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Pimping and Pandering

Filed on 7/22/2009 1:30:00 PM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

Pimping and Pandering case that began in September 2008.

Public Safety Advisory - California Lottery Scam

Filed on 7/21/2009 1:00:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

Beware of lottery scams using bogus or altered California Lottery tickets.

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Press Release - Home Loan Modification Scam

Filed on 7/16/2009 3:00:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

Between Sept. 2008 and Jan. 2009, hundreds of homeowners were defrauded in loan modification scam in San Jose.

Homicide #16 (UPDATED with victim's information): 300 block of N. Capitol Avenue

Filed on 7/16/2009 10:30:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On Thursday, July 9, 2009, at 12:35 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a weapons call.

Fatal Traffic Collision, Auto vs Pedestrian, 800 Block of North 1st

Filed on 7/16/2009 8:40:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

On Wednesday, July 15, 2009, at 10:15 PM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to an auto vs pedestrian

Press Release: Bank Robbery, 6/26/09

Filed on 7/10/2009 1:00:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

The Wells Fargo Bank, 3321 San Felipe Road, was robbed on Friday, June 26, 2009.

Homicide #16: 300 block of N. Capitol Avenue

Filed on 7/9/2009 10:01:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On Thursday, July 9, 2009, at 12:35 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a weapons call.

Homicide #15- 90 Block of Esfahan Drive

Filed on 7/7/2009 11:00:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

On Monday, July 6, 2009 at 8:39 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a person shot.

Homicide #14-Guadalupe Creek near W. Julian Street

Filed on 7/6/2009 7:47:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 7/4/09 a homicide occurred in the Guadalupe Creek, near W. Julian Street.

Homicide #15- 90 Block of Esfahan Drive

Filed on 7/6/2009 5:15:00 PM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

On Monday, July 6, 2009 at 8:39 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a person shot.

DUI Checkpoint - Friday, July 3, 2009 (UPDATED WITH LOCATION)

Filed on 7/3/2009 6:50:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

The SJPD will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Friday, July 3, 2009, from 9:00 PM to 3:00 AM

UPDATED 7/3/09: Press Release: Street Vendor Abduction Investigation

Filed on 7/3/2009 11:14:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

An abduction of two male adult street vendors occurred on 6/29/09 at during the morning hours.

Media Advisory - Summertime Safety

Filed on 7/2/2009 5:54:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

San Jose Police remind adults to be cautious and safety-oriented with children during the summer vacation.

UPDATE: Arrest Made on Homicide #11, 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

Filed on 7/2/2009 4:49:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On Saturday, May 23, 2009 at 5:54 PM, Officers were dispatched to a person down.

Press Release: Residential Burglar Arrested

Filed on 7/2/2009 2:01:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 6/30/09, approximately 10:16 a.m., a residential burglar was arrested and booked into jail.

DUI Checkpoint - Friday, July 3, 2009

Filed on 7/2/2009 7:45:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

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Press Release: Street Vendor Abduction Investigation

Filed on 7/1/2009 4:09:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

An abduction of two male adult street vendors occurred on 6/29/09 at during the morning hours.

Press Release - Asking the Public to Assist in Identifying an Armed Robbery Suspect.

Filed on 6/26/2009 10:57:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 4/25/09, approximately 9:25 a.m., an armed robbery occurred at the MeriWest Credit Union, 5615 Chesbro Avenue.

Press Release - Armed Robbery / Police Impersonator

Filed on 6/24/2009 4:19:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 6/9/09, the suspect robbed the victim while at the Days Inn Hotel in San Jose.

Fatal Traffic Collision #18 - Single Vehicle (Double Fatality)

Filed on 6/23/2009 9:31:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 6/22/09, approx. 5:12 pm, a single vehicle collided with a lamp pole near Yerba Buena Road and Edenwood Drive.

Fatal Traffic Collision #17 - Vehicle vs. Pedestrian

Filed on 6/23/2009 8:46:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 6/20/09, approx. 1:14 pm, a 1983 Ford pick-up truck fatally struck a pedestrian at

Fatal Traffic Collision - Light Rail Vehicle vs. Pedestrian

Filed on 6/19/2009 12:19:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 6/18/09, approx. 3:45 pm, a light rail vehicle fatally struck a pedestrian at Southwest Expy and Leigh Avenue.

Media Advisory - National Night Out 2009

Filed on 6/18/2009 1:01:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

National Night Out 2009 will occur on Tuesday, August 4th.

Rape in Concert

Filed on 6/18/2009 10:10:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 5/4/09 a rape occurred in the 700 block of Kings Row in San Jose.

Homicide #13-Glen Hardy Ct at Glen Hanleigh Dr.

Filed on 6/15/2009 11:24:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

On Sunday, June 14, 2009, at 3:07 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a local hospital.

DUI Checkpoint - Friday, June 12, 2009 (Updated with Location)

Filed on 6/12/2009 7:00:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

The SJPD will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Friday, June 12, 2009, from 9:00 PM to 3:00 AM.

