

## Taraval Station Newsletter



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Hello Community Members

Hope everyone had a wonderful New Year. Next Monday, January 20, we celebrate Martin Luther King Jr's birthday and it is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to improve their communities. On 1/13/20 SF Public Works and Norcal MLK Volunteers join Climate Action Now to begin planting 100 trees over 2 days on the Sunset District medians (Sunset Blvd). Their next planting date is on 1/18/20. We hope everyone joins in volunteering with their favorite group to help the community.

Chinese New Year (or the Spring Festival (Lunar New Year)) is on January 25th. This will be the Year of the Rat. Save the date for the New Year Parade held on Saturday Feb 8th which will cover the Central District.

Compared to the same time last year (2019), the numbers year to date are as follows. Currently, we are down 62% in vehicle burglaries, 62% in vehicle thefts 50% in robberies, down 83% in burglaries and 90% in assaults.

- Our next community meeting will be on Tuesday, January 21st at 6PM at Minnie & Lovie Ward Recreational Center. I hope to see you there to help answer any of your questions or address any of your concerns.

- 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 robberies, burglaries and auto burglaries.

If you are reporting a crime in progress, dial 9-1-1. Also, call 9-1-1, (415-553-8090 on cell phones) to report fires, medical emergencies or any emergency related to public safety.

To report a non-emergency incident (a crime that has already occurred and the suspects are gone) please call the SFPD non-emergency phone number at 415-553-0123 to have an Officer dispatched to meet with you. You may also go to any SFPD district station to make a report or go to <https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/get-service/police-reports/file-police-report>



**Captain Nicholas Rainsford**  
**Commanding Officer**  
**Taraval Station**



### Next Community Meeting:

Tue., January 21, 2020  
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Minnie & Lovie Ward Recreational Center

650 Capitol Ave

Thank you for subscribing to our Newsletter.

Please follow us on:

**Twitter:**

@SFPDTaraval

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



# TARAVAL STATION



**Thursday**  
**Jan. 23, 2020**  
**10:00am-12:00pm**

 **Peet's Coffee**

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**1509 Sloat Blvd**  
**Lakeshore Plaza**

## **JOIN YOUR TARAVAL DISTRICT OFFICERS FOR COFFEE AND CONVERSATION!**

**No agenda or speeches, just a chance to ask questions, voice  
concerns, and get to know the officers in your neighborhood!**

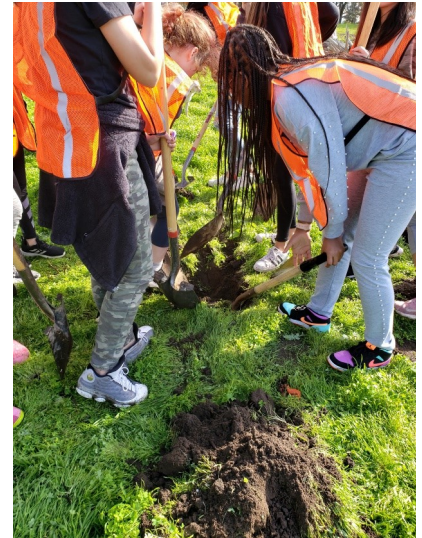
# **SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT**





## MLK2020 Kick Off Event

Taraval Station members was at the MLK2020 Kick Off Event. Volunteers from local youth organizations, companies, community groups, and city agencies joined together to plant "100 Trees for MLK!" Tree planting starting at Lawton St & Sunset Blvd.





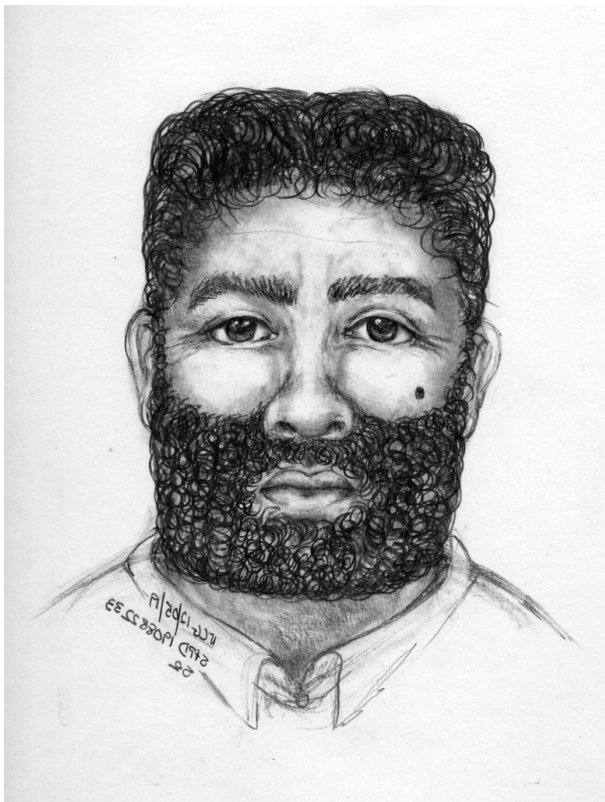


## SFPD Issues Alert on Gold Scam 19-150

The San Francisco Police Department would like to alert the community about a scam that utilizes fake gold to swindle victims. In most instances, the suspects approach the victims in public and perform a fraudulent game or trick that involves sleight of hand or offer to sell the victim jewelry. The suspects typically place fake gold jewelry on the victim's neck, wrists, and/or hands. The victims then watch the suspects flee the scene in an awaiting vehicle. When the victims inspect the gold jewelry placed on them, they discover that their own jewelry has been removed and the remaining jewelry is fake.

