



Taraval Station Newsletter

February 22 - March 07



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Greetings All,

I want to give everyone a reminder that home burglaries continue to be an area of concern for me and all the Officers here at Taraval Station. The most common trend in home burglaries are garage burglaries.

Thieves either drill a baseball sized hole in the upper middle of a wooden garage door panel or break a window panel and then use a long wire hook to hook the emergency release cord on your garage door. Many time car antennas are snapped off a parked car and made into a hook. Thieves then manually open the door.

Secure your garage by taking off the emergency release cord making it harder to disengage your garage door. Install motion sensor lighting in the front of your garage door. If you have high value bicycles in your garage lock the bicycles with a cable or chain while stored in the garage. Additionally, lock or hide any high value items you store in your garage.

Lastly, now that you know the burglary trends, "If you see something say something".

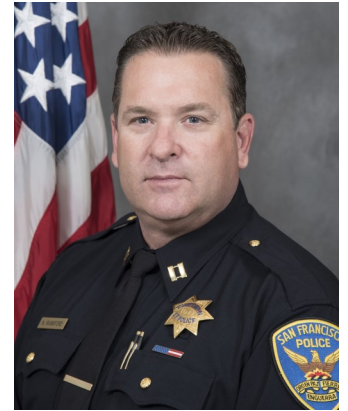
Be safe,

- Captain Nicholas Rainsford

-Compared to the same date last year, 2020; as of 03/07/21 we are currently down 10% in theft from vehicles, 14% in assaults, and 14% in robberies. However, we are up 177% in home and commercial burglaries and 9% in motor vehicle theft .

- If you are reporting a crime in progress, dial 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 or you can go online to file certain reports at <https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/get-service/police-reports/file-police-report>

- Taraval Station



Captain Nicholas Rainsford

Commanding Officer

Taraval Station



Next Community Meeting:

Virtual Community Meeting With
Captain Nicholas Rainsford

Thursday, March 18, 2021

6:00 PM

**Taraval Community Room Will Be
Closed Until Further Notice.**

Thank you for subscribing to
our Newsletter.

Please follow us on:

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@SFPDTaraval

Website: [http://
www.taraval.org](http://www.taraval.org)



Taraval Station Community Meeting

Community Forum

Zoom Meeting 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Thursday, March 18, 2021

Dates of Future Meetings

April 15, 2021

For information contact us

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415-759-3100

TTY

415-753-7154

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valstation@sfgov.org

Anonymous tip line

415-558-5588

Chinese Language Tip Line

415-558-5588

SFPD Website

sfpd.org

Taraval Station Twitter:

@sfpdtaraval

Meeting Agenda

- Welcome and Introduction
- Bi-annual Meeting on Officer Conduct, Citizen Complain Process and Bias-Free Policing
- Captain's Message
- Crime Statistics and Trend
- Q/A Session



Captain Nicholas Rainsford

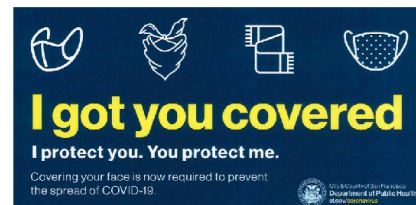
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Thank you everyone for your input and we hope to see you soon.





Commander Fong, Captain Rainsford, Supervisor Mar, SFSafe, ALERT & Community Members took to the streets on Irving St, Noriega St, Taraval St, & Ocean Ave to help spread safety awareness tips and to promote the anonymous tip-line in Cantonese, Mandarin & English to the API community.



If there is an Emergency Call 911 immediately!!

San Francisco Police Department
Both in Cantonese, Mandarin and English

Anonymous Tip-Line
415-558-5588

If you have witness or have important information on a serious crime. Call SFPD right away using this special direct line. Your Identity WILL NOT be revealed!

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email: SFPDCLU@SFGOV.ORG
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If there is an Emergency Call 911 immediately!!
如果有緊急情況，請立即撥打911

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If you are a victim, witness, or possess information regarding a serious crime, please call SFPD right away using this special direct line. Your Identity WILL NOT be revealed!

舊金山警察局 粵語，普通話和英語
匿名電話專線
415-558-5588

如果你目睹案發經過或有任何線索提供，請盡快聯繫三藩市警察專線，你的個人資料將會保密。

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Avoid COVID-19 Scams

Evite caer en las estafas relacionadas con COVID-19

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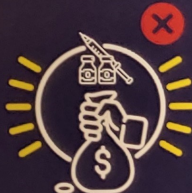
Iwasan ang mga manloloko sa COVID-19



Ignore offers of vaccinations and miracle treatments or cures for sale. Scammers are selling products to treat or prevent COVID-19 without proof that they work.

Ignore las ofertas de vacunas y tratamientos o curas milagrosas que están a la venta. Los estafadores están vendiendo productos para tratar o prevenir el COVID-19 sin ninguna prueba de que en realidad funcionen.

請不要理會有關疫苗接種和奇蹟療法或治愈方法的銷售信息。詐騙者通常都無法證明其宣稱用來治療或預防新冠肺炎的銷售產品的功效。Huwag pansinin ang mga alok ng pagbabakuna at himala na mga pang-gagamot o mga ibinebenta na nagpapagaling. Ang mga manloloko ay nagbebenta ng mga produkto upang matrato o pigilan ang COVID-19 nang walang katibayan na gumagana ang mga ito.



You cannot pay for early access to the COVID-19 vaccine. If you receive a call, text, email, or other message offering to sell early access, that's a scam. Do not respond.

Usted no puede pagar para obtener acceso anticipado a la vacuna contra COVID-19. Si recibe una llamada, un mensaje de texto, un correo electrónico u otro tipo de mensaje ofreciendo venderle acceso más rápido, se trata de una estafa. No responda.

現時無人可通過付款而取得新冠肺炎疫苗的優先使用權。如果您收到電話、短信、電子郵件或其它訊息兜售疫苗的優先使用權，那是騙局！請不要回覆。Hindi ka maaaring magbayad para sa maagang pagkuha sa bakunang COVID-19. Kung nakatanggap ka ng isang tawag, text, email, o iba pang alok ng mensahe upang makapagbenta ng maagang pagkuha, panloloko iyon. Huwag tumugon.



If you receive a call, text, or email offering the COVID-19 vaccine and requesting your personal or financial information, that's a scam. Do not respond.

Si recibe una llamada, un mensaje de texto o un correo electrónico en el que le ofrezcan la vacuna contra COVID-19 o en el que le soliciten su información personal o financiera, se trata de una estafa. No responda.

如果您收到提供新冠肺炎疫苗的電話、短信或電子郵件並要求您提供個人或財務資料，那是騙局！請不要回覆。

Kung nakatanggap ka ng isang tawag, text, o email na nag-aalok ng bakuna sa COVID-19 at humihiling ng iyong personal o pampinansyal na impormasyon, panloloko iyon. Huwag tumugon.



Nobody legitimate from the City, State, or Federal government will call or text and ask you to pay for the COVID-19 vaccine. That's a scam.

Ningún representante legítimo de los gobiernos de la Ciudad, Estatal o Federal le llamará ni le enviará un mensaje de texto para solicitarle que pague por la vacuna contra COVID-19.

Es una estafa.

任何市府、州府或聯邦政府的執法人員皆不會致電或短信向您索取新冠肺炎疫苗所需的費用。那是騙局！

Walang sinumang lehitimong mula sa pamahalaang Lungsod, Estado, o Pederal na tatawagan o magte-text at hihilingin sa iyo na magbayad para sa bakunang COVID-19. Panloloko yan.