Law Enforcement Torch Run

Filed on 6/11/2009 11:33:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

Law Enforcement Torch Run-The 33rd annual benefiting Northern California Special Olympics

DUI Checkpoint - Friday, June 12, 2009

Filed on 6/11/2009 10:41:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

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Fatal Auto vs. Pedestrian Traffic Collision

Filed on 6/10/2009 12:03:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 6/9/09, approximately 9:50 pm, an automobile vs. pedestrian collision occurred at S. Bascom and Pamilar avenues.

Homicide #10 (SKETCH UPDATE)- 3300 block of Rocky Mountain Drive

Filed on 6/4/2009 3:24:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 5/7/09, approximately 3:45 p.m., a homicide occurred in the 3300-block of Rocky Mountain Drive.

Homicide #12- 5200 Block of Dent Ave

Filed on 6/2/2009 9:18:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

On Saturday, May 30,2009 at 4:23 AM, San Jose Police Officers responded to a shooting at the 5200 Block of Dent Av

Attempted Homicide/Armed Robbery

Filed on 6/1/2009 6:10:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

On April 28, 2009 at approximately 9:10 PM, an attempted homicide/armed robbery occurred on the sidewalk of Mc Laughlin Avenue and Bacchus in San Jose. The 65-year old male victim was walking down the sidewalk, when he was approached by two suspects ...

Homicide #11(Update)- 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

Filed on 5/28/2009 10:56:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

On Saturday, May 23, 2009 at 5:54 PM, Officers were dispatched to a person down.

Homicide #11- 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

Filed on 5/26/2009 9:52:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

On Saturday, May 23, 2009 at 5:54 PM, Officers were dispatched to a person down.

UPDATE - DUI Checkpoint - May 23, 2009

Filed on 5/23/2009 7:00:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

The SJPD will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Sat., May 23, 2009, from 9:00 PM to 3:00 AM.

Lewd Acts with A Child

Filed on 5/22/2009 5:02:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

On March 25, 2007, San Jose Police Department's Child Exploitation Detail received a report that Andrew King, a 61-year-old, head swim coach for San Jose Aquatics, had inappropriate relations with a 14-year-old female swimmer.

DUI Checkpoint - May 23, 2009

Filed on 5/22/2009 8:00:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

The SJPD will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Sat., May 23, 2009, from 9:00 PM to 3:00 AM.

UPDATED ADVISORY: CLICK IT OR TICKET seatbelt campaign scheduled 5/18/09-5/30/09.

Filed on 5/14/2009 2:45:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

The San Jose Police Department will be out in force during the weeks of 5/18/09-5/30/09, enforcing seatbelt laws.

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Media Advisory- Police Memorial and Flag Ceremony

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Homicide #10 (UPDATE)- 3300 block of Rocky Mountain Drive

Filed on 5/12/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 5/7/09, approximately 3:45 p.m., a homicide occurred in the 3300-block of Rocky Mountain

UPDATE: Officer-involved-shooting: 900 block of Branbury Way

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Officers responded to a family disturbance in the 900-block of Branbury Way.

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Homicide #10, 3300-block of Rocky Mountain Drive

Filed on 5/8/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 5/7/09, approximately 3:45 p.m., a homicide occurred in the 3300-block of Rocky Mountain

UPDATE: Four additional suspects arrested on the Vahid Hosseini homicide case

Filed on 5/8/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

San Jose Police homicide investigators have arrested four additional suspects in the Vahid Hosseini homicide case.

Homicide - Almaden Expressway and Foxworthy Avenue

Filed on 5/7/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On 4/17/09, approximately 10:07 PM, a homicide occurred in the area of Almaden Expressway and Foxworthy Avenue.

UPDATE: Fatal Traffic Collision, Mckee Rd. at Capitol Ave

Filed on 5/6/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On March 2, 2009, at 6:11 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a person down at McKee Rd at Hwy 680. Officers arrived on scene and located the victim.

UPDATE:Fatal Traffic Collision, Auto vs Pedestrian, Senter Road / Independence Avenue

Filed on 5/6/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On Monday, January 19, 2009, at 8:00 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a major injury traffic collision involving a vehicle and pedestrian at Senter Road and Independence Avenue. The victim was an 81-year-old female who passed away fro ...

Media Advisory- Regional Communications for Public Safety

Filed on 5/5/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

Regional Communications for Public Safety

Media Advisory-Press Conference 2008 Homicide Update

Filed on 5/4/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

2008 Homicide Cold Case Update-Vahid Hosseini

Attempted kidnapping

Filed on 5/2/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On Friday, May 1, 2009, an attempted kidnapping occurred at Piedmont Rd. and Ruskin Dr., near Piedmont High School

San Jose Police Major Awards Banquet

Filed on 4/30/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

On Thursday, April 30, 2009 at 5:00 PM, San Jose Police Department will host the Department's Annual Major Awards.

Media Advisory(Update)-BMX Bicycle Jumping Event, Date Change

Filed on 4/30/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

The San Jose Police Activities League (PAL), in cooperation with Epicentro Marketing and Terrain-Parks.com

Media Advisory-Cinco de Mayo Weekend Traffic

Filed on 4/30/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

Cinco de Mayo weekend traffic, May 1-3, 2009

Homicide #8- 700 Block of Northrup St.

