



Taraval Station Newsletter Mini Updates



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Community Members,

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Be aware that the partial Northbound 19th Ave Road Closure will impact traffic this weekend. (Page 4)

Mark your calendar for Coffee with a Cop on Tuesday 7/17/18 in the morning and Captain's community meting in the evening. National Night Out is on 8/07/18. Read on for more info and locations. (Page 2&3)

In this issue, you will find information on events that are happening in our district and around the city. This issue also contains the current crime statistics for robbery, burglary and theft from vehicles.

As always, if you have any questions, call Taraval Station at 415 -759-3100.



Captain Robert Yick Commanding Officer Taraval Station



Next Community Meeting: Tue., July 17, 2018 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Taraval Station Community Room

Thank you for subscribing to our Newsletter.

Please follow us on:

Twitter:

@SFPDTaraval

Website: http:// www.taraval.org







Join Us Tuesday, August 7, 2018!

National Night Out is an annual community-building campaign designed to promote neighborhood camaraderie and strengthen the relationship between police and communities to help make our neighborhoods safer places to live.



Meet your Neighbors at SFPD Taraval Station's National Night Out When: August 7, 2018, 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm Where: Playland Community Park and Skatepark 1360 43rd Ave / Judah St

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Mini & Lovie Ward Recreational Center 650 Capitol Ave / Montana St

Free Activities!

Police/Specialized Units Arts & Crafts Games Entertainment Music Food

For more information visit:

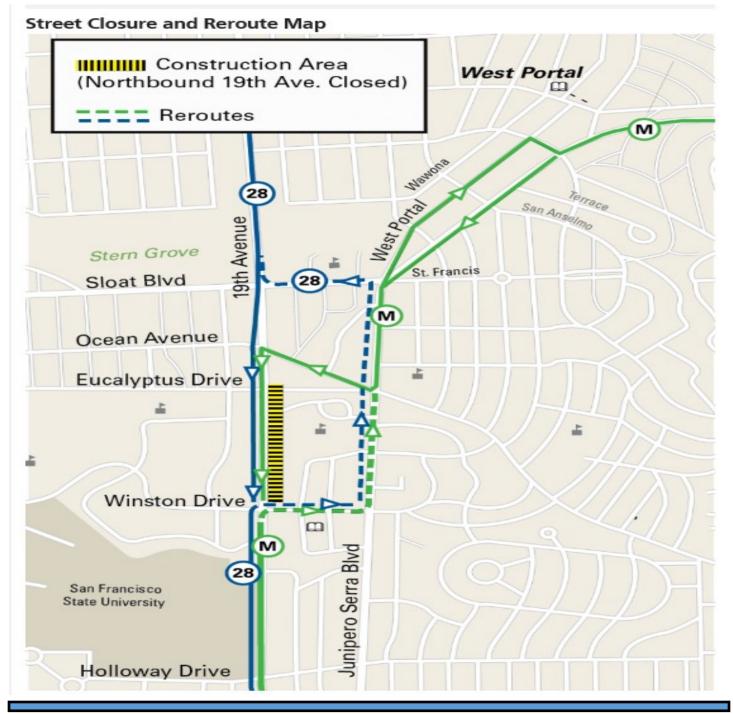
http://sanfranciscopolice.org/nightout





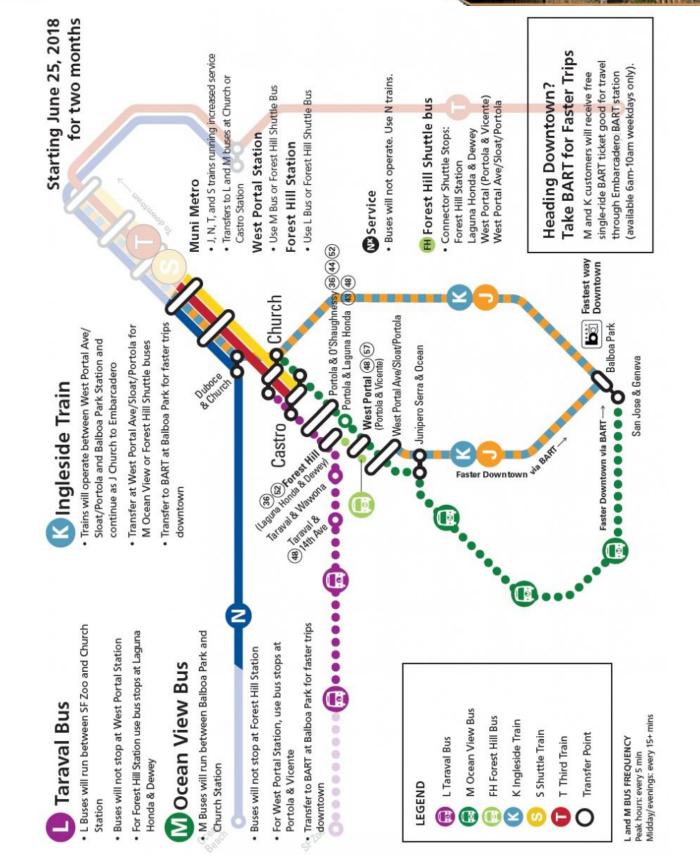
Partial 19th Ave Road Closure

The M Ocean View Improvements project will replace the existing rails, install a new traffic signal and implement transit signal priority at the intersection of 19th Avenue and Rossmoor Drive. This work will require closing the northbound lanes of 19th Ave, from Winston to Eucaltyptus. The closure will be from 10 p.m. on Friday, July 13 to 5 a.m. on Monday, July 16.





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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.





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





Robbery 07/01/18 – 07/10/18

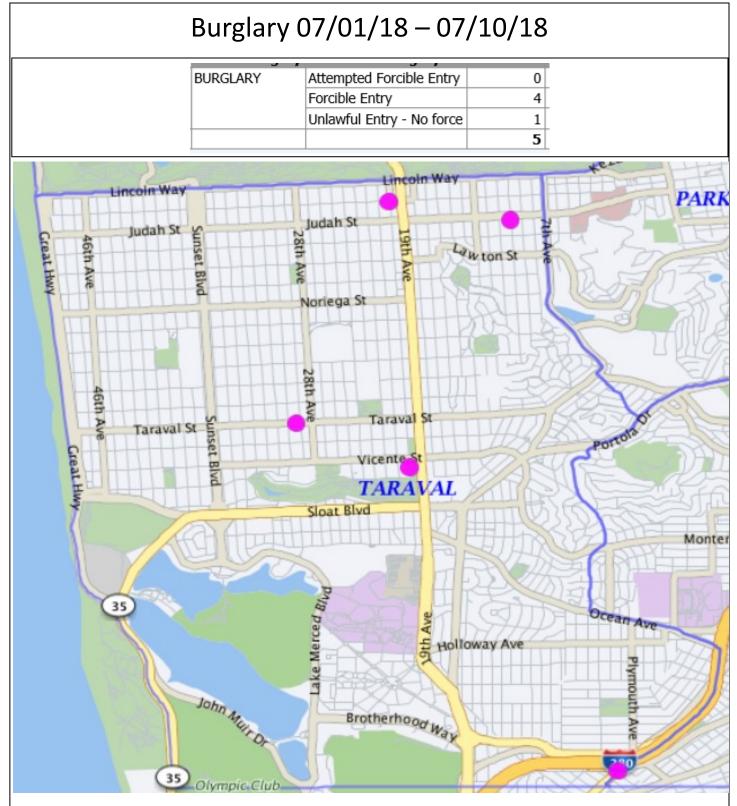
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		Knife or Cutting Instrument	0
		Other Dangerous Weapon	0
		Strongarm (no weapon)	2
Grand Total			3



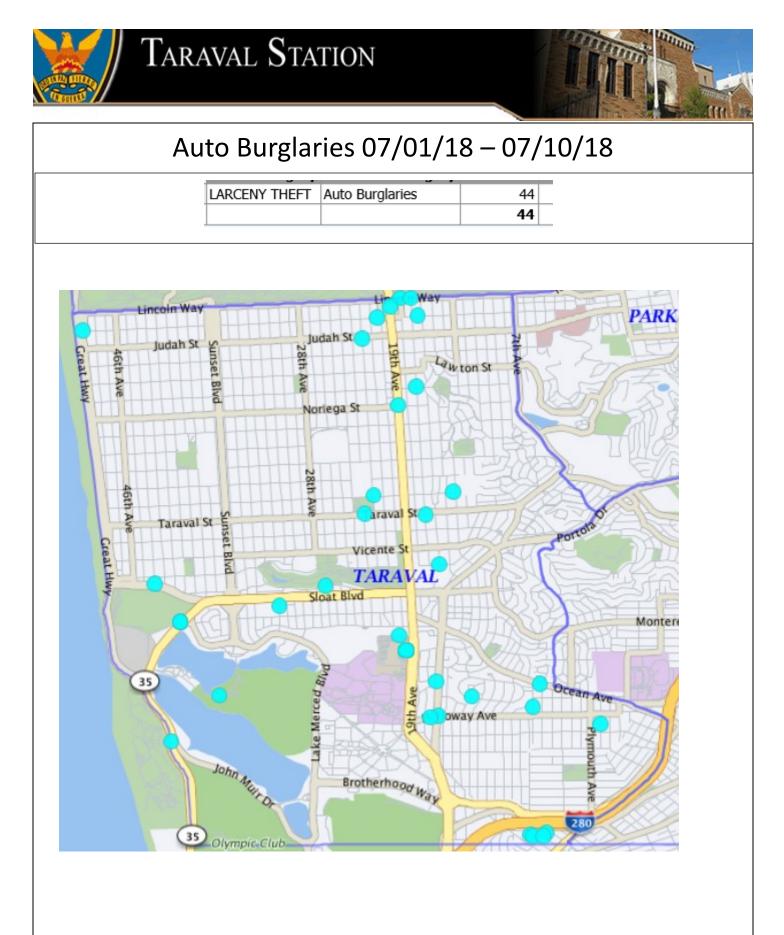
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Definition of Suspicious Activity

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.







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.

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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.



AlertSF

AlertSF is a text-based notification system for San Francisco's residents and visitors. AlertSF will send alerts regarding emergencies disrupting vehicular/pedestrian traffic, watches and warnings for tsunamis, flooding, and Citywide post-disaster information to your registered wireless devices and email accounts. Registrants can also sign up to receive English-language automated information feeds and/or alerts targeted to specific areas

To sign up for AlertSF please visit: www.alertsf.org

Twitter: @SF_Emergency

@SF_Emergency is the Department of Emergency Management's official Twitter account for emergency public information. In general we provide information on 1) what to do (e.g., avoid the area); and 2) what geographic area is impacted; and 3) whether the incident is related law enforcement, fire, transit, or traffic.

Follow us at <u>@SF_Emergency</u>





SAFE 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

San Francisco SAFE, Inc. (Safety Awareness for Everyone) is a community crime prevention and public safety program that works in cooperation with the San Francisco Police Department and other city agencies to help San Franciscans protect themselves from becoming victims. SAFE was created in 1976 as a project of the SFPD. In 1980, SAFE became a non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation, and 30 years later, continues to act as the crime prevention component of the police department. A major portion of SAFE's income comes from a grant contract with the SFPD, but SAFE also receives donations and grants in order to expand and enhance our crime prevention and public safety services. SAFE has also received numerous grant awards from the City and County of San Francisco, the San Francisco Mayor's Office, State Office of Criminal Justice Planning and local foundations. We have provided major support to the San Francisco Police Department and Mayor's Office by acting as a fiscal agent for these federal and state funded grants, along with participating in numerous crime prevention activities as a part of these grants.

https://sfsafe.org/

415-553-1984





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.

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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

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Register Your Camera

The San Francisco District Attorney's Office invites you to register your security camera. The goal of the program is to deter crime and promote public safety through collaboration between the San Francisco District Attorney's Office and the communities we serve. Please complete and submit all fields below, and carefully review the Policy & Terms of Use.

> To register your camera, visit http://sfdistrictattorney.org/Register-Your-Camera





Join The S.F.P.D. - San Francisco's Finest

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.

The City and County of San Francisco invites you to join a highly respected police department and serve the citizens of one of the most beautiful cities in the country. San Francisco Police Officers perform a wide variety of duties to promote public safety and security, prevent crime and enforce the law. Police officers perform a number of essential functions. For example, they patrol districts to prevent and detect crime; respond to calls for assistance; conduct criminal investigations; interact

with the community to build cooperation and support; pursue and arrest suspects; enforce traffic and parking laws; write reports and maintain records; work with superiors, peers, and others as a team; prepare for and participate in planned events; prepare for court and give testimony; and fulfill other administrative duties when required. This is much more than a job; it is an opportunity to build a career of which you can be proud.

Applying is Easy!

- Apply with the City and County of San Francisco at (Entry Level (Q-2) Police Officer) Go to 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



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.





The SFPD wants to hear from YOU.

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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.

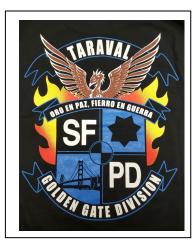
Visit us at <u>sanfranciscopolice.org/feedback</u>. Your feedback will help SFPD better serve our City. Comments will be reviewed by our Community Engagement Unit and forwarded to the relevant unit, department office or neighborhood station for review and follow up, if appropriate.

(If this is an emergency, please call 911. For non-emergencies, call 415-553-0123. You may also visit <u>http://sanfranciscopolice.org/police-commendation-complaint</u> 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 Robert Yick: 759-3100 - robert.yick@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: 553-1868 - Maggie Buitrago Website: www.taraval.org / Taraval Station E-mail: SFPDTaravalStation@sfgov.org To Reserve Our Community Room: taravalcommunityroom@sfgov.org

OTHER RESOURCES

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

ALL EMERGENCY CALLS: 911

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