City & County of San Francisco

ftc.gov/coronavirus/scams



Traffic Safety Enforcement Operations Plan for San Francisco with OTS Grant 21-055

MARCH 08, 2021 | 12:51 PM



The San Francisco Police Department will conduct a Traffic Safety Enforcement Operation on **March 10th, 17th 24th, and 31st** with a focus on distracted driving, especially through the use of handheld cell phones and texting. Distracted driving is anything that takes your eyes or mind off the road or your hands off the steering wheel. These are some of the most dangerous things we do behind the wheel that many people do not think about because these actions are so common.

It is important to recognize the dangers of distracted driving. In California, cell phone laws were enacted to help prevent distracted driving and make roads safer. The law prohibits driving while holding a cell phone in your hand. If the cell phone is used in a hands-free manner, such as voice command or the use of a mounting device, it is completely legal. While driving, you can single swipe or tap the screen to activate or deactivate a feature or function, but you cannot text, scroll or tap multiple times. The law allows using your cell phone for emergency purposes, including, but not limited to, an emergency call to a law enforcement agency, health care provider, fire department, or other emergency services agency or entity.

Any driver under the age of 18 cannot use a cell phone or any other electronic wireless device at all (not hand-held, hands-free, Bluetooth, speakerphone, or any other means) except for the above emergency purposes.

San Francisco is committed to eliminating traffic deaths on our streets as part of Vision Zero SF. Vision Zero SF is our city's commitment to prioritize safe streets for everyone.

Funding for this program is provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.



San Francisco Police Make Arrest in Firearms, Explosives Investigation 21-051

MARCH 03, 2021 | 4:23 PM

On February 21, 2021 at approximately 10:05 PM, San Francisco Police officers from Southern Police Station responded to the unit block of Stillman Street regarding a report of a shot fired. Officers determined that the victim, a 42-year-old male was in the process of repossessing a 2017 Mercedes Benz when he heard a loud noise. The victim turned and saw the suspect holding a handgun. He then noticed a bullet hole in the driver's side door of the Mercedes. The victim was not injured.



The suspect retrieved items from the car and entered his residence. The victim continued to hook the Mercedes to the tow truck but then saw that the suspect was pointing an assault rifle toward him from the gated area of his building. The victim disconnected the Mercedes, fled the area, and called 911.

Officers were not able to locate the suspect and impounded the Mercedes.

On February 23, 2021 at approximately 3:04 PM, SFPD investigators from the Crime Gun Investigations Center (CGIC) and Gang Task Force (GTF), along with special agents from the Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) responded to the suspect's residence to arrest the suspect and serve a search warrant. When the suspect, 31-year-old Cameron Ybarra exited his residence, SFPD officers attempted to take him into custody. Ybarra immediately resisted their efforts to take him into custody. He was armed with a handgun in his waistband. SFPD members and ATF were able to take him into custody after a struggle.

SFPD investigators and Federal agents served a search warrant at his residence and seized items including an assault rifle, privately made firearms (aka "ghost guns"), ammunition, magazines, body armor, a silencer, a "3D printer," other gun manufacturing items, fraudulent identification materials and suspected bomb making materials.

A suspicious device was also located, and the apartment building was evacuated. The SFPD Explosive Ordinance Disposal Unit (EOD) arrived and took custody of the item which was determined to be an explosive device.

Ybarra was transported to a local hospital for treatment and later booked at the SF County Jail. He was rebooked on the following charges: Carrying a Concealed Weapon (25400(a)(2) PC), Carrying a Loaded Firearm in Public (25850(a) PC), Possession of Ammunition by a Prohibited Person (30305 (a)(1) PC), Discharge of a Firearm in a Grossly Negligent Manner (246.3 (a) PC), Possession of a Silencer (33410 PC), three counts of Felon in Possession of a Firearm (29800 (a) (1) PC), Assault with a Deadly Weapon/Assault Weapon (245(a)(3) PC, Possession of an Explosive Device (18715(a)(3) PC, and Resisting, Delaying or Obstructing a Peace Officer (148(a)(1) PC).

Ybarra is on probation for a prior burglary arrest. He also has an open case in San Francisco Superior Court for a September 2019 incident in which he violently resisted arrest causing serious injury to an SFPD officer. That officer has yet to return to full duty.

While an arrest has been made, this remains an active and ongoing 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.



San Francisco Police Arrest Garage Burglar 21-047

FEBRUARY 25, 2021 | 11:44 AM

On December 13, 2020 San Francisco Police officers from Richmond Station responded to the 1600 block of Lyon Street for a report of a burglary. Officers met with the victim who told officers that his garage was broken into during the night and three of his bicycles were stolen. Officers obtained video surveillance, which showed three suspects forcibly enter the victim's garage, take the bicycles, and flee.

On January 1, 2021 San Francisco Police officers from Taraval Station responded to the 1500 block of 8th Avenue for a report of a burglary. Officers met with the victims who said that at approximately 7:00 a.m. they received an alert from their security system that there was activity in their garage. The victims went to their garage, found the door open and determined that a bike was taken.

On January 30, 2021 San Francisco Police officers from Northern Station responded to the 1600 block of Bay Street regarding a burglary. Officers met with the victim who told officers that her garage was broken into during the night and a bicycle was stolen. Officers obtained video surveillance, which showed two suspects forcibly enter the victim's garage, take a bicycle, and flee.

Believing that the incidents were related the SFPD Burglary Unit took over the investigation. Investigators identified one of the suspects connected to all three incidents as 26-year-old Alberto Cauich of San Francisco. On February 9, 2021 investigators served a search warrant on the 400 block of Jones Street where Cauich was taken into custody without incident.

Cauich was later transported to San Francisco County Jail and booked on three counts of first-degree burglary (459 PC).

While an arrest has been made, this remains an open investigation. Investigators are asking anyone with information - including cell phone or surveillance camera video - regarding this incident to call the SFPD 24-hour-tip line at [1-415-575-4444](tel:1-415-575-4444) or Text a Tip to [TIP411](tel:415-575-4444) and begin the message with SFPD.



San Francisco Police Make Arrest in Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Investigation 21-045

FEBRUARY 23, 2021 | 2:09 PM

In January 2021 the SFPD Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Unit was assigned a case involving an individual who was storing hundreds of child pornography files being stored in a cloud storage account.

The account was found to contain images of prepubescent minors being sexually abused by adults.

On February 19, 2021 SFPD investigators served search warrants at apartments located on the 1800 block of Jackson Street and the 1700 block of Clay Street, both of which were associated with the owner of the cloud account.

During the search warrant investigators were able to link the cloud storage account to one of the residents, 52-year-old Bruce Taylor.

During the investigation it was also discovered that Taylor was surreptitiously recording underage minors and other women at different locations throughout San Francisco.

Taylor was placed under arrest for one count of possession of child pornography, one count of possession of over 600 files of child pornography involving children under the age of twelve (12), and one count of possession of child pornography involving sadomasochism.

It was determined that Taylor is a former youth lacrosse coach at a private school in San Francisco.

The charges were refiled by the San Francisco District Attorney's Office.

If you feel you may have been a victim or have had any suspicious contact with Bruce Taylor please contact the Special Victims Unit (415) 734-3038.

As of the date of this news release, Taylor remains in custody.



San Francisco Police Request Public Assistance in Locating Stolen Maltese Puppy 21-048

FEBRUARY 25, 2021 | 4:58 PM

On February 22, 2021 at approximately 12:29 PM, San Francisco Police officers from Central Police Station responded to the 200 block of Sutter Street regarding an auto burglary and theft of a dog. The victim, a 23-year-old Los Gatos resident, told officers that he parked his Subaru SUV at approximately 10:00 AM, leaving his 4-month-old Maltese puppy, "Scruggs" inside the car. The victim returned about 30 minutes later and discovered that an unknown suspect had stolen Scruggs.

Through the course of an investigation which included surveillance video, the suspect was identified as 43-year-old Viengphet Sasone.

On February 25, 2021 at approximately 12:50 PM, SFPD officers took Sasone into custody on the 500 block of Mason Street. Sasone refused to tell investigators where Scruggs was located.

Sasone was later booked into the SF County Jail on the following charges: Auto Burglary, 2nd Degree (459 PC), Possession of Burglar Tools (466 PC) and a probation violation (1203.2(a) PC. Sasone is on probation in San Francisco County for a prior burglary offense.

SFPD Investigators are appealing to the public for assistance in locating Scruggs, ensuring his health and safety, and returning him to his family. Scruggs is a white, Maltese puppy, weighing approximately 12 pounds and last seen wearing a pink and blue leash/harness. His photo accompanies this news release.

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.



Domestic Violence

Domestic violence and abuse involve people in a relationship, whether they're married, living together, dating, separated, LGBTQ+ or straight. Domestic violence and abuse can include psychological mistreatment such as name-calling or insults, stalking and harassing behavior, isolating a partner in the home, withholding money or outright assault.

-Remember: Domestic violence is never okay. It is not your fault and help is available.

If you are the victim of domestic violence, call:

[9-1-1](#) in an emergency

[1-415-553-0123](#) for SFPD non-emergency support

[2-1-1](#) for a multilingual directory of community services

[1-877-503-1850](#) for [La Casa de las Madres](#), a 24-hour crisis support group that works closely with the SFPD

[1-800-799-7233](#) for the National Domestic Violence Hotline

You can also talk to your doctor. Most healthcare providers are trained to report domestic abuse and offer help to the victims. Be aware that they are also required by law to report such crimes.

San Francisco police are here to help

The SFPD Special Victims Unit (SVU) is located at 850 Bryant Street, fifth floor, and is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, [1-415-553-9225](#). We investigate all felony arrest cases involving domestic abuse against minors and adults and bring cases to the District Attorney's office for prosecution.

We also investigate cases in which arrests have not been made. If you are a victim in a case in which there has been no arrest, we will call to advise you on your next steps and what services may be available. Please remember to notify us if you do not want us to leave a message.

The SFPD works closely with [La Casa de las Madres](#). La Casa offers crisis response and support services including counseling and shelter to domestic violence victims.

Under CA Family Code § 6228, incident reports requested by a victim or their representative for the alleged crimes of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, human trafficking, and abuse of an elder or dependent adult are entitled to receive copies within five working days of the request, unless good cause for delay exists. If good cause exists, reports shall be released no later than ten working days after request is made. Contact SFPD's Crime Information Services Unit (CISU) at [1-415-575-7232](#) for assistance.

More resources:

A [list](#) of shelters, hotlines, & programs in San Francisco

Domestic violence information from the [San Francisco Department of Health](#)

Elder Abuse

Elder abuse can take many forms. It can include physical abuse, emotional abuse, neglect, abandonment, sexual abuse or financial abuse. The abusers may be the elders' family members or caregivers.

Warning signs of elder abuse

- Depression or confusion
- Unexplained bruises, burns, or scars
- Weight loss for no apparent reason
- Signs of trauma, such as rocking back and forth
- Agitated, violent or seems withdrawn
- Disheveled, with unwashed hair or dirty clothes
- Bed sores or other preventable conditions
- Recent or sudden financial loss

If you are an elder who is being mistreated or you know an elder showing signs of abuse, call:

[9-1-1](#) in an emergency

[2-1-1](#) for a multilingual directory of Bay Area community services

[1-415-553-0123](#) for SFPD non-emergency support

[1-800-971-0016](#) for the Friendship Line at the Institute on Aging

San Francisco police are here to help

The SFPD SVU investigates all felony arrest cases involving abuse and neglect involving someone 65 years or older or a dependent adult between the ages of 18 and 64. We also review non-arrest and misdemeanor cases and send them to the District Attorney if warranted. SVU is located at 850 Bryant Street, fifth floor, and is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, [1-415-553-9225](#).

For more information on elder abuse:

The [National Institute on Aging](#) provides extensive information on elder abuse;

The Eldercare Locator, reachable by phone at [1-800-677-1116](#), offers support programs for elders in your community.



San Francisco Police Release Burglary Awareness Crime Prevention Video

The San Francisco Police Department would like to remind the public to stay safe and help protect yourself from vehicle and home burglaries. Below are some simple steps you can take to help prevent your home or vehicle from being burglarized.

- Do not leave valuables in your vehicle
- Remove garage door opener from your vehicle if parked outside your garage
- Lock the door from your garage leading inside your home
- “Block the cord” – garage door openers have an emergency release cord that, when pulled, disconnects the door from the mechanism thereby making it easy for burglars to enter your garage

For more information on how to protect yourself, your family and your home from burglary please click on the link below and watch our safety video.

The video can be viewed by clicking this link: <https://vimeo.com/477012071>



Garages are prime targets for burglars

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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 vinyl 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 DOOR

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

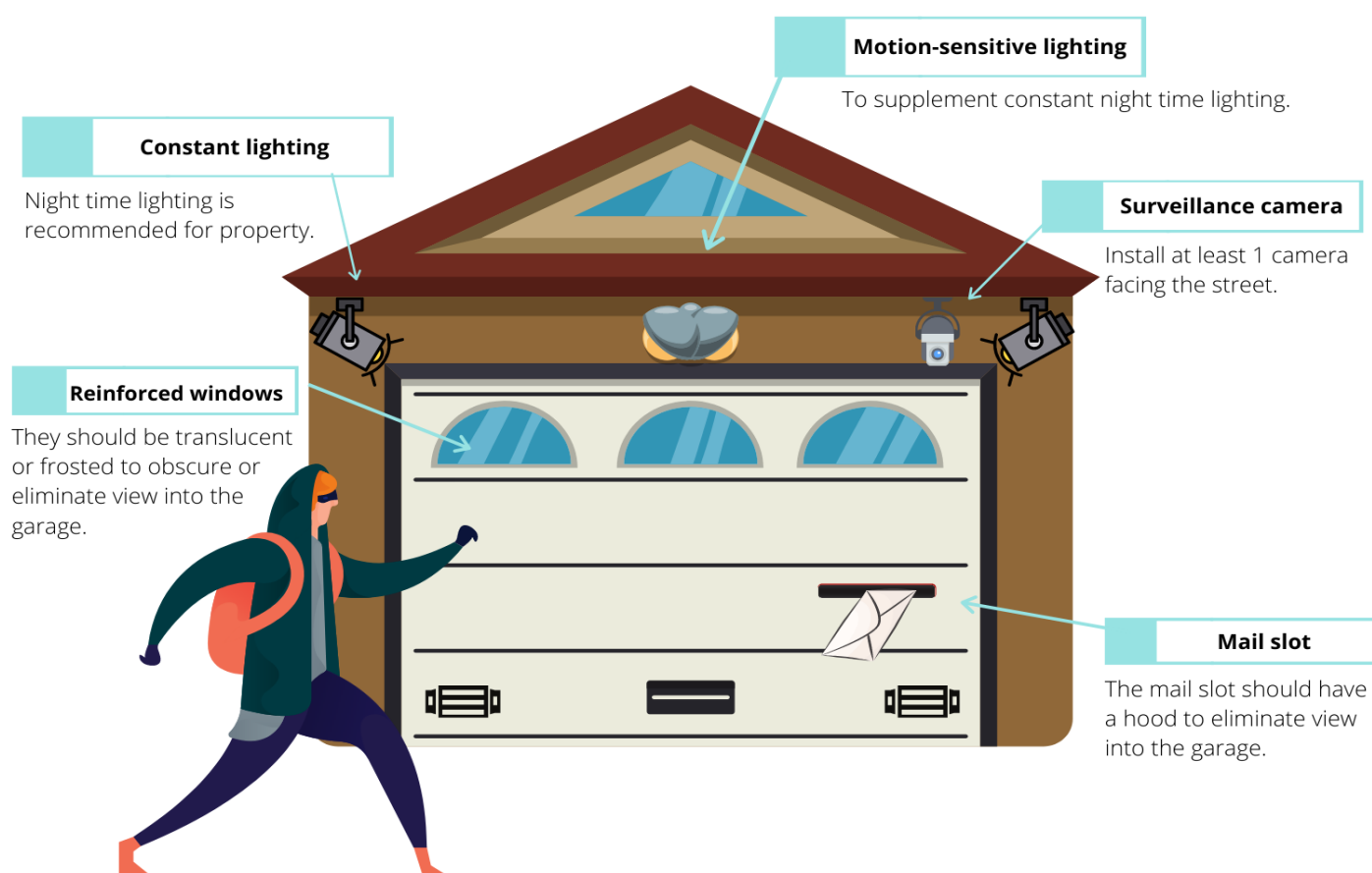
If the garage door is equipped with a mail slot, a hood cover will prevent any view into the garage and its contents, eliminating enticement to enter.

For additional information, please contact SF SAFE at (415) 553-1984 or visit sfsafe.org



PREVENT GARAGE DOOR BREAK-INS

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.

For more information, please contact SF SAFE at (415) 553-1984 or visit sfSAFE.org.



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.



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.



USE SPECIAL SERVICES

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



DELIVER TO SECURE LOCATIONS

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



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.



USE MODERN ALTERNATIVES

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



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.





SF SAFE CITY CAMERA PROGRAM



Through the SF SAFE City Camera Program, we address public safety needs and help reduce crime through collaboration.

By partnering with community stakeholders, such as local merchant associations, businesses, and community residents from San Francisco's high trafficked neighborhoods, commercial corridors, and our City government, we identify specific needs, install public safety cameras and create, develop, and implement safety plans with a meaningful community-led and community-driven process.

Through this program, SF SAFE targets high-risk and high-traffic city blocks comprising about 20-30 businesses or residential areas for the installation of high definition security cameras and surveillance technology. Typically, a coverage area of about 18-24 camera views per corridor is provided. Camera installation projects for commercial corridors take about 12 weeks from start to finish and encompass outreach, assessment, mapping and system installation. We work with technology vendors as the technology solutions and data privacy provider for this program, accountable to the most stringent level of self-imposed policy standards.

In addition to the security cameras acting as a visible crime deterrent, the footage is an extraordinary tool in assisting businesses and community members in the investigation of criminal activity if/when any occur. This program levels the playing field, holding all involved accountable, creating an equitable and true evidence chain for investigators and public defenders alike, as an innovative alternative policing tool empowering communities to take ownership over their own public safety needs.

To learn more about the SF SAFE City Camera Program, email sfsafecitycameraprogram@sfsafe.org.



Crime Definitions

Robbery – The taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in 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.

***Assault** is when a person swings their arm and **battery** is when that arm makes contact with another person.

Aggravated Assault – An unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault usually is accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm.

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.





Previous 2 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 :: Mon – February 22, 2021

Battery

3:11 am

00 Chumasero Dr

The victim reported that he had been in an ongoing verbal dispute with the suspect when the suspect reached for a nightstand drawer, broke it and threw the pieces at him.

Robbery

11:30 pm

1200 19th Ave

The victim reported that he had been riding his electric bicycle when the suspect suddenly approached and pushed the victim. When the victim did not fall off the bicycle, the suspect brought out a knife and threatened the victim before stealing the bicycle and riding away on it.

Assault

6:20 pm

200 Gonzalez Dr

The victim reported that he had been in the area when he was shot with a pellet gun, which caused bruising to the victim. The victim was unable to determine the direction of where the shots originated.

Daily Crime Report :: Tue – February 23, 2021

Traffic Violation – No Driver's License – Cited

9:33 pm

00 Sadowa St

Officers were on patrol in the area when they observed a vehicle without a license plate. The officers conducted a traffic stop and a computer check on the driver revealed that his license had been suspended. **The driver was cited.**

Assault

6:20 pm

Gonzalez Dr & Diaz Ave

The victim reported that she had been walking in the area when she suddenly felt a sharp pain and discovered that she had been bruised by a pellet gun shot.

Burglary – Resisting Arrest – Cited

3:11 pm

2100 46th Ave

The victim reported that his garage door had been left open all day due to a renovation and had arrived home to observe the suspect exiting the garage while holding a bottle of wine. The suspect attempted to flee on a skateboard but was detained by the victim and a witness. During the incident, the suspect attempted to hit the victim with a nearby pole. After further investigation, the suspect was arrested and **cited.**



Previous 2 Weeks Notable Incidents (Cont.)

Daily Crime Report :: Wed – February 24, 2021

Traffic Violation – Suspended Driver's License – Cited

10:31 am

19th Ave & Rivera St

Officers were on patrol in the area when they observed a vehicle with a broken windshield and a temporary license plate drive by. A computer check on the temporary license did not come back with results and the officers conducted a traffic stop. A computer check on the driver revealed that his license had been suspended. The driver was also unable to produce registration paperwork for his vehicle. After further investigation, the **driver was cited**.

Evading Police

5:34 pm

Lake Merced Blvd & Higuera Ave

Officers located a vehicle that had been involved in a retail theft and evaded CHP. The officers attempted to conduct a traffic stop but the vehicle immediately fled at a high, and unsafe, rate of speed. The officers did not pursue the vehicle due to safety concerns.

Daily Crime Report :: Thu – February 25, 2021

No notable incidents for this day. For more information, Go to <http://www.taraval.org/?p=18537>

Daily Crime Report :: Fri – February 26, 2021

Robbery

1:55 pm

1700 Noriega St

The victim reported that the first suspect, who was previously involved in shoplifting at the store, was observed placing multiple items of merchandise into an empty stroller. The second suspect, who accompanied the first suspect and was in a wheelchair, was also observed taking merchandise. The victim attempted to stop the suspects as they exited the store but the suspects responded by brandishing a knife at the victim. Both suspects then exited the store and walked away.

Fire

11:01 am

2800 Vicente St

Officers responded to a report of a fire. The victim reported that she had discovered burnt items in the parking lot of her business and believes that the suspect had been starting a fire to keep warm. The victim was concerned that the suspect may accidentally cause damage to the property.

Shoplifting with Force – Warrant Arrest – Arrested

7:14 am

700 Taraval St

The victims, employees of the store, confronted a shoplifter who responded by threatening and punching one of the victims. Responding officers arrived at the location and a computer check on the suspect revealed a warrant for his arrest. **The suspect was arrested.**



Previous 2 Weeks Notable Incidents (Cont.)

Daily Crime Report :: Sat – February 27, 2021

Vandalism – Threats – Resisting Arrest – Arrested

7:07 pm

400 Plymouth Ave

Officers responded to a report of a family dispute over the custody of a child. During the incident, the suspect damaged the victim's property and threatened the victim. Responding officers arrived at the location and placed the suspect into handcuffs despite the suspect resisting and kicking both officers. **The suspect was arrested.**

Vehicle Strip – Possession of Burglary Tools- Traffic Violation – Cited

3:15 am

17th Ave & Vicente St

The victim reported that he had heard a suspicious noise and observe a vehicle had been parked next to his with a suspect inside the victim's vehicle. The suspect then returned to his vehicle and the vehicle drove away. The victim checked his vehicle and observed that several items were missing. Responding officers located the suspect's vehicle and conducted a traffic stop. The officers approached the vehicle and observed a window punch and burglary tools. After further investigation, **two suspects were cited.**

Daily Crime Report :: Sun – February 28, 2021

Arson

3:48 am

Lake Merced Blvd & Font Blvd

Officers responded to a report of a fire which was later extinguished by the SFFD. The witness reported that a food truck was on fire before calling the SFFD and SFPD.

Assault

7:33 pm

Lawton St & 10th Ave

The victim entered Taraval Station to report the he was picking up items to recycle when two known suspects suddenly approached him and assaulted him. The suspects then fled the area.

Daily Crime Report :: Mon – March 01, 2021

Robbery

10:12 am

200 West Portal Ave

The victim reported that the suspect, who had a history of shoplifting, was observed walking into the store and putting merchandise into his bag. The victim confronted the suspect and the suspect responded by hitting the victim with his skateboard. The suspect then immediately fled the area.

Violation of Restraining Order – Brandishing a Weapon – Cited

3:15 am

00 Taraval St

Responding officers arrived at the location and made contact with the parties involved. The first party stated that despite a restraining order on the second party, the second party arrived at the first party's house. The second party reported that, during the incident, a gun had been pointed at them. After further investigation, **both parties are cited.**



Previous 2 Weeks Notable Incidents (Cont.)

Daily Crime Report :: Tue – March 02, 2021

No notable incidents for this day. For more information, Go to <http://www.taraval.org/?p=18553>

Daily Crime Report :: Wed – March 03, 2021

Breaking Windows

8:34 pm

1100 Junipero Serra Blvd

The witness, a store employee, reported that the suspect had requested to purchase a cigar and a soda but could not provide identification for age verification. The suspect exited the store but returned shortly afterwards and aggressively kicked and hit the store's glass door, causing it to break. Responding officers detained the suspect, and after further investigation, the **suspect was arrested**.

Daily Crime Report :: Thu – March 04, 2021

Threats – Battery

7:45 am

Santiago St & 36th Ave

The victim reported that he had been driving behind a vehicle when it suddenly stopped. The suspect, the driver of the vehicle, exited and asked what victim's problem was before punching the victim's head. The suspect returned to his vehicle and the victim continued to follow behind the suspect after calling to report the incident. Shortly afterwards, the suspect stopped and exited his vehicle before motioning to his waistband and threatening to shoot the victim. The suspect then drove away from the victim.

Warrant Arrest – Arrested

4:14 pm

Capitol Ave & Broad St

Officers were on patrol in the area when they observed a known subject, who was inside a parked vehicle, with an active arrest warrant. The officers conducted a traffic stop and **the subject was arrested**.

Battery – Cited

10:21 pm

200 Granada Ave

Officers responded to a report of two tenants, who lived in separate rooms, who were arguing with each other. Both parties claimed that the other party had hit them during the argument. After further investigation, **both parties were cited**.

Stolen Vehicle – Possession of Stolen Property – Arrested

11:23 am

46th Ave & Ortega St

The victim, an employee for a scooter rental company, reported that he had left his vehicle unlocked and running when he was delivering electric scooters to different locations when his vehicle was stolen and driven away. The victim contacted SFPD and stated that his vehicle was being tracked and currently in the Mission district. Responding officers located the vehicle and **arrested the suspect**, who attempted to flee the area on foot after the officers approached him.



Previous 2 Weeks Notable Incidents (Cont.)

Daily Crime Report :: Fri – March 05, 2021

Trespassing – Cited

9:20 pm

00 Lenox Way

The witness reported that four juvenile suspects were observed breaking into a school. Responding officers arrived at the location and approached the suspects, who immediately attempted to flee the area. The officers detained two of the suspects and after further investigation, **the suspects were cited to their parents.**

Warrant Arrest

5:12 pm

2600 Vicente St

The witness reported that the subject, who was known to the witness, had ingested narcotics and had passed out earlier. The witness woke the subject up and an argument ensued. The witness stated that he no longer wanted the subject in the house and notified SFPD of the subject's location and that there was an active arrest warrant. After further investigation, **the subject was arrested.**

Assault

10:45 pm

100 Font Blvd

The victim reported that he had been in the lobby of the building when a group of suspects exited the elevator and yelled at the victim. Two suspects also punched and kicked the victim before all the suspects entered the elevator and went up to an unknown floor.

Daily Crime Report :: Sat – March 06, 2021

No notable incidents for this day. For more information, Go to <http://www.taraval.org/?p=18563>

Daily Crime Report :: Sun – March 07, 2021

Vandalism to Property – Cited

9:15 pm

2200 Taraval St

Officers responded to a report of a known suspect who was vandalizing the location. Responding officers located the suspect and detained him. After further investigation, it was revealed that the suspect had been arrested the previous week for damaging the same property. **The suspect was cited.**

Stolen Vehicle

1:09 pm

300 Sargent St

The witness reported that he had suddenly been woken up and heard the victim's truck running before it was driven away by the suspects. The witness followed the vehicle until it stopped and parked. Two suspects then exited the vehicle and walked away from it.

Note: Not all crimes are reported here

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>

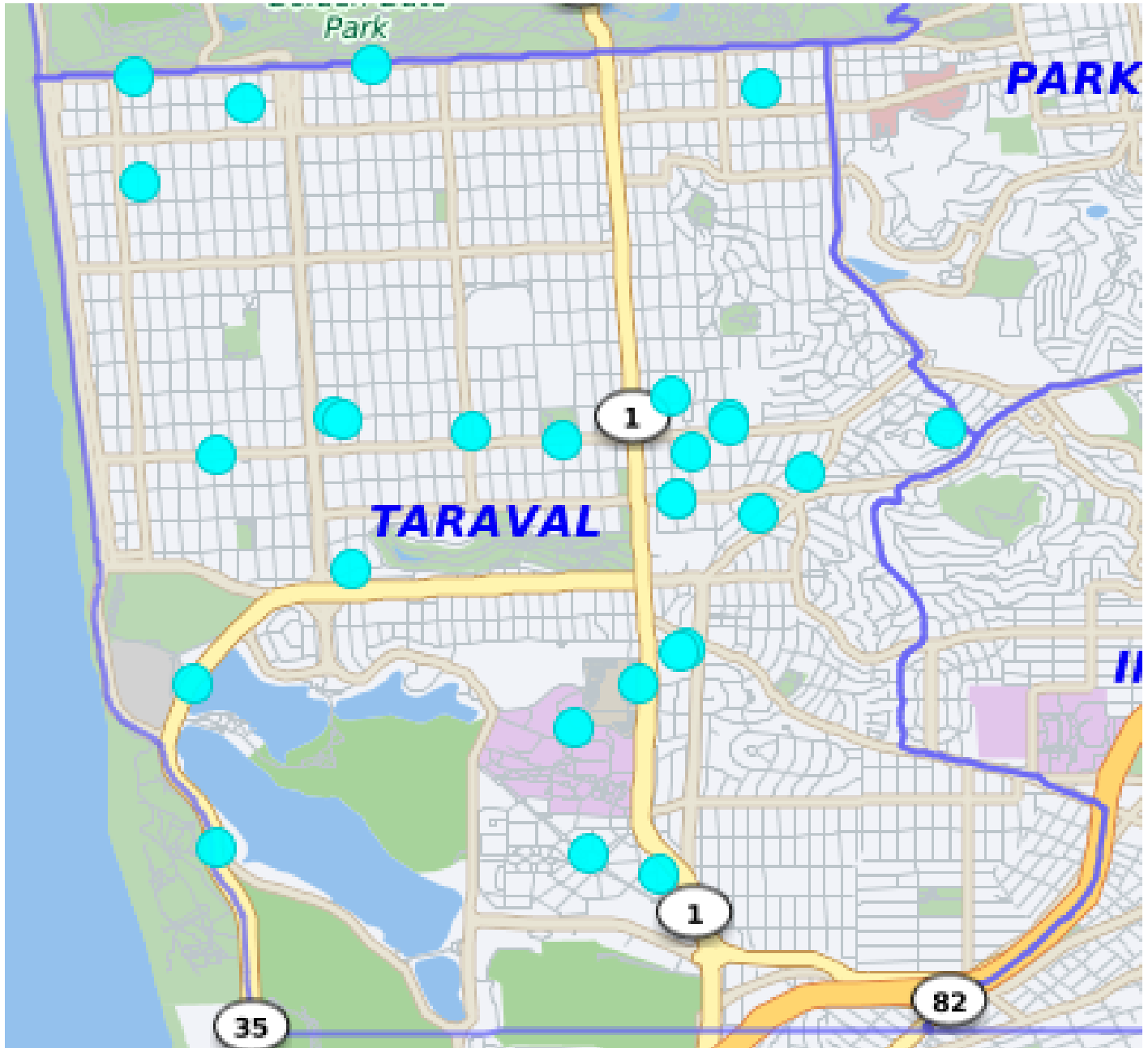


TARAVAL STATION



Auto Burglaries 02/22/21 – 03/07/21

Auto Burglaries	29
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If the dots does not add up to the number, there may be multiple incidents with the same address.

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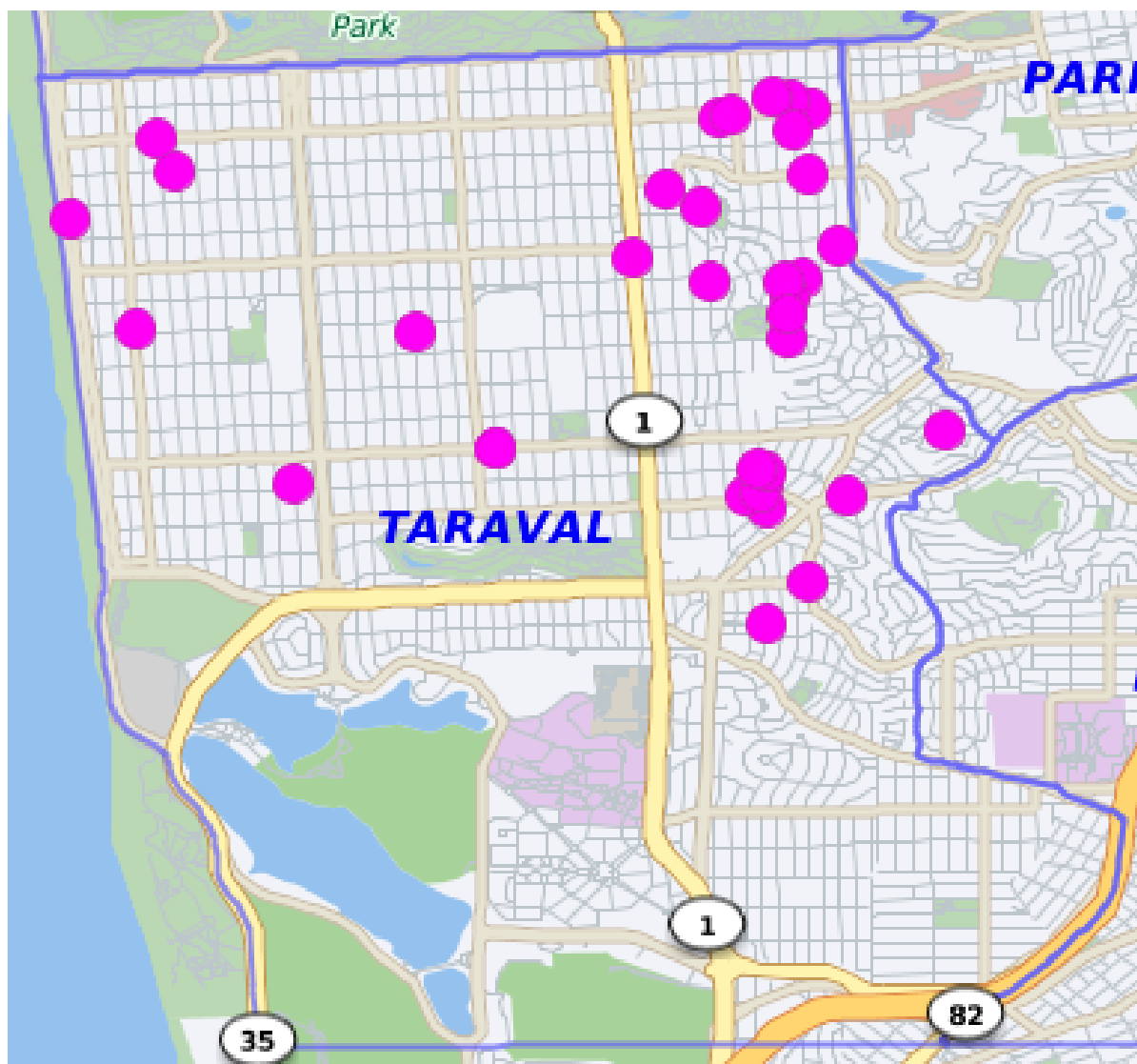
TARAVAL STATION



Commercial and Residential Burglaries

02/22/21 – 03/07/21

BURGLARY	Attempted Forcible Entry	6
	Forcible Entry	21
	Unlawful Entry - No force	8
		35



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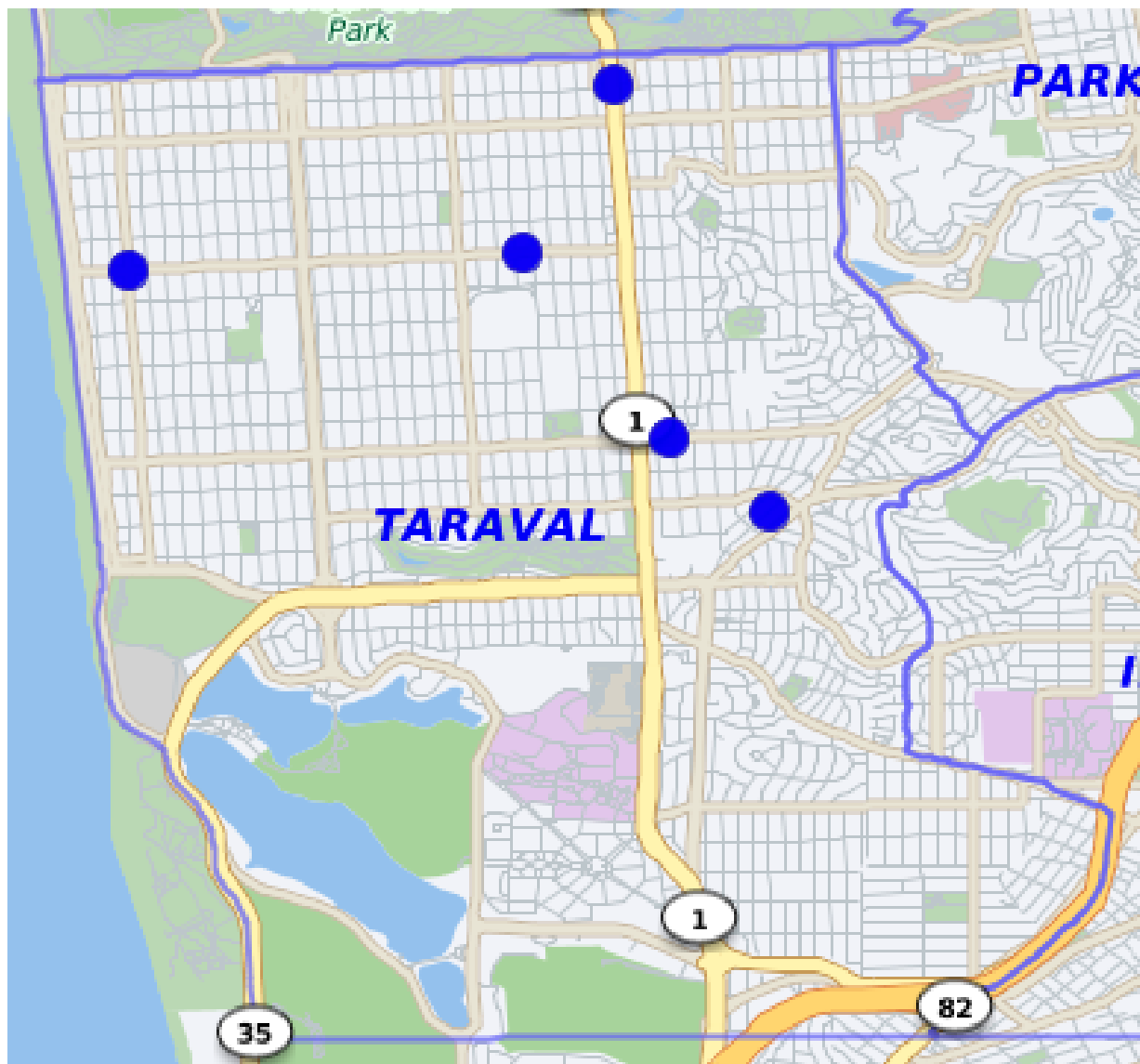


TARAVALE STATION



Robbery 02/22/21 – 03/07/21

ROBBERY	Firearm	0
	Knife or Cutting Instrument	2
	Other Dangerous Weapon	1
	Strongarm (no weapon)	2
		5



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Police Commission Disciplinary Actions "Veronese" Reports

Quarterly Disciplinary Review Board report is located at:

<https://sfgov.org/policecommission/police-commission-disciplinary-actions-veronese-reports>

Published Reports

Information to the community on Use of Force, Early Intervention System, FDRB Reports, Reports on IAD and Police Commission Sustained Complaints and Sworn Demographics and General information regarding the investigation of Officer Involved Shootings, including the Quarterly Update on Officer Involved Shooting Investigations located at:

<https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/your-sfpd/published-reports>

Department Published Reports

Use of Force, Stops & Arrests

The [Quarterly Report on Arrests, Uses of Force and Stop Data](#) is published quarterly per section 96.A.3 of the San Francisco Administrative Code.

Firearms Discharges

Every time an officer discharges their weapon, no matter the circumstance, the Department convenes the Firearms Discharge Review Board (FDRB) per [DGO 3.10](#). The FDRB meets as needed quarterly, and [findings of the FDRB](#) are presented to the San Francisco Police Commission.

Early Intervention System

The San Francisco Police Department's Early Intervention System (EIS) is a structured system that identifies and manages behaviors that result in performance related problems by individual members. The EIS system, per [DGO 3.19](#), is a non-disciplinary intervention to assist members in professional development. [EIS publishes reports quarterly](#).

Officer Involved Shootings (OIS) Historical Data

Officer Involved Shootings, Suspect-Involved, 2009 – 2019

SFPD updates the [yearly statistics](#) for the Officer Involved Shootings (OIS) Historical Data each year in February for the prior year.

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the San Francisco District Attorney's Office and the San Francisco Police Department

The [MOU](#) outlines the agreement between the San Francisco District Attorney's Office and the San Francisco Police Department regarding the procedures for the criminal investigation of "Covered Incidents" to determine if an officer committed a criminal offense.

Historical Traffic Stops Reports

The Department previously used eStop to collect information on traffic stops. On July 1, 2018, the Department discontinued the use of eStop and began using the State of California's Stop Data Collection System (SDCS). Current stop data collection can be found in the [quarterly 96a Use of Force/Encounter Report for the correlating quarter](#).



Request a Police Incident Report Copy

The San Francisco Police Department is concerned for your health and safety, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic. We have closed our in person request window at Police Headquarters (1245 3rd Street) to adhere to social distancing recommendations and to minimize exposure to the coronavirus. Please note copies of Police Incident Reports **ARE NOT** available from Police Stations. **Obtaining a copy of your report is FREE.** See options below to request a police report.



I WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST A COPY OF MY POLICE REPORT

REPORTS ARE NOT TO BE RELEASED AT DISTRICT STATIONS



1	<p>Determine the type of report and whom is requesting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Victim of a DV, Sexual Assault, Stalking, Elder Abuse, or Human Trafficking – Go to Step 2 • General Crime or Collision Report – Go to step 3 • Public Information or Voluminous Requests– Go to Step 4 • Media requests direct to Media Relations 415-837-7395 or sfmediarelations@sfgov.org
2	<p>Station personnel are not authorized to release this report to the public. The release will be facilitated through CISU only (sfpd.records@sfgov.org)</p> <p>Victim of DV, Sexual Assault, Stalking, Elder Abuse, or Human Trafficking</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide SFPD Form 591 (appropriate language version) to requestor. 2. During business hours (0800 hrs. to 1700 hrs. Monday – Friday) Call CISU 415-575-7232 and ask to speak with a Supervisor. They will walk you through next steps. 3. NOT during business hours (1800 hrs. to 0800 hrs. or anytime Saturday and Sunday), notify the requestor that they may mail, email or provide form to CISU in person. CISU will process the request within 5 business days. <p>CISU is located at Police Headquarters 1245 3rd Street, Main Floor Lobby. CISU is open to the public from 0800 hrs. to 1700 hrs. Monday – Friday.</p> <p>For more info go to SFPD website → Get Service → Obtain a Police Report or Traffic Collision Report → Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, Stalking, Human Trafficking, Elder Abuse</p> <p>**Note to Station: On occasion CISU may contact Station personnel to facilitate the validation of an individual's identification. CISU will provide instruction at time of contact.</p>
3	<p>Station personnel are not authorized to release this report to the public. The release will be facilitated through CISU only (sfpd.records@sfgov.org)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. General Crime: Provide SFPD Form 491E (or appropriate language version) to requestor. They may mail, email or provide form to CISU in person. CISU will process the request within 10 calendar days 2. Collision report (Hit & Run, Drunk Driving and Personal Injury cases): Provide SFPD Form 491E (or appropriate language version) to requestor. Generally, a Collision report is not available until a minimum of 5 days after the date of the incident. <p>For more info go to SFPD website → Get Service → Obtain a Police Report or Traffic Collision Report</p>
4	<p>Public Information or Voluminous Requests or requests for incident photos, video, body camera footage, statements, etc. direct them to make a Public Records Request via:</p> <p>https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/get-service/public-records-request</p>

SFPD 602



Community Boards Conflict Resolution Center

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

(415) 920-3820 • 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!



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:

Monthly community meeting are currently on hold due to the current situation, we will update everyone with the date and location of our next meeting. Stay tune for more info.

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.



TARAVAL STATION



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/bias-free.

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.



Policía sin Sesgos



Todos merecemos ser tratados con justicia.

Los oficiales de SFPD se someten a entrenamiento de imparcialidad y justicia procesal.
Nuestro objetivo es garantizar policía comunitaria justa y imparcial.

Estamos dedicados a brindar seguridad con respeto para todos.

Conozca nuestros esfuerzos para eliminar el sesgo y elevar



無偏見警務



每個人都應該得到公平的對待。

SFPD
官員接受不偏不倚的程序及正義培訓。我們的目標是確保公平公正的警務。

我們致力提供所有安全及尊重。

想了解更多地消除偏見並增加問責制，
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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.

[Community Surveys | San Francisco Police Department](#)

Community Events Survey

If you recently attended or participated in an event or program hosted by the Department such as Coffee with a Cop, National Night Out, or ALERT program, please take some time to fill out our community events survey.

TAKE OUR COMMUNITY EVENTS SURVEY

Powered by SurveyMonkey

[San Francisco Police Department Community Events Survey \(surveymonkey.com\)](#)

Foot & Bike Patrol Survey

If you interacted with foot beat or bike patrol officers, please take some time to fill out our foot and bike patrol survey. Your response will help SFPD determine community policing and crime strategies.

TAKE OUR FOOT & BIKE PATROL SURVEY

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[San Francisco Police Department Foot and Bike Patrol Survey \(surveymonkey.com\)](#)

Implicit Bias Survey

If you recently interacted with our officers, please take some time to fill out our implicit bias survey which will measure progress in the Department's commitment to impartial policing and procedural justice.

TAKE OUR IMPLICIT BIAS SURVEY

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[San Francisco Police Department Implicit Bias](#)



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SFPD Foot and Bike Patrol Survey

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SFPD Implicit Bias Survey

[San Francisco Police Department Implicit Bias Survey \(surveymonkey.com\)](https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/sfpd-implicit-bias-survey)



Police Commendation

<https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/get-service/police-commendation>

Everyone appreciates a compliment! There are several ways you can offer a compliment to our officers and civilian workers for a job well done:

You can email the Captain of the station in your neighborhood. For Taraval Station, Email Aaron.Lozada@sfgov.org

You can contact the department's Community Engagement Division, at: sfpdcommunityrelations@sfgov.org.

You can also write to or email Chief William Scott: SFPDChief@sfgov.org

San Francisco Police Headquarters, Chief's Office

1245 3rd Street, 6th Floor

San Francisco, CA 94158

Police Complaint

<https://www.sanfranciscopolice.org/get-service/police-complaint>

The San Francisco Police Department is committed to ensuring that all of our officers and civilian staff provide unbiased, quality service to our City's diverse communities. Toward that goal, the SFPD and the City of San Francisco provide several ways to file a complaint.

The Department of Police Accountability is charged with impartially investigating complaints against SFPD officers and making policy recommendations regarding police practices. You can also call the DPA at [1-415-241-7711](tel:1-415-241-7711) (the TTY line is [1-415-241-7770](tel:1-415-241-7770)) or visit the Department of Police Accountability website to file a complaint at <https://sfgov.org/dpa/>.

The DPA is located at 1 South Van Ness Ave., 8th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94103.

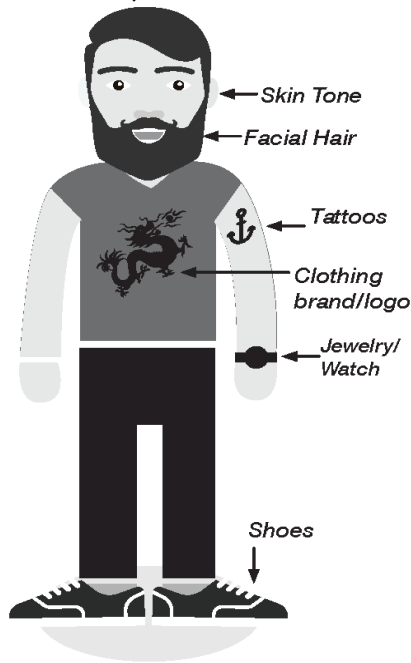
You may also contact a department supervisor at any SFPD police station. [Each station](#) is open 24 hours a day. SFPD personnel are required to receive complaints courteously and to assist you with filing them.



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
- ☒ 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





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

MAKE THE RIGHT CALL		KEEP 9-1-1 AVAILABLE FOR EMERGENCIES	
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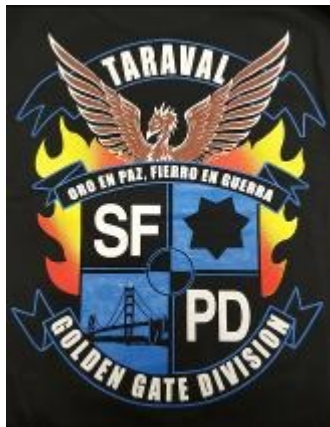


TARAVAL STATION



SFPD RESOURCES

EMERGENCY: 911
 Non-Emergency: 553-0123
 Cell Phone 911: 911 / 553-8090
 Customer Service Center: 311
 SFPD 24 hour Tip Line: 575-4444
 Anonymous Tip-Line 575-4444
 Chinese Tip Line: 558-5588
 Text a Tip: Tip411 (847411)
 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
 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 / Taraval Station E-mail: SFPDTaravalStation@sfgov.org
 To Reserve Our Community Room: taravalcommunityroom@sfgov.org (closed due to Covid)

OTHER RESOURCES

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



YOU CAN CALL 311 TO CONTACT THE DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS AND THE DEPT. OF PARKING AND TRAFFIC / SFMTA. YOU CAN ALSO REPORT/REQUEST:

- STREET OR SIDEWALK CLEANING
- GRAFFITI
- STREETLIGHT REPAIR
- ILLEGAL POSTINGS
- ABANDONED VEHICLES
- AND MUCH MORE... CHECK OUT THEIR WEBSITE AT SF311.ORG.

Dispose of Unwanted and Expired Medication at Taraval Station

There is a secured bin at Taraval Station where you can dispose of unwanted and expired medication at any time of the day or night. The bin will accept any type of prescription and off the shelf medication.

When disposing the medication, please leave it in the original container with your personal information crossed out or removed. You can also place the medication into a clear plastic zip top baggies. Contact the front desk officer and inform them that you want your medication dispose of. The officer will assist you. Please note that once an item that had been disposed of inside the bin, we cannot retrieve it. So make sure your ring, cell phone or anything of value is not accidentally disposed of.



ALL EMERGENCY CALLS: 911

We, the members of the San Francisco Police Department, are committed to excellence in law enforcement and are dedicated to the people, traditions and diversity of our City. In order to protect life and property, prevent crime and reduce the fear of crime, we will provide service with understanding, response with compassion, performance with integrity and law enforcement with vision.