The SFPD has documented approximately twenty such incidents in 2019 with a combined loss of about \$55,000. The victims have primarily been Asian community members in the Taraval and Richmond districts. SFPD is conducting investigations into these incidents and is working with outside agencies to identify suspects. This news release includes photos of some of the fake gold jewelry used in the crimes and a sketch of a suspect. Also included in this release are photos of a suspect, 44-year-old Mamfred Oinescu, who has a current arrest warrant for this series of crimes.

This scheme has been used to defraud victims throughout the Bay Area. SFPD is requesting the community to be vigilant in recognizing fraud and scams and report suspicious activity of this nature. If you have purchased gold items on the street from strangers, we recommend that you have them tested. If you believe you are a victim of this crime, please file a police report with your local police station. To find the police station that serves your neighborhood, visit [sanfranciscopolice.org/station-finder](https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/station-finder).



<https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/news/sfpd-issues-alert-gold-scam-19-150>



## Protect Your Vehicle Against Catalytic Converter Theft & Prius Hybrid Battery Theft



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

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

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

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

## Protect Your Vehicle from Car Theft

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





# TARAVAL STATION



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



## San Francisco Police Department Taraval Station



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

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



#### **Securing & Preventing**

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



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

#### **Precautionary Measures**

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

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

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

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



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# Park Smart!



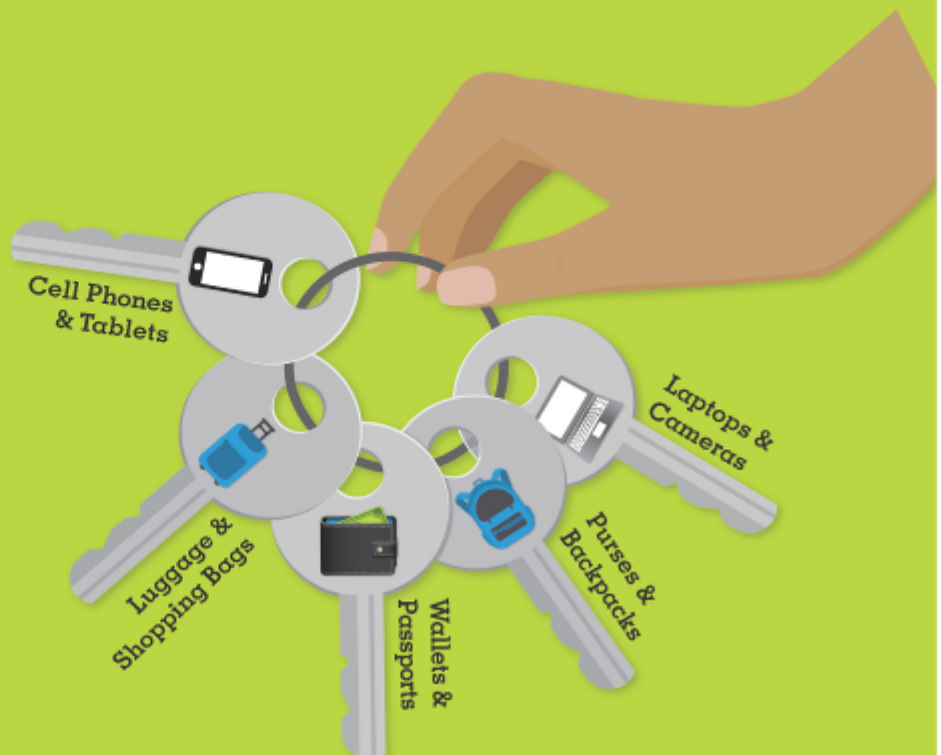
THE KEYS TO  
PARKED CAR  
SAFETY ARE IN  
**YOUR HANDS!**

**If you love it, don't leave it.**

## **DON'T TEMPT A CAR THIEF!**

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

**Take everything  
with you.**

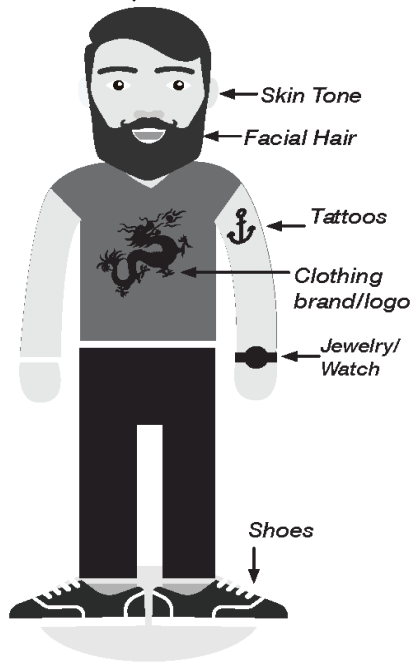




# TARAVAL STATION



## Describe Me!



### How to Describe a Suspect

Providing a detailed description of a criminal suspect can help solve crimes in San Francisco. Suspects can easily change their appearance with a hat, jacket or glasses. It is important to be mindful of unique characteristics such as body markings, tattoos, shoes and specific clothing markings, like logos.

### Note the Following Unique Characteristics:

Race \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Hair \_\_\_\_\_ Eyes \_\_\_\_\_ Complexion \_\_\_\_\_

- Physical Characteristics (slight or heavy build, scars, marks, tattoos, manner of walk, mustache, glasses) \_\_\_\_\_
- Clothing (type and color, logos or brand names, shoes, jewelry, accessories) \_\_\_\_\_
- Weapon (type of weapon used by the suspect: rifle, shotgun, automatic, revolver, knife) \_\_\_\_\_
- Remarks (note anything the suspect says, accent, any names used) \_\_\_\_\_
- Means of Escape (vehicle or foot, license plate number, year, make, model, color, traveling in which direction) \_\_\_\_\_

*If it's safe, take a photo of the suspect, vehicle, license plate number, etc.*

## What to Do During an Emergency



### How to Call 911 in an Emergency

- ☒ Remain Calm and **Dial 911** Immediately
  - **WHEN** to Dial 911
    - If a crime is posing an immediate threat to you or others
    - If there is a medical emergency
    - If the incident is in progress
    - If the incident just occurred and you know where the suspect is
- ☒ State the following information:
  - **WHERE** the incident is happening and **WHAT** is occurring, for example: *"I'm at 1234 Market Street and I've just been robbed"*
  - Tell the operator if you are in immediate danger or are being threatened
  - Be **brief, clear** and **accurate**
- ☒ As long as it is safe, stay on the line and answer the operator's questions
- ☒ Describe each suspect separately from head to toe (*see more information on the back of this card*)

### Other Methods of Reporting

- ☒ To file a report online, visit [sanfranciscopolice.org/Reports](http://sanfranciscopolice.org/Reports)
- ☒ For TTY users, pressing the space bar every few seconds will help your call be recognized faster
- ☒ For non-emergency reporting, dial 311 or 415-553-0123 within SF or 415-701-2311 outside SF
- ☒ To call SFPD dispatch directly, dial 415-553-8090

**When in doubt, call 911**







## Previous Weeks Notable Incidents

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

### Daily Crime Report :: Sun – December 29, 2019

No notable incidents for this day. Go to <http://www.taraval.org/?p=16437>

### Daily Crime Report :: Mon – December 30, 2019

#### Warrant Arrest – Narcotics Paraphernalia – Arrested

7:06 pm

46th Ave & Judah St

Officers were on patrol in the area when they observed a known subject who had a history with the SFPD. A computer check on the subject revealed four arrest warrants and a search revealed a glass pipe commonly used to smoke illegal drugs. The subject was arrested.

### Daily Crime Report :: Tue – December 31, 2019

#### Robbery

1:45 pm

3200 20th Ave

Officers responded to a report of a robbery. The victim reported that he had just finished placing several newly purchased items into the trunk of his car when a suspect suddenly approached him from behind and grabbed him by his neck. A second suspect appeared and demanded that the victim open the trunk. The suspects then took the items and immediately fled the scene.

#### Theft from a Person – Arrested

4:45 pm

Ocean Ave & Lagunitas Dr

Officers responded to a report of a possible robbery in the area. The witness approached the officers and reported that two juveniles, the suspects, were being chased by the victim. The victim reported that she had been on the MUNI when the two suspects walked passed her and snatched her cell phone from her. Responding officers detained one of the suspects and after further investigation, the detained suspect was identified as a person of interest in a previous robbery incident that occurred several days earlier. The suspect was arrested.

### Daily Crime Report :: Wed – January 01, 2020

#### Traffic Violation – Cited

6:27 pm

Ocean Ave & Lee Ave

Officers were on patrol in the area and conducted a computer check on a vehicle which revealed that it's registration had been expired since 2017 despite a 2019 tab affixed on the license plate. After further investigation, the driver was cited and the vehicle was towed.



## Notable Incidents (Cont.)

### Theft of a Bicycle – Possession of a Prohibited Weapon – Methamphetamine Offense – Arrested

3:39 pm

1300 46th Ave

Plain clothes officers were conducting bicycle theft abatement in the area and observed two suspects walking up to a bicycle and taking it. The officers followed the suspects and detained them. A search revealed methamphetamine and a concealed belt knife. The suspects were arrested.

## Daily Crime Report :: Thu – January 02, 2020

### Burglary – Arrested

10:00 am

1000 Moraga St

Officers responded to a report of a burglary. The victim reported that he had been in his bedroom when he heard suspicious noises. The victim went to investigate and discovered that the suspect was inside the house. The victim confronted and chased the suspect, who immediately exited the house. Responding officers arrived and observed the suspect attempting to escape by jumping from the roof of a house to another nearby roof. The officers detained the suspect and after further investigation, the suspect was arrested.

### Threats – Brandishing a Weapon – Arrested

9:41 am

300 Randolph St

Officers responded to a report of a person with a knife. The victim reported that he went to speak to the suspect, his neighbor, about repaying the money that he had lent the suspect. The suspect responded angrily and screamed at the victim before threatening to harm the victim with a kitchen knife. Responding officers detained the suspect and after further investigation, the suspect was arrested.

### Arson of a Vehicle

12:58 am

700 Gonzalez Dr

Officers responded to a report of a vehicle on fire. The victim reported that she was notified that her vehicle was on fire. SFFD successfully extinguished the fire but it was deemed suspicious by the inspector.

## Daily Crime Report :: Fri – January 03, 2020

### Theft from a Vehicle – Warrant Arrest – Arrested

3:10

00 Taraval St

Officers responded to a report a vehicle burglary. The victim reported that he had observed the suspect breaking into his vehicle on his security cameras and detained the suspect. After further investigation, the suspect was arrested.

### Warrant – Arrest

5:20 pm

400 Victoria St.

The victim contacted SFPD that he wanted the suspect, a family member, to leave but the suspect refused and locked himself into a room inside the house. Responding officers located the suspect and a computer check revealed an arrest warrant. The suspect was arrested.





## Notable Incidents (Cont.)

### Daily Crime Report :: Sat – January 04, 2020

#### Theft from a Vehicle – Vandalism to Vehicle – Arrested

11:41 pm

#### 15th Ave & Taraval St

Officers respond to a report of a vehicle break in. The witness reported that he had just arrived home and observed the suspect sitting inside his neighbor's vehicle. The witness told the victim and they both went out to discover the suspect sitting inside another vehicle before walking away. Responding officers located the suspect and detained him. After further investigation, it was revealed that the suspect had broken into both vehicles. **The suspect was arrested.**

### Daily Crime Report :: Sun – January 05, 2020

No notable incidents for this day. Go to <http://www.taraval.org/?p=16481>

### Daily Crime Report :: Mon – January 06, 2020

#### Traffic Violation – No License issued – Cited

9:35 pm

#### 19th Ave & Winston Dr

Officers were on patrol in the area when they observed a driver using her cell phone while driving. The officers conducted a traffic stop and a computer check on the driver which revealed that her license had been expired since November 2011. **The driver was cited.**

#### Warrant Arrest – Arrested

8:10 am

#### 1400 18th Ave

Officers were on patrol in the area when they observed a vehicle with an expired registration. The officers conducted a traffic stop and a computer check on the driver revealed an arrest warrant. **The driver was arrested.**

#### Robbery

2:23 pm

#### 19th Ave & Junipero Serra Blvd

Officers responded to a report of a robbery. The victim reported that he had been on the MUNI when the suspect suddenly walked by and painfully yanked the cell phone out of his hands. The suspect immediately fled with the stolen phone.

#### Robbery

5:23 pm

#### Judah St & 31st Ave

Officers responded to a report of a robbery. The victim reported that she had been on the MUNI when a suspect suddenly grabbed her cell phone and fled with it. The victim attempted to chase after the suspect but an additional two suspects grabbed her hair and pulled her on to the floor before all three suspects fled the area.



## Notable Incidents (Cont.)

### Daily Crime Report :: Tue – January 07, 2020

#### Robbery

7:52 pm

#### Mt Vernon & Louisburg St

Officers responded to a report of a robbery. The victim reported that she had noticed that two juvenile suspects were following her while she was on her way home. While the victim was attempting to take her keys out to unlock her door, the two suspects attempted to take her backpack and cell phone. The victim resisted and one of the suspects punched the victim three times on her left cheek. A nearby witness confronted the suspects and the suspects immediately fled the area.

#### Burglary – Arrested

12:03 pm

#### 800 Urbano Dr

Officers responded to a report of a burglary. The victim reported that she had gone on a walk with several children and returned to find a discarded sweatshirt near a sliding door at the back entrance that was suspiciously opened. Responding officers arrived at the location and located the suspect. After further investigation, **the suspect was arrested.**

### Daily Crime Report :: Wed – January 08, 2020

#### Warrant Arrest – Arrested

11:39 am

#### 19th Ave & Irving St

Officers were on patrol in the area where they observed a subject who was asleep and almost fell into the roadway multiple times. The officers approached the subject to check on his welfare. A computer check revealed a local arrest warrant and one arrest warrant is issued from Berkley PD. **The subject was arrested.**

### Daily Crime Report :: Thu – January 09, 2020

#### Theft – Warrant Arrest – Arrested

4:06 pm

#### 3200 20th Ave

Officers responded to a report regarding a detained shoplifting suspect. The witness stated that the suspect, who had a prior history of shoplifting in the store, was observed taking over \$600 worth of store merchandise and attempting to walk out of the store with it. A computer check on the suspect revealed a total of 11 arrest warrants out of San Francisco and the Bay Area. **The suspect was arrested.**

#### Traffic Violation – Suspended Driver's License – Cited

2:10 pm

#### Noriega St & 30th Ave

Officers were on patrol when they observed a vehicle with an expired registration tab from March 2018. The officers conducted a traffic stop and made contact with the driver. A computer check on the driver revealed that his license had been suspended. **The driver was cited.**





## Notable Incidents (Cont.)

### Robbery

11:54 pm

41st Ave & Ortega St

Officers responded to a report of an incident of robbery. The victim stated that she had been walking when a vehicle parked near her and the suspect exited the vehicle. The suspect immediately approached the victim and pulled the victim's shoulder bag off and fled with it in the waiting vehicle.

## Daily Crime Report :: Fri – January 10, 2020

### Battery

3:32 pm

La Playa St & Judah St

Officers responded to a report of a battery. The victim said that he had been standing on the street corner when the suspect suddenly approached him and yelled at him. The suspect claimed that the victim had thrown an item at him and the suspect threw it back at the victim, which resulted in a small injury when the item cut the victim. The suspect then immediately fled the area.

### Trespassing – Cited

9:21 pm

00 Saint Francis Blvd

Officers responded to a report of a possible burglary. Responding officers located the suspect, who had entered a locked area despite a security gate. After further investigation, **the suspect was cited for trespassing.**

## Daily Crime Report :: Sat – January 11, 2020

### Trespassing – Warrant Arrest – Arrested

5:26 pm

1300 Ulloa St

Plain clothes officers responded to a report of a possible burglary. The victim reported that the subject was in her backyard. Responding officers located the subject and a computer check revealed that the subject was on probation for burglary with two arrest warrants. A search of the suspect revealed narcotic paraphernalia and methamphetamine. **The suspect was arrested.**

### Warrant – Arrest

12:13 pm

46th Ave & Wawona St

Officers responded to a report of a subject who was refusing to exit a MUNI that was at its final destination. Responding officers detained the suspect and a computer check revealed an arrest warrant. **The suspect was arrested.**

### Battery – Vandalism to Property

8:56 pm

400 Garces Dr

Officers responded to a report of a battery. The victim reported that he had been talking to the witness when the suspect's vehicle began to play their music very loudly. The victim made a gesture to the three suspects to turn their music down. The suspects responded by driving their vehicle up to the victim and getting out of the vehicle and confronting the victim. The victim attempted to record the incident with his cell phone but one suspect grabbed the phone and threw it on to the ground before pushing the victim. A second suspect then picked the phone off the ground and handed it to the victim before all three fled the area in their vehicle.



**Note: Not all crimes are reported**

**Read More**

**Daily Crime Reports**

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

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



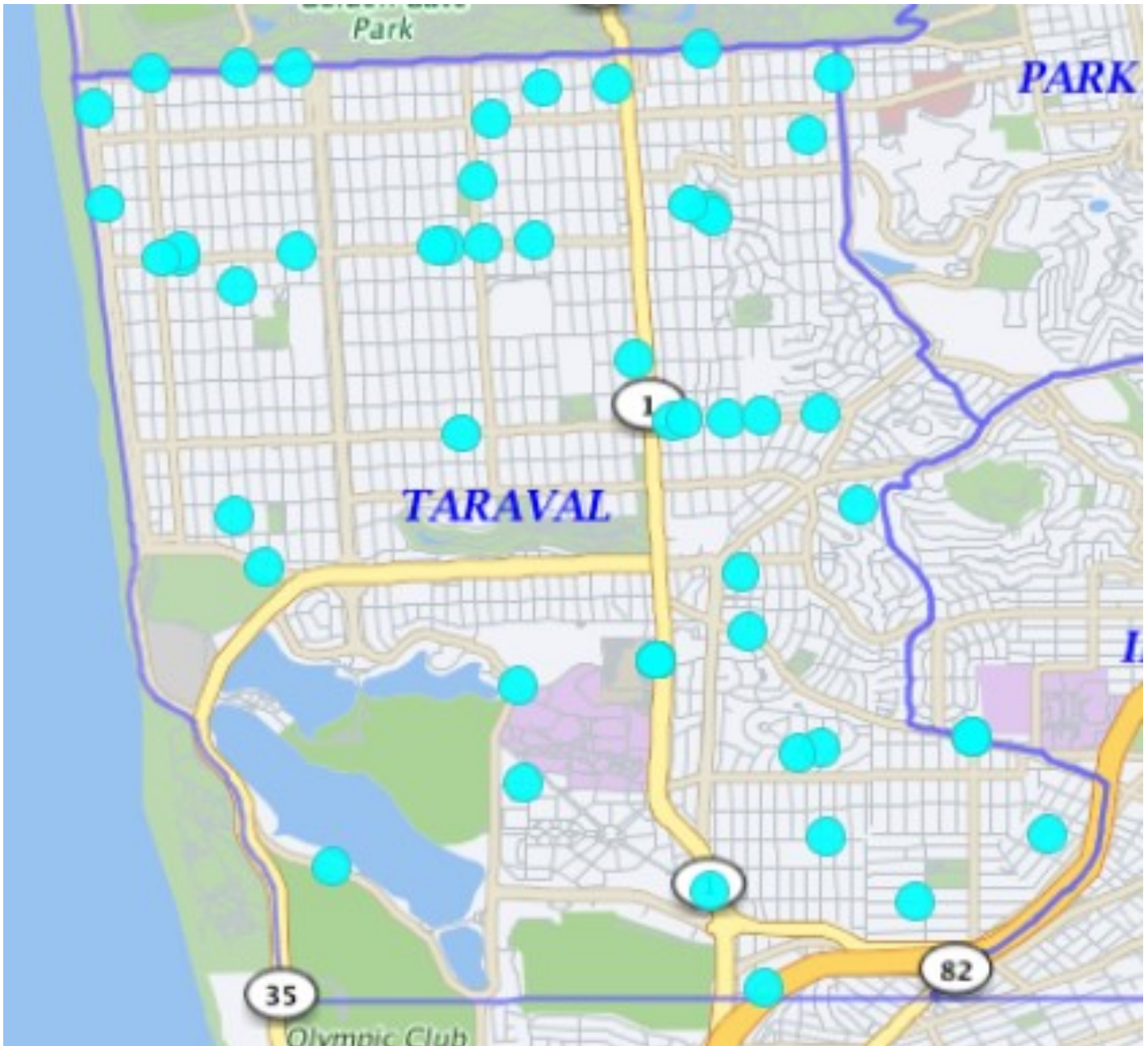


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## Auto Burglaries 01/01/20 – 01/13/20

Auto Burglaries	63
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If the dots does not add up to the number, there may be multiple incidents with the same address.

\*Note: The map accurately reflects the information available at the time of preparation. Numbers may or may not change as more information becomes available. *Production date 01/14/19 - 0900 hrs*



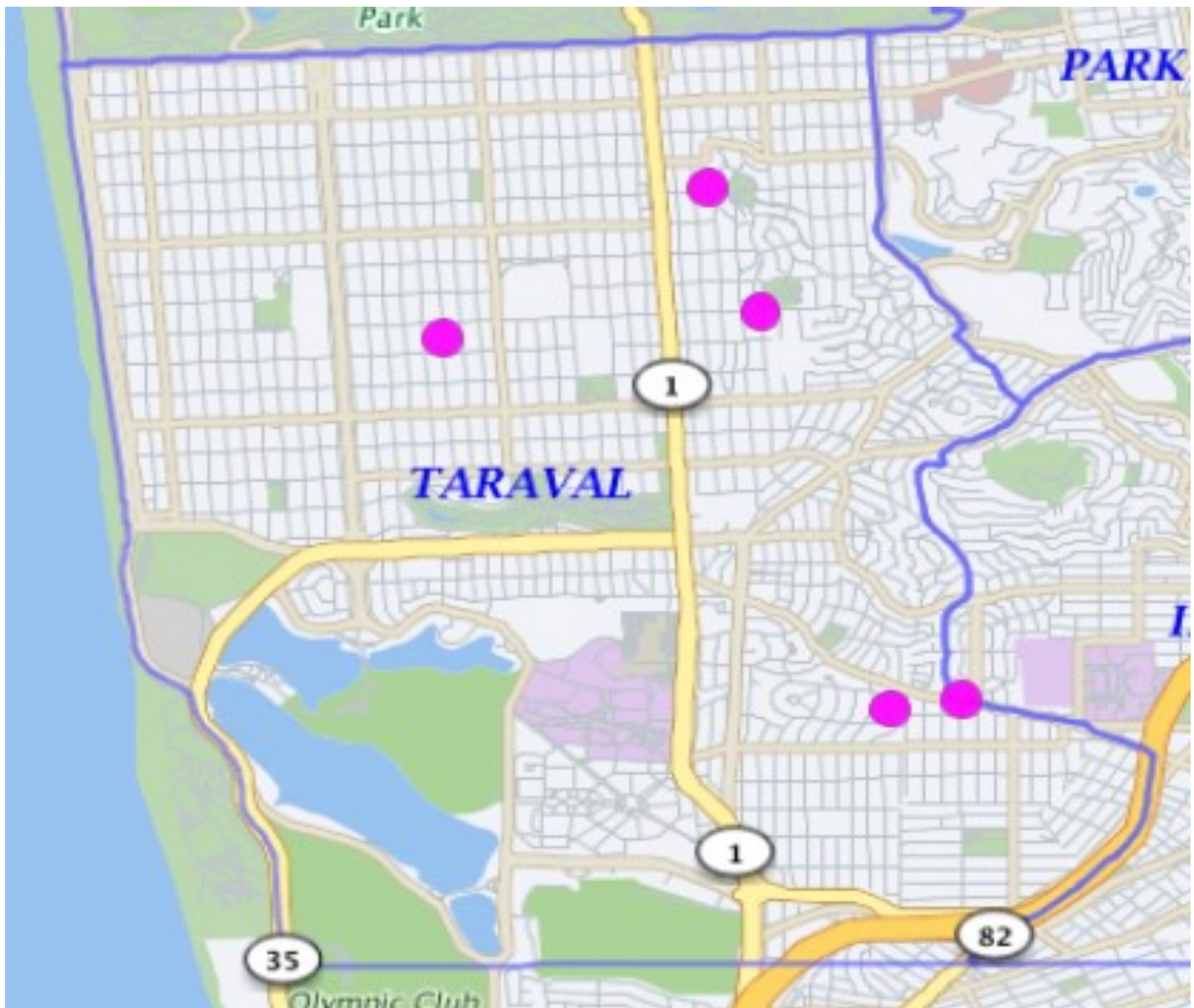
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## Commercial and Residential Burglaries

01/01/20 – 01/13/20

BURGLARY	Attempted Forcible Entry	0
	Forcible Entry	3
	Unlawful Entry - No force	2
		5



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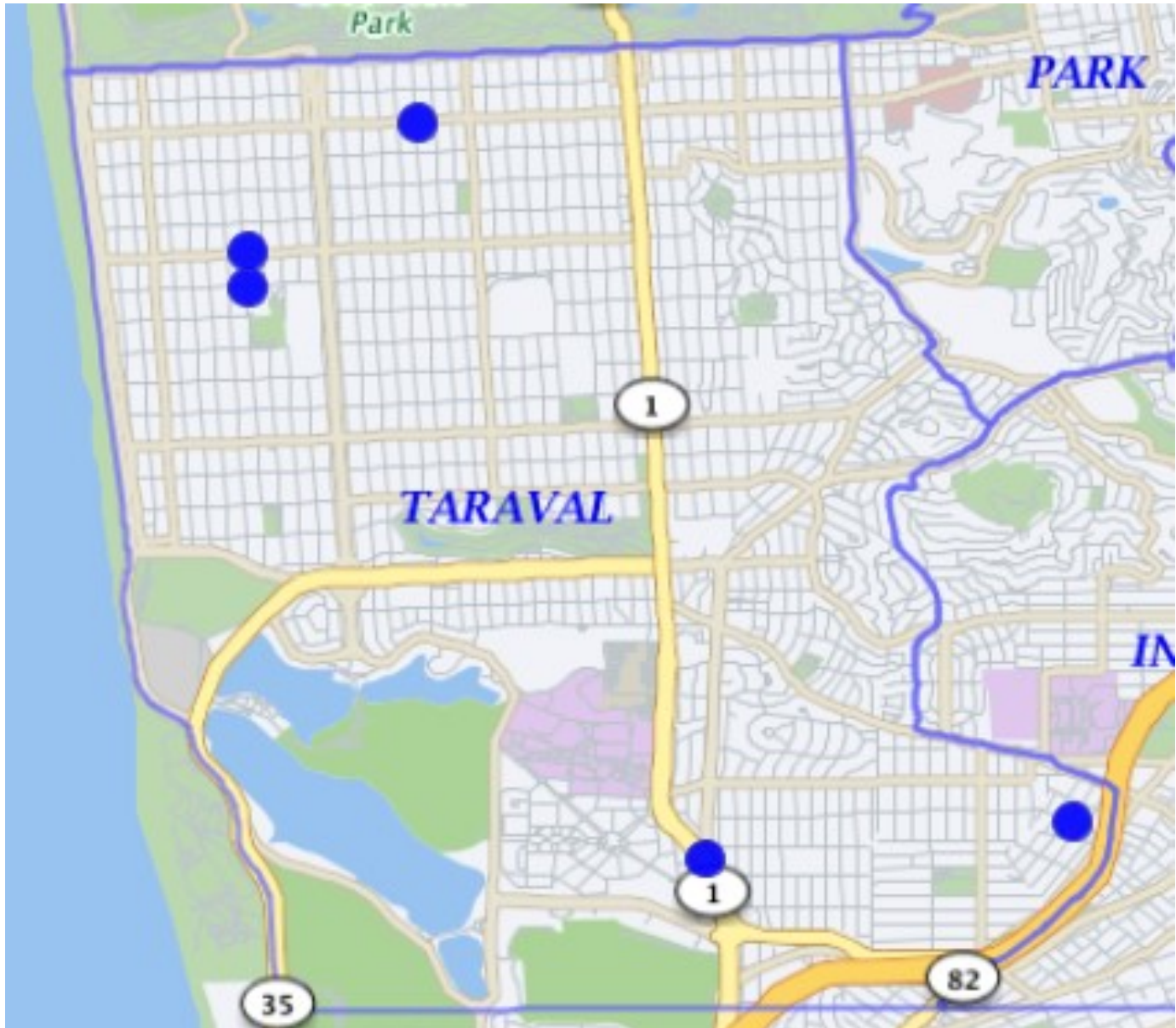


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## Robbery 01/01/20 – 01/13/20

ROBBERY	Firearm	0
	Knife or Cutting Instrument	0
	Other Dangerous Weapon	0
	Strongarm (no weapon)	5
		5



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## Bias-Free Policing



Everyone deserves to be treated fairly.