Filed on 4/28/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

San Jose Police Officers responded to a traffic collision at Parkmoor Ave at Meridian Ave.

Homicide #7 - 2900 Almaden Expressway

Filed on 4/24/2009 by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

On Friday, April 17, 2009, at 10:05 PM, San Jose Police Officers responded to reports of fight in the 2900 Block of Almaden Expressway.

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Armed Robbery - 7-11 4625 Albany Drive

Filed on 4/23/2009 by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

On Wednesday, January 21, 2009, at approximately 8:45 PM, an armed robbery occurred at the 7-11, 4625 Albany Drive in San Jose.

Attempted Homicide - Interstate 280 / SR-87

Filed on 4/21/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On Saturday, April 18, 2009, approximately 1037 hours, San Jose Police Officers responded to a report of a vehicle vs. pedestrian collision. Investigation reveals the driver intentionally struck the pedestrian with her vehicle.

Homicide #6 - 1100 Block of Sunny Ct.

Filed on 4/16/2009 by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

On Sunday, April 12, 2009, at 9:27 PM, San Jose Police Officers responded to reports of gun shots in the 1100 Block of Sunny Ct.

Kidnapping / Robbery

Filed on 4/16/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

On Sunday, March 6, 2009, 12:13 AM, San Jose Police Officers responded to a reported kidnapping / robbery in the 2000-block of Huran Drive.

Total: 66



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Major Enforcement Effort Seeks to Save Lives

Sobriety and Driver License Checkpoint

In City of San Jose, California

Friday, July 24, 2009

9:00PM to 3:00AM

San Jose Police Department Targets
Impaired Drivers with Checkpoint

San Jose:

The City of San Jose Police Department will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Friday, July 24, 2009 from 9:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m., at Aborn Road and Brigadoon Way, in San Jose.

In an effort to reduce the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol involved crashes, DUI checkpoints are conducted to identify offenders and get them off the street, as well as educate the public on the dangers of impaired driving.

All too often, members of our community are senselessly injured or killed on local roadways by impaired drivers. This DUI/Drivers License checkpoint is an effort to reduce those tragedies, as well as insuring drivers have a valid drivers license. A major component of these checkpoints is to increase awareness of the dangers of impaired driving and to encourage sober designated drivers.

A DUI checkpoint is a proven effective method for achieving this goal. By publicizing these enforcement and education efforts, the City of San Jose Police Department believes motorists can be deterred from drinking and driving.

Traffic volume and weather permitting, all vehicles may be checked and drivers who are under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs will be arrested. Our objective is to send a clear message to those who are considering driving a motor vehicle after consuming alcohol and/or drugs Drunk Driving, Over the Limit, Under Arrest. The public is encouraged to help keep roadways safe by calling 911 if they see a suspected impaired driver.

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

Inquires can be directed to Sgt. Paul Woo at 408-277-4341.

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Series of Purse Snatch Robberies - Most recently at Valley Fair Mall

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/22/2009 3:09:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Purse Snatch Robbery
LOCATION: Valley Fair Mall Parking Garage

CASE NUMBER: 09-180-0553
DATE: 6/29/09 **TIME:** 1:00 PM

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE:

SUSPECT #1: Unknown
ADDRESS: Unknown

AGE: Mid-20s

SUSPECT #2: Unknown
ADDRESS: Unknown

AGE:



Suspect Sketch



Suspect vehicle - 1995-1999 VW Jetta

San Jose:

We need your help in identifying the suspect responsible for a series of purse snatch robberies.

While each of the robberies occurred in a different location in San Jose, one recent theft occurred on Monday, June 29th just before 1:00pm in a parking garage at the Valley Fair mall.

The suspect is described as a light-skinned male in his mid 20's. He's about 5'-10" tall and was wearing a baseball cap. Witnesses say the suspect fled the area in a black mid to late 90's Volkswagen Jetta driven by another person. The car had a spoiler mounted on the trunk and a single antenna in the middle of the roof above the rear window.

This suspect should be considered armed and dangerous. If you have any information about this case, please call Detective Jon Atkinson of the San Jose Police Department Robbery Unit at 277-4166. Or remain anonymous and call the Crime Stoppers tip line at 947-STOP. You may be eligible for a cash reward.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 7/22/09 TIME: 9:30 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Det. Jon Atkinson
DATE: 7/22/09 TIME: 03:30 PM

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Pimping and Pandering

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TYPE OF CRIME: Pimping and Pandering
LOCATION: 700 Block of The Alameda Ave

CASE NUMBER: 08-276-9743
DATE: 10/02/2008

VICTIM: State of California

SUSPECT #1: Juday Angel Godoy
ADDRESS: Alameda County Resident

AGE: 33 years (Male)

SUSPECT #2: Daniel Silva
ADDRESS: Alameda County Resident

AGE: 28 years (Male)

SUSPECT #3: Jimmy Liu
ADDRESS: Santa Clara County Resident

AGE: 38 years (Male)

SUSPECT #4: Sam Ran Jeong
ADDRESS: Santa Clara County Resident

AGE: 38 years (Female)

SUSPECT #5: Chanh Cong Doan
ADDRESS: Santa Clara County Resident

AGE: 39 years (Male)

San Jose:

On Thursday, July 16, 2009, the San Jose Police Department culminated a ten month long pimping and pandering investigation. Several outside agencies including Santa Clara PD, Alameda County Sheriff's Department, San Mateo PD, Mountain View PD, Dublin PD, Sunnyvale Department of Public Safety, The Department of Justice and California Department of Corrections, assisted in the service of several search warrants throughout the Bay Area.

The investigation led to the arrest of five subjects involved in organized internet prostitution within the Bay Area. Five suspects were arrested for pimping and pandering and they were booked into the Santa Clara County Jail. Sixteen additional subjects were also booked into county jail for other prostitution related charges.

Anyone with any information on this case is urged to call the San Jose Police Department's Vice Unit at 408-277-4322. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Ofc. Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 07/22/09 TIME: 2:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Greg Albin
DATE: 07/22/09 TIME: 2:00 PM

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Public Safety Advisory - California Lottery Scam

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PUBLIC SAFETYADVISORY California Lottery Ticket Scams

San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department has recently investigated numerous California Lottery ticket scams and would like to advise the public to beware.

The California Lottery's Security/Law Enforcement Division reports the scams are primarily run by Central and South American con artists who primarily target the elderly Hispanic community. (For details, see the attachments below.)

Attachments:

- [Latin Lotto Scam \(English\)](#)
- [Latin Lotto Scam \(Spanish\)](#)

Anyone having been the victim of this type of scam or having information about any of the previous cases in San Jose is urged to contact Detectives Hector Gutierrez or Hau Ngo of the San Jose Police Department's Fraud Unit at (408) 277-4521. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867). Persons may also contact the California Lottery at 1-800-LOTTERY (568-8379) for additional information.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 7/21/09 TIME: 1:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Det. H. Gutierrez #2644
DATE: 7/21/09 TIME: 1:30 PM

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Embezzlement

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/21/2009 12:03:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

TYPE OF CRIME: Embezzlement
LOCATION: 1720 N. 1st Street San Jose

CASE NUMBER: 09-118-0913
DATE: 04-27-2009 **TIME:** 11:20 PM

VICTIM: California Water Service Company
ADDRESS: 1720 N. 1st Street San Jose

SUSPECT: Abdirahman Abdi
ADDRESS: Santa Clara Resident

AGE: 33 Years (Male)

San Jose:

On 4/27/09 Suspect Abdi, an employee for California Water Service Company, gained unauthorized use of the company computers in order to authorize and wire over \$9 million to overseas accounts in Doha, Qatar.

Actions taken by Bank of America and the California Water Service Company enabled the wired funds to be located, frozen and eventually returned. The San Jose Police Department was notified and began an extensive investigation which revealed that the suspect had a well planned and coordinated scheme. The Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office issued an arrest warrant for Suspect Abdi. The suspect fled the United States and was tracked through Canada and subsequently arrested in the United Kingdom where he is currently pending extradition back to the U.S.

Suspect Abdi was a Somali national holding a British passport and was in the U.S illegally working on a fraudulent H1B visa.

Anyone with information is urged to contact Detective Sergeant Mike Niehoff of the San Jose Police Department's Fraud Unit at 408-277-4521. Those wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP.

BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187
DATE: 07-21-09 TIME: 1:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Donald Parks
DATE: 07-21-09 TIME: 1:30 PM

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Media Advisory

"Graffiti Tracking Database"

DETAILS:

The San Jose Police Department has added another high-tech tool in the fight against graffiti vandalism. About one year ago, San Jose Police launched a grant-funded, county-wide law enforcement database used to track graffiti and the subjects who commit vandalism.

On July 22, 2009 an additional element will be added to allow the public to upload graffiti photographs and information to the department's web site. These photographs and information will be reviewed by investigators and then automatically added to the database. This collaborative effort between law enforcement and concerned citizens will result in a greater number of incidents being recorded and tracked beyond what is reported through traditional means.

The goal of this effort will be to reduce graffiti incidents by increasing arrests of offenders and to give an accurate account of the damage committed. With an increase in incidents being recorded and tracked, court restitution orders should reflect all of the damage an offender has caused.

The direct link to the page is:

https://www.sjpd.org/_forms/graffitifaq.asp



BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187
DATE: 07-21-08 TIME: 1:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Tim Porter
DATE: 07-21-08 TIME: 1:00 PM

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Press Release - Home Loan Modification Scam

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/16/2009 3:00:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Home Loan Modification Scam
LOCATION: Legal Support Services, 2055 Junction Ave., Ste. 115

CASE NUMBER: 09-029-9716
DATE: 1/29/09 **TIME:** 8:40 AM

VICTIM: Numerous (Withheld)
ADDRESS:

AGE:

SUSPECT #1: Amir Rashidifar
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 25 years (Male)

SUSPECT #2: Mary Delvecchio
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 28 years (Female)

San Jose:

On 1/29/09, employees of Legal Support Services, along with fifteen victims, reported to the San Jose Police Department that the suspects had been operating a fraudulent real estate loan modification business. Investigation revealed the suspects opened their business in September 2008 and offered to modify real estate loans for homeowners facing default and foreclosure.

The suspects ran an elaborate operation and charged \$3,000.00 to \$4,000.00 to modify a loan; these fees were charged per property. The suspects convinced victims that Legal Support Services was working in tandem with real estate attorneys who were knowledgeable and experienced in the real estate loan modification business. Investigation revealed the suspects were not working with licensed attorneys.

In February 2009, the suspects fled the San Jose area after learning they were being investigated by the San Jose Police Department for fraud. Further investigation revealed the suspects had fled into Canada on May 26, 2009.

Once in Toronto, the suspects opened a new, fraudulent real estate loan modification business under new, fraudulent identities.

The San Jose Police Department coordinated its investigative efforts with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP), the RCMP Immigration Task Force, and the Canadian Border Services, who were able to locate and arrest both suspects at their residence in Toronto, Canada, on July 10, 2009.

The suspects are being held in Canada, pending extradition proceedings, where they will be returned to the United State of America to face criminal charges in San Jose, California.

To date, the San Jose Police has identified 129 victims in this case, and it is believed the suspects may have defrauded many more victims.

Anyone having been victimized in this case, or having information about this case, is urged to contact Detective Dave Solis of the San Jose Police Department's Fraud Unit at (408) 277-4521. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 7/21/09 TIME: 9:30 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Don Parks
DATE: 7/21/09 TIME: 9:30 AM

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Homicide #16 (UPDATED with victim's information): 300 block of N. Capitol Avenue

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/16/2009 10:30:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 300 block of N. Capitol Ave

CASE NUMBER: 09-189-1251
DATE: 07/9/09 **TIME:** 12:35 AM

VICTIM #1: Nam Hoang Mai (Deceased)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 yrs (Male)

VICTIM #2: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 21 yrs (Male)

VICTIM #3: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 28 yrs (Male)

SUSPECT(S): Unknown

San Jose:

On Thursday, July 9, 2009, at 12:35 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a weapons call at the 300 block of N. Capitol Avenue. Officers arrived and discovered there had been a physical fight; however, all involved persons had fled the scene prior to police arrival.

A short time later, Victims #1 and #2 showed up at a local hospital, suffering from gunshot wounds. Victim #1 later succumbed to his injuries; Victim #2 was treated for non-life threatening injuries.

Victim #3 showed up at separate local hospital in San Jose, where he was treated for non-life threatening gunshot injuries.

UPDATE 7/16/09:

The decedant has been identified as 20-year-old Nam Hoang Mai of San Jose.

The motive is unknown and the case remains under investigation.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective Sgt. Dave Tindall or Detective John Barg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 07/10/09 TIME: 10:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Dave Tindall
DATE: 07/10/09 TIME: 10:30 AM

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Fatal Traffic Collision, Auto vs Pedestrian, 800 Block of North 1st

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/16/2009 8:40:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

TYPE OF CRIME: Fatal Traffic Collision
LOCATION: 800 Block of North 1st

CASE NUMBER: 09-196-1109
DATE: 07-15-09 **TIME:** 10:15 PM

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 51 yrs(Male)

DRIVER: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 33 yrs(Female)

San Jose:

On Wednesday, July 15, 2009, at 10:15 PM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a major injury traffic collision involving a vehicle and pedestrian at the 800 Block of North 1st.

Preliminary investigation indicates the victim was walking mid block between Hedding and Mission Ave, westbound to eastbound. The driver was traveling northbound on North 1st when she collided with the victim. The victim was struck by a white 2008 BMW. The victim was transported to a local hospital where he later died.

There are no indications of drug or alcohol influence. Speed does not appear to be a factor.

Anyone with information is urged to contact Investigator Mike O'Brien of the San Jose Police Department's Vehicular Crimes Unit at 408-277-4654. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP(7867).

BY: Ofc. JermaineThomas #3522
DATE: 07-16-09 TIME: 9:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. George Graham
DATE: 07-16-09 TIME: 9:00 AM

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Press Release: Bank Robbery, 6/26/09

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/10/2009 1:00:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Bank Robbery
LOCATION: 3321 San Felipe Road

CASE NUMBER: 09-177-0675
DATE: 6/26/09 **TIME:** 2:54 PM

VICTIM: Wells Fargo Bank

SUSPECT: Light skinned Caucasian or Hispanic male, 30-40 years old, clean shaven, wearing clear lensed glasses, Black "Raiders" baseball cap with gray bill, gray polo shirt, blue shorts, and white shoes.

SUSPECT VEHICLE: None seen.



San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is asking for the public's help in identifying a bank robbery suspect.

On Friday, June 26, 2009, approximately 2:54 PM, the suspect robbed the Wells Fargo Bank, located at 3321 San Felipe Road, in San Jose.

The suspect entered the bank through the front entrance and presented a demand note to the teller. The suspect exited the front door with an undisclosed amount of money and was seen fleeing on foot in an unknown direction. No vehicle was seen.

No one was injured during this robbery, and the investigation is ongoing.

Anyone with information regarding this case is urged to contact Detective T. Hata or Detective Sergeant J. Fong of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at 408-277-4166. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 7/10/09 TIME: 12:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Detective T. Hata
DATE: 7/10/09 TIME: 1:00 PM

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TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 300 block of N. Capitol Ave

CASE NUMBER: 09-189-1251
DATE: 07/9/09 **TIME:** 12:35 AM

VICTIM #1: Withheld (Deceased)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 yrs (Male)

VICTIM #2: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 21 yrs (Male)

VICTIM #3: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 28 yrs (Male)

SUSPECT(S): Unknown

San Jose:

On Thursday, July 9, 2009, at 12:35 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a weapons call at the 300 block of N. Capitol Avenue. Officers arrived and discovered there had been a physical fight; however, all involved persons had fled the scene prior to police arrival.

A short time later, Victims #1 and #2 showed up at a local hospital, suffering from gunshot wounds. Victim #1 later succumbed to his injuries; Victim #2 was treated for non-life threatening injuries.

Victim #3 showed up at separate local hospital in San Jose, where he was treated for non-life threatening gunshot injuries.

The motive is unknown and the investigation is ongoing.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective Sgt. Dave Tindall or Detective John Barg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 07/10/09 TIME: 10:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Dave Tindall
DATE: 07/10/09 TIME: 10:30 AM

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Homicide #15- 90 Block of Esfahan Drive

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/7/2009 11:00:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 90 Block of Esfahan Drive

CASE NUMBER: 09-187-0287
DATE: 07-06-2009 **TIME:** 8:39 AM

DECEASED #1: Ying He(Deceased)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 35 yrs (Female)

DECEASED #2: Jianming Liang(Deceased)
ADDRESS: Southern California Resident

AGE: 39 yrs (Male)

San Jose:

On Monday, July 6, 2009, at 8:39 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a person shot at the 90 Block of Esfahan Drive. Officers arrived on scene and made contact with a third party who suffered a non-life threatening gunshot wound. He told them the other parties were still inside the residence.

Officers set up a perimeter around the residence and attempted to make contact with the parties. MERGE (SWAT) officers used several diversionary tactics to make entry into the residence and located both parties deceased from gunshot wounds.

The investigation is on going.

UPDATE: 7/7/09

The involved parties have been identified above. Homicide investigators are seeking the public's help if anyone may have had contact with Liang in San Jose, in the last 72 hours prior to the incident. Liang was last seen driving a Gold 1995 Lexus GS 300.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective Sgt. Pete Ramirez or Detective Sgt. Dave Tindall of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408)947-STOP (7867).



BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 07-07-09 TIME: 12:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 07-07-09 TIME: 12:30 PM

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Homicide #14-Guadalupe Creek near W. Julian Street

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/6/2009 7:47:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: Guadalupe Creek, north of W. Julian Street

CASE NUMBER: 09-185-1060
DATE: 7/4/09 **TIME:** 7:41 PM

VICTIM: Kenneth Loyola
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 53 years (Male)

SUSPECT(S): Unknown (At large)

San Jose:

On 7/4/09, approximately 7:41 p.m., the San Jose Police Department responded to a reported homicide in a homeless encampment of the Guadalupe Creek, north of Julian Street. The victim was found deceased by a friend who had gone to check on him.

Investigation revealed the victim had been fatally stabbed sometime between Friday, 7/3/09, and Saturday, 7/4/09, by an unknown suspect(s), who remains at large. The motive is unknown and the weapon was not recovered.

Anyone with information about this homicide is urged to contact Detective Sergeant Kevin Abruzzini or Detective Brian Spears of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 7/7/09 TIME: 2:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 7/7/09 TIME: 3:00 PM

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Homicide #15- 90 Block of Esfahan Drive

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/6/2009 5:15:00 PM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 90 Block of Esfahan Drive

CASE NUMBER: 09-187-0287
DATE: 07-06-2009 **TIME:** 8:39 AM

DECEASED #1: Withheld (Deceased)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 35 yrs (Female)

DECEASED #2: Withheld (Deceased)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 39 yrs (Male)

San Jose:

On Monday, July 6, 2009, at 8:39 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a person shot at the 90 Block of Esfahan Drive. Officers arrived on scene and made contact with a third party who suffered a non-life threatening gunshot wound. He told them the other parties were still inside the residence.

Officers set up a perimeter around the residence and attempted to make contact with the parties. MERGE (SWAT) officers used several diversionary tactics to make entry into the residence and located both parties deceased from gunshot wounds.

The investigation is on going.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective Sgt. Pete Ramirez or Detective Sgt. Dave Tindall of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408)947-STOP (7867).

BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 07-06-09 TIME: 7:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 07-06-09 TIME: 7:30 PM

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DUI Checkpoint - Friday, July 3, 2009 (UPDATED WITH LOCATION)

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/3/2009 6:50:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

**Major Enforcement Effort Seeks to Save Lives
Sobriety and Drivers License Checkpoint
In City of San Jose, California
Friday, July 3, 2009
9:00PM to 3:00AM**

**San Jose Police Department Targets
Impaired Drivers with Checkpoint**

San Jose:

The City of San Jose Police Department will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Friday, July 3, 2009 from 9:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m., at Capitol Expressway and Pearl Avenue, in San Jose. In an effort to reduce the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol involved crashes, DUI checkpoints are conducted to identify offenders and get them off the street, as well as educate the public on the dangers of impaired driving.

All too often, members of our community are senselessly injured or killed on local roadways by impaired drivers. This DUI/Drivers License checkpoint is an effort to reduce those tragedies, as well as insuring drivers have a valid drivers license. A major component of these checkpoints is to increase awareness of the dangers of impaired driving and to encourage sober designated drivers.

A DUI checkpoint is a proven effective method for achieving this goal. By publicizing these enforcement and education efforts, the City of San Jose Police Department believes motorists can be deterred from drinking and driving.

Traffic volume and weather permitting, all vehicles may be checked and drivers who are under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs will be arrested. Our objective is to send a clear message to those who are considering driving a motor vehicle after consuming alcohol and/or drugs Drunk Driving, Over the Limit, Under Arrest. The public is encouraged to help keep roadways safe by calling 9-1-1 if they see a suspected impaired driver.

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

Inquires can be directed to Sgt. Paul Woo at 408-277-4341.

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UPDATED 7/3/09: Press Release: Street Vendor Abduction Investigation

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/3/2009 11:14:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Kidnapping

UPDATED LOCATION: Lyons Drive and Diana Avenue

CASE NUMBER: 09-180-0816

DATE: 06/29/2009 **UPDATED TIME:**

Between 4:30PM and 5:30 PM

VICTIM#1: Withheld

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 (Male)

VICTIM#2: Withheld

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 27 (Male)

SUSPECTS: 2 or 3 Unknown Hispanic Males

DESCRIPTION: Approx. 5'10" tall with
 a medium build.

AGE: Mid-30's

Suspect Vehicle: Newer, Chevrolet Suburban Sport Utility
 Vehicle (or similar) with tinted windows and chrome rims.

San Jose:

On 6/29/09, two street vendors were abducted in the area of South King and Story roads, in San Jose, during the morning hours. A police investigation was initiated which revealed two to three suspects demanded payment from family members for their safe return, although no payment was made. The victims were eventually released unharmed and later interviewed by detectives. The suspects are described as Hispanic males in their mid-30's, approximately 5'10" tall, with a medium build. The case remains under investigation.

UPDATE 7/3/09:

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On 6/29/09, between 4:30 and 5:30 p.m., the victims were selling strawberries door-to-door in the area of Lyons Drive and Diana Avenue, in San Jose, when the suspects approached in a newer, black Chevrolet Suburban sports utility vehicle (or similar), with tinted windows and chrome rims.

Both victims were abducted at gunpoint and blindfolded by two or three Hispanic male adults. The suspects took the victims to an unknown location, where they were held captive. The suspects demanded an undisclosed amount of money from the victims' relatives in exchange for their safe return.

The victims' relatives notified the San Jos Police Department and an investigation was initiated by our Robbery Unit.

On 7/1/09, approximately 12:35 a.m., the victims' relatives notified the San Jos Police Department that the victims had been released unharmed. The ransom was not paid to the suspects.

Investigators from our Robbery Unit responded and interviewed the victims, who provided a description of the suspects and the suspects' vehicle. The suspects spoke fluent Spanish with no noticeable accent, and spoke only Spanish during the entire incident. It is believed the suspects are Mexican nationals. The victims were robbed of an undisclosed amount of money.

The case remains under investigation.

Anyone with information about this case or other similar cases is urged to contact Detective Sergeants R. Nieves or R. Avalos of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408) 277-4166. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532

DATE: 7/1/09 TIME: 4:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Johnson Fong

DATE: 7/1/09 TIME: 3:30 PM

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Media Advisory - Summertime Safety

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/2/2009 5:54:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

Media Advisory "Summertime Safety"

DETAILS:

With summer vacation under way, the San Jose Police Department and the Family Violence Unit want to remind parents, guardians and babysitters to take extra care with little ones this year. Tragic reminders surround us every day:

In 2006, San Jose Police Officers investigated 15 cases of children falling out of second-floor windows. There have been 3 such cases since January 2008;

Officers have responded to numerous complaints from concerned citizens about children left in locked cars in sweltering heat;

In the past several years, San Jose Police Officers have investigated numerous drownings or near-drownings of children, some as old as 11 years of age, in bathtubs and home or apartment swimming pools. There have been 6 such cases since January 2008;

In April 2002, San Jose Police Officers removed two small children, one 3-years-old and one 10-months-old, who were locked in a car. The officers estimated the interior temperature of the vehicle to be 100 degrees. The father was shopping at a nearby commercial center.

In May 2000, San Jose Police Officers removed a two-year-old from a car when the child was found by a passer-by. The child's mother was shopping at Eastridge Mall in east San Jose.

In June 2000, San Jose Police Officers removed a three-year-old from a car when the child was found by a passer-by. The outside temperature was 83 degrees and the inside temperature of the car was well over 100 degrees. The child's mother was shopping at Westgate Mall in west San Jose.

Also, California law requires persons under 18 years of age to wear a safety helmet while bicycling, roller skating, rollerblading, or riding a non-motorized scooter. Persons under 18 years of age must also wear a safety helmet while riding as a passenger on a bicycle, non-motorized scooter, or skateboard. This requirement also applies to a person who rides upon a bicycle while in a restraining seat that is attached to the bicycle or in a trailer towed by the bicycle.

Many of these cases have resulted in criminal charges being filed against the parent or guardian. The most tragic scenario is a parent, guardian or babysitter living a lifetime of regret over an injury or death that could easily have been prevented.

The San Jose Police Department reminds parents, guardians and babysitters to make good decisions this summer. Know where your children are. If you have to leave them, even momentarily, make sure that someone else is watching them for you. It takes only an instant to change a young life, or yours forever.

For additional safety tip information, click on the following link:

http://www.cdc.gov/SafeChild/Fact_Sheets/Drowning-Fact-Sheet-a.pdf

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 7/2/09 TIME: 3:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Ernest Kong #2603
DATE: 7/2/09 TIME: 4:00 PM

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UPDATE: Arrest Made on Homicide #11, 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/2/2009 4:49:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

CASE NUMBER: 09-143-0925
DATE: 05-23-2009 **TIME:** 5:54 PM

VICTIM: Paul Leyva
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 47 Yrs (Male)

UPDATE: Suspect Arrested 7/2/09
SUSPECT: Armando Lorenzo Rios
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 24 Yrs (Male)

San Jose:

On Saturday, May 23, 2009, at 5:54 PM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a person down at the 3000 Block of Mckee Rd. Officers arrived on scene along with San Jose Fire paramedics and located the victim. The victim was transported to a local hospital where he was pronounced dead.

Preliminary investigation indicated that the victim was assaulted by an unknown suspect in the parking lot. At the time of the incident there were several potential witnesses in the area.

We are asking for the public's help and if anyone has any additional information.

UPDATE: 7/2/09

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Armando Lorenzo Rios

Suspect Armando Rios was arrested today at 11:30 a.m. for the homicide of Victim Paul Leyva on May 23, 2009. Rios was booked into the Santa Clara County Jail on murder charges, and the investigation is ongoing.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Sgt. Merlin Newton or Detective William Hoyt (William.Hoyt@sanjoseca.gov) of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Ofc. JermaineThomas #3522
DATE: 05-26-09 TIME: 4:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 05-26-09 TIME: 4:00 PM

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Press Release: Residential Burglar Arrested

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/2/2009 2:01:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Burglary / Attempted Kidnapping / Resisting Arrest

CASE NUMBER: 09-181-0380

LOCATION: 400 block of Snyder Avenue

DATE: 06/30/2009 **TIME:** 10:16 AM

VICTIM: Withheld

AGE: Juvenile (Female)

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

SUSPECTS: Jose Saul Ortega-Jandres

AGE: 23 Years (Male)

Alias: Jose Saul Jandres-Ortega

Alias: Antonio Martinez Escobar

Alias: Antonio Escobar Martinez

ADDRESS: Transient



Jose Saul Ortega-Jandres

San Jose:



Suspect's Bicycle

On 6/30/09, approximately 10:16 a.m., officers responded to a reported interrupted residential burglary. The suspect was discovered inside the residence by the victim. The suspect held the victim against her will and attempted to kidnap her while committing the burglary.

The suspect was confronted by an adult who had been sleeping in another room of the house. The suspect released the victim and fled on a bicycle.

The victim provided police with a description of the suspect and the bicycle used to flee, allowing officers to locate the suspect in the neighborhood a short time later

The suspect fled on foot and resisted arrest, causing the arresting officers to sustain minor injuries. The suspect was eventually subdued and arrested, following a struggle.

Investigation revealed the suspect had burglarized a second home after fleeing the first house, when he was located by officers as he rode away with stolen property in hand.

Follow-up investigation revealed the suspect had burglarized a third home on a previous date, to which the suspect confessed. He also confessed to committing a theft in recent days.

Officers were able to confirm the third residential burglary, which had not been reported to the police by the victims. However, officers were unable to confirm the theft incident.

The suspect was booked into county jail for attempted kidnapping, delaying / resisting arrest, providing false identifying information, and three counts of residential burglary.

The suspect's bicycle is described as being red in color with chrome forks. The frame is in the shape of a "chopper" motorcycle, with a larger rear tire than the front.

Anyone with information about the listed burglaries, or with information about similar burglaries, is urged to contact the San Jose Police Department's Burglary Unit at (408) 277-4401. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 7/2/09 TIME: 3:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Quan #3108
DATE: 7/1/09 TIME: 4:00 PM

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DUI Checkpoint - Friday, July 3, 2009

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/2/2009 7:45:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

Major Enforcement Effort Seeks to Save Lives Sobriety and Drivers License Checkpoint

In City of San Jose, California

Friday, July 3, 2009

9:00PM to 3:00AM

San Jose Police Department Targets Impaired Drivers with Checkpoint

San Jose:

The City of San Jose Police Department will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Friday, July 3, 2009 from 9:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m., at an undisclosed location in San Jose. In an effort to reduce the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol involved crashes, DUI checkpoints are conducted to identify offenders and get them off the street, as well as educate the public on the dangers of impaired driving.

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A DUI checkpoint is a proven effective method for achieving this goal. By publicizing these enforcement and education efