17/2018 8:15:00 PM	Christmas Tree Point Rd	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/17/2018 8:15:00 PM	Christmas Tree Point Rd	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/18/2018 4:30:00 PM	Henry Street / Castro Street	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/18/2018 10:45:00 PM	Parnassus Ave.	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/19/2018 3:45:00 PM	John F Kennedy Dr	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/19/2018 5:40:00 PM	Clayton St	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/19/2018 6:00:00 PM	Clayton St.	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Locked Vehicle,	12/19/2018 7:45:00 PM	Christmas Tree Point Road	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Locked Vehicle	12/20/2018 1:14:00 PM	Parker Ave. / Anza St.	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/20/2018 2:00:00 PM	CHRISTMAS TREE POINT RD	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle,	12/20/2018 2:10:00 PM	CHRISTMAS TREE POINT RD	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle,	12/20/2018 2:35:00 AM	CHRISTMAS TREE POINT RD	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/20/2018 7:30:00 PM	CHRISTMAS TREE POINT RD	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle,	12/20/2018 7:53:00 PM	CHRISTMAS TREE POINT RD.	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle,	12/21/2018 3:25:00 PM	CHRISTMAS TREE POINT RD	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/21/2018 7:00:00 PM	16 <sup>th</sup> Street	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle,	12/22/2018 6:00:00 AM	Roselyn Terrace	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle,	12/22/2018 11:30:00 AM	CHRISTMAS TREE POINT RD	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/22/2018 8:30:00 PM	Haight St.	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/23/2018 9:35:00 AM	CHRISTMAS TREE POINT RD	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/23/2018 1:00:00 PM	Waller St.	Unknown	Unknown
Theft, From Vehicle	12/23/2018 6:45:00 PM	Christmas Tree Point Road	Unknown	Unknown

**AGGRAVATED ASSAULTS / ROBBERY****Aggravated Assault Incidents:****(1 reported incident of aggravated assaults occurred from 12/17/18 to 12/23/18)**

INCIDENT TYPE	DATE / TIME	LOCATION	SUSPECT DESCRIPTION	SUSPECT VEHICLE
Assault, Aggravated, W/Other Weapon	12/22/2018 4:33:00 PM	500 block of Clayton St	Unknown	Unknown

**Burglary Incidents:****(2 reported incidents of burglary occurred from 12/17/18 to 12/23/18)**

INCIDENT TYPE	DATE / TIME	LOCATION	SUSPECT DESCRIPTION	SUSPECT VEHICLE
Burglary, Residence, Forcible Entry	12/20/2018 5:00:00 PM	900 block of Laguna Honda Blvd.	Unknown	Unknown
Burglary, Store, Forcible Entry	12/23/2018 4:10:00 AM	4400 block of 17 <sup>th</sup> Street	Unknown	Unknown

**Robbery:****(5 reported incidents of robbery occurred from 12/17/18 to 12/23/18)**

INCIDENT TYPE	DATE / TIME	LOCATION	SUSPECT DESCRIPTION	SUSPECT VEHICLE
Robbery, Street or Public Place, W/ Force	12/18/18 10:30:00 PM	McAllister St/ Baker St	(S1) BM, 20-30, 6'00", Blk (S2) BM, 20-30, 6'00"	N/A
Robbery, W/ Force	12/19/18 8:30:00 PM	Ashbury St/ Oak St	(S1) UM, 20-30, 5'06", 140 (S2) Unk	Unk Gray Sedan, 4DR
Robbery, Att., W/ Force	12/20/2018 7:24:00 PM	2100 block of OFARRELL ST	Unknown	N/A
Robbery, Street or Public Place, W/ Force	12/20/2018 9:00:00 PM	Noe St.	Unknown	Unknown
Robbery, W/ Force	12/22/2018 2:20:00 AM	1600 block of McAllister Street	Unknown	Unknown

**S.F. SAFE HOLIDAY TIPS**

**BE AWARE OF  
BLESSING SCAMS**

**Be aware of strangers.**

**Do not easily believe in what strangers say.**

**Keep a distance from strangers.**

**Do not follow strangers anywhere.**

**Do not let strangers touch you.**

**Do not withdraw money at banks with strangers.**

**Do not bring strangers home.**

**Be aware if strangers ask for money.**

**Before withdrawing large sums of money/valuables,  
discuss with your family first.**

**If you are in doubt, stay calm and call 9-1-1 immediately!**

For language assistance, state the language you speak such as  
"Cantonese" or "Mandarin"



**Blessing Scam Chinese Hotline: (415) 553-9212  
(Voice Mail Only)**



# S.F. SAFE HOLIDAY TIPS



# ENJOY A SAFE HOLIDAY

## BE AN ALERT SHOPPER!

*Tips for personal safety, property safety, pick-pocketing prevention, identify theft, and identifying suspicious activities*



Be alert and aware of your surroundings at all times. Alert security if you notice any of the following in any public space:

- Unattended packages
- Persons exhibiting
- Suspicious chemical smells or pungent odors erratic or nervous behavior
- Anyone tampering with surveillance cameras
- People wearing bulky or inappropriate clothing which may be used to conceal threatening devices or objects

If you see something...**SAY SOMETHING!**

### SAFETY RESOURCES

Emergencies: **9-1-1**  
 Non-emergencies: (415) 553-0123  
 City Services: 3-1-1

SAFE: [sfsafe.org](http://sfsafe.org) | (415) 553-1984  
 SFPD: [sanfranciscopolice.org](http://sanfranciscopolice.org)  
 SFFD NERT: [sfgov.org/sfnert](http://sfgov.org/sfnert)  
 SF Park Smart: <https://sfgov.org/park-smart>  
 District Attorney: [sfdistrictattorney.org](http://sfdistrictattorney.org)  
 National Crime Prevention Council: [ncpc.org](http://ncpc.org)



# S.F. SAFE HOLIDAY TIPS



- Bring only the cash and credit cards you need
- Do not carry your social security card/passport
- Don't let others distract you in crowded areas
- Limit the use of your cellphone in public
- Avoid distracted walking

## PERSONAL SAFETY



## PICK-POCKETS & THEFT

- Bring only the cash and credit cards you need
- Do not carry your social security card/passport
- Don't let others distract you in crowded areas
- Limit the use of your cellphone in public



## HOME BURGLARY PREVENTION

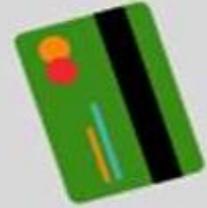
- If you are traveling, ask a neighbor to watch the house
- Put timers on various lights around interior/exterior of the house
- Have newspapers, mail, and deliveries held or picked up by someone you trust to avoid package theft.



## AUTO BREAK-INS

- Leave nothing visible in the car, if you love it, don't leave it!
- Keep doors & trunk of vehicles locked
- Avoid placing packages in vehicle/trunk then returning to shopping without moving vehicle to another location
- Never leave a GPS system or mount visible

- Shop only at secure websites
- Do not respond to emails asking for personal/credit card information
- Check your credit card & bank statements regularly for fraudulent use



## CREDIT CARDS & IDENTITY THEFT

# 5 Ways to Protect Mail & Packages



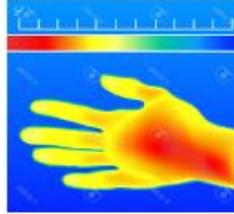
**SAFE VIDEO SURVEILLANCE RECOMMENDATIONS**

SEPTEMBER 2018



**HIGH RESOLUTION**

If you connect your camera to a DVR or other device, it will also need to be HD Compatible.



**INFRARED (IR)**

Built-in IR cut-switch that automatically enables/disables the infrared depending on the light conditions.

**IN THE KNOW**

The camera's viewing angle determines how much space the camera will cover. Wider angled lenses help cut down the # of cameras required for overall coverage. Video Surveillance should be utilized at your property with at least one camera facing towards the address street and camera should be registered with the District Attorney's office

**REGISTER YOUR CAMERA**

[sfdistrictattorney.org/register-your-camera](http://sfdistrictattorney.org/register-your-camera)

**RING SYSTEM**  
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(Basic) Video Doorbell Battery-powered	Video Doorbell #2 Quick-release battery	Pro Hardwired
		
(Basic) Spotlight Cam LED spotlights and siren	Mounted LED spotlights and siren	Alarm Security Kit (Not Central Monitored)

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**SAFE and SFPD recommend the use of Closed Circuit Television System for Video Surveillance**

CCTV relies on strategic placement of cameras, and observation of the camera's input captured on monitors.

**DISCLAIMER**

The information provided is intended to assist you in improving the overall level of security of your home or property. It is not intended to replace existing or proposed security measures.

SAFE and SFPD do not endorse any particular company and their cameras.

The cameras found on this document are the most commonly used for residential dwellings.

# SAFE VIDEO SURVEILLANCE RECOMENDATIONS



Arlo Pro 2 (Arlo.com)

**FEATURES**

- View and Record in wide-screen from remote viewing
- Pre-Installed 500GB Hard Drive (expandable) up to 3TB
- Longer recording times (up to 30 days) available with use of motion detection and/or resolution adjustments
  - IP 66 indoor/outdoor weatherproof cameras
  - 24 LEDs for night vision



Amcrest.com (CCTV)

**FEATURES**

- Works with Alexa for voice control
- Flexible powering options use wire-free, plugged in
  - 7 Days of Cloud Recordings
  - 855 nm LEDs for night vision(25 ft)
- Arlo Smart adds powerful intelligence to your cameras. Customize alerts to detect people, specific zones, and contact first responders right from your smart phone's lock screen (optional service, includes 1-month trial)

**Overview**

**Note:** The following information is specific to commercial and retail establishments; however, can be applied to any location utilizing video surveillance.

Basic set up and maintenance problems can reduce the effectiveness of many systems.

- Resolution – is it good enough for facial recognition.
- Camera position – are they positioned for clear view of suspect.
- Lighting – is it adequate to capture clear images both day and night.
- Image detail – is the recorder set up for best image detail.
- Maintenance – are you maintaining your system properly so it can do its job when needed?

**Set Up and Maintenance**

- **Backlighting** – when sun is bright at doorway, images in front appear darker or even black. Use another light source inside to counteract back light.
- **Low Frame Rate** – saves on drive space and gives better image quality, but you may not get an image at all (now you see him; now you don't).
- **Obstructions** – displays and other objects blocking view **should be eliminated.**
- **Focus Problems** – must check system regularly to prevent.

Minimum camera resolution should be **480 horizontal lines.**

Good cameras have **faster lenses** (allows more lighting), larger maximum **aperture** opening (lets more light into the focal point of the camera) and controls image brightness (allows brighter images in dim lighting) – the more lighting, the more depth of field (greater depth of field; the more of the scene is in focus).

**Focal Length** – some cameras zoom in and out while others have a fixed focal length. The type of cameras used depends on what your needs are.

**Transaction Areas** – anything at a transaction point (cash register, toll booth, etc.), the subject's head should fill at least 15% of the total image in the frame, giving the detail you need.

**Lines of Sight** – lines of sight are always critical, make sure there are no obstructions.

**Site Plan** – the right site plan is crucial (retail store blueprint or **diagram**). Key camera spots are at transaction points (cash registers and entry/exit points) – the more cameras, the better.

You want good camera **overlap** (you want multiple chances to capture good images). Extra coverage is also needed for aisles, restrooms and other key points.

**Camera Height** – placement is very important, make sure it is as close to eye-level as possible. Otherwise, you might lose out to a baseball cap.

With a good site plan you can make sure you don't have any blind spots (you can toy around with camera positions, and do a test recording to see that you are getting what you want).

**Interior Lighting** – interior lighting can balance bright light from one direction (back lighting) by adding another light source from a different location (add a bank of lights).

Example: Artificial lighting (**inside store**) for cameras may be good in the morning, but by noon, the sun (through a doorway or window) can blow the entire frame out (add lighting to fill in for afternoon sunlight). Adding more light from a different direction balances lighting, giving better camera clarity (if sunlight is shining through large windows you can tent windows or add screens.

**Exterior Lighting** – if lights are on timers, you must adjust appropriate to seasonal changes (Fall/Winter: gets dark earlier. Spring/Summer: gets dark later).

**For more information please contact San Francisco SAFE, | Phone - (415) 553-1984 | Email - [info@sfsafe.org](mailto:info@sfsafe.org)**

**PARK SMART CAMPAIGN**

**WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!**

San Francisco residents continue to be victims of vehicle break-ins. No matter how long you leave your vehicle unattended, please remove all valuable items.

**Park  
Smart!**

**If you love it, don't leave it.  
Car thieves only need  
seconds to break in and  
steal your valuables.**



San Francisco Police Department  
Park Station

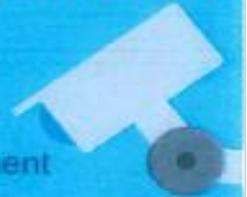
# DON'T BE A VICTIM OF A BURGLARY!

## 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.



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### 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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Whether you live in a single family home, condo, or a large apartment complex in San Francisco, there are a number of ways you can keep your residence safe and secure. Working together as a community with your neighbors and building management can significantly improve your residential safety.

7 Residential Safety Tips



- 1 **Garage:** When entering or leaving the garage, watch to ensure door shuts completely. Lock stored bikes to a sturdy rack.
- 2 **Car:** Always lock your vehicle when parked in your garage and remove all valuables. Never leave garage door opener in your vehicle when parked outside your home.
- 3 **Spare Key:** Never hide spare keys. If you need to have a spare key available, leave it with a trusted neighbor.

- 4 **Door Buzzer:** When a visitor rings your bell, confirm who it is by intercom before you grant them access. Similarly, never let strangers follow you through the front door.
- 5 **Security Cameras & Alarm Systems:** Cost effective tools for preventing crime and identifying criminals.
- 6 **Light Timers:** Installing timers on the exterior of your residence is an effective and energy efficient way to deter criminal activity.
- 7 **Doors/Windows:** Always keep doors and windows locked.

Door and Window Safety

Doors:

- Should be made of solid wood or metal
- Have a single cylinder deadbolt lock and a 1-inch bolt
- Have a front door viewer or peep hole with a 180-degree range
- Clearly display unit number

Windows:

- Replace if glass is cracked and replace all damaged or missing locks
- Ground level windows should be burglary resistant: consider purchasing windows with reinforcement wire, laminate, or tempered glass
- Polycarbonate plastic or metal grates can be installed over existing ground level windows
- Windows above ground level are not considered secure: if used for ventilation, lock in position and keep open no more than 3 inches

Keep property in good repair. Maintain visibility to your neighbors for increased safety.



San Francisco SAFE

Empowering Communities to Create a Safer San Francisco

- Neighborhood Watch
- Community Organizing
- Security Assessments
- Safety Education

sfsafe.org  
415-553-1984



## WHO AND WHEN TO CALL?

**3-1-1:** Please contact 3-1-1 when the issue is a not an emergency, yet requires City services or, if you simply have questions regarding City services. Non-emergency situations include the following examples: damage to public property, public trees that requires pruning, defective streets or sidewalks, homeless-related issues. 3-1-1 was developed to help the community inform the appropriate City agency regarding a service request.

**Non- Emergency San Francisco Dispatch Line:** Please call the non- emergency dispatch line **(415-553-0123)** when the scenario does not need immediate response from the San Francisco Police Department. For example, if there is a loud party, a group of loud juveniles loitering in front of your residence, noise complaints, doubled parked vehicles, suspicious activities, or a homeless/nuisance related issue. **The non-emergency line is for situations that require the police, but do not require an immediate police response.**

**9-1-1, please call 9-1-1 immediately if there is a police, fire, medical, or any other emergency.** The purpose of San Francisco's 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone System is to provide the community an immediate response of police, fire, or medical personnel for emergency occurrences. To accomplish this, it is imperative that the calls received on the 9-1-1 line be restricted to those situations that require immediate dispatching of police, paramedic, or fire department personnel. For example, crimes or fires that are in-progress, or medical emergencies.

The San Francisco Police Department district station telephone numbers and emails are not monitored. Questions will be answered in the order we receive them. Station emails are not for making police reports nor for reporting a crime. If you need to make a police report, you can call 415-553-0123 or go to your district police station. **If you have an emergency, please call 9-1-1.**

The photo to the right shows  
dispatchers hard at work



**INTERIM USE OF 730 STANYAN STREET**

If the interim use of this location is important to you then you should contact the Mayor's office of Housing and Community Development at the below listed website.

<http://sfmohcd.org/730-stanyan>



**THE NEXT  
COMMUNITY MEETING  
IS ON  
TUESDAY, 02/12/19.**



**PARK STATION'S VISION & VALUES****Captain Una Bailey**

I absolutely love police work and I love all that we as SFPD can do to help victims, solve and prevent crimes, and I am a firm believer in the power of the community. We, as a department, are only as successful as our partnerships with the community. I learned very early in my career how important community involvement is both in solving and preventing crimes and also in the creation of safe desirable neighborhoods. I look forward to building and maintaining community involvement and relationships over the coming years. I know that when we work together, we will create a district that will be safe and sound for all.

**PARK STATION'S SOCIAL MEDIA**

San Francisco Police Department



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Read Our Park Station Newsletters!

Please follow the link below to subscribe to our newsletter:

<http://sanfranciscopolice.org/park-newsletters>

Please follow us on Twitter:

[@SFPDPark](https://twitter.com/SFPDPark)

For any questions or concerns, please contact us at Park Station's email:

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

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Emergency Crimes in progress: **911**

SFPD Non Emergency line: **415-553-0123**

Park Station Tip line: **415-731-2865**

Operation Outreach Homeless Issues: **415-309-0806**

Park District Special Events: Sgt. Meyer: **415-242-3032**

Park District Permits: Officer Wu: **415-242-3033**

SFPD Website [www.sfgov.org/police](http://www.sfgov.org/police) (Includes on-line reporting of Theft, Lost Property, Vandalism, Vehicle Burglary or Tampering, Harassing Phone Calls. The SFPD website also provides crime maps.)

SAFE - 415-553-1984, call to learn more about SAFE, schedule a home assessment or start a neighborhood watch.

311: Call **3-1-1** / TTY: **415-701-2323**.

**For any questions or concerns, please contact us at Park Station's email:**

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