SFPD officers undergo Implicit Bias & Procedural Justice training.

Our goal is ensure fair, impartial community policing.

We're dedicated to providing  
*Safety With Respect for All.*

Learn about our ongoing efforts to eliminate bias and increase accountability at [sanfranciscopolice.org/progress](https://sanfranciscopolice.org/progress).

To file a complaint, visit [sanfranciscopolice.org/complaint](https://sanfranciscopolice.org/complaint).





## Community Boards Conflict Resolution Center

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

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

### WHAT IS MEDIATION?

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

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

### IS THIS YOUR PROBLEM?

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

**Start Your Mediation Today!**

### ¿QUÉ ES LA MEDIACIÓN?

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

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

### ¿ES ÉSTE SU PROBLEMA?

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

**¡Inicie hoy su mediación!**

### 何謂調解?

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

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

### 您是否遇到過以下的問題?

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

**今天開始調解!**



## Beware of Scams

### **Fake Check Scams**

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

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

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

### **Recovery/Refund Companies**

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

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

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

### **Phishing/Spoofing**

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

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

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

### **Scholarships/Grants**

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

### **Friendship & Sweetheart Swindles**

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

### **Charitable Solicitations**

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





## Definition of Suspicious Activity

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

### Examples of Suspicious Activity:

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



**See something.  
Say something.**



## Definition of Community Policing

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

### **Homeless Outreach and Outreach to Drug Users:**

Taraval Station has two officers that coordinate with city agencies to provide outreach and assistance to rehabilitate those who are dependent on illegal drugs and outreach to homeless individuals to connect them with resources and support.

### **Foot Patrols:**

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

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

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

### **Email Updates:**

Taraval Station will send out newsletter updates to residents in the District that alerts residents of crime trends, upcoming community events, crime prevention tips, and information on how to contact officers at the District Station.



## Make the Right Call SF

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

### 9-1-1

Police, Fire & Medical

Available 24/7

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

Is there a crime in progress?

Is someone having a medical emergency and needs immediate assistance?

Is there a fire?

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

### 3-1-1

City Services & Information

Available 24/7

Police reports for crimes not in progress such as:

-Auto Burglaries

-Petty Theft

-Vandalism

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

Garbage and recycling services

Street and park maintenance

Property Tax Payments

Birth Certificates

Marriage Licenses

Business Registration

### 415-553-0123

Police Non-Emergency Assistance

Available 24/7

Noise complaints

Loitering

Citizen standby

Wellness checks

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# TARAVAL STATION



## 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!

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

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

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## NOW'S THE TIME

### JOIN THE SFPD

GO TO [SFPDCAREERS.COM](https://www.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.

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2. Go to [www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](https://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.

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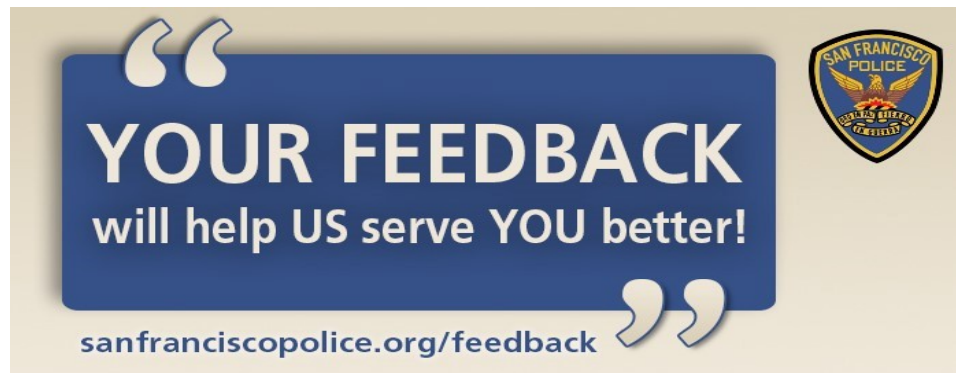


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## The SFPD wants to hear from YOU.

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

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

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

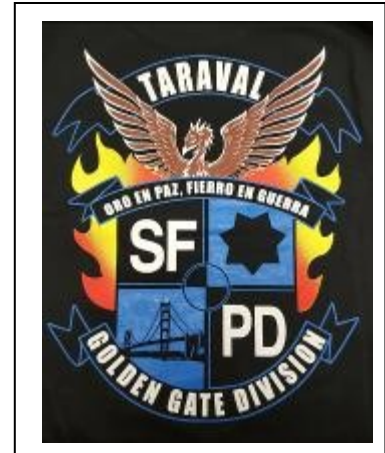
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## **SFPD RESOURCES**

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



## **TARAVAL STATION RESOURCES**

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

## **OTHER RESOURCES**

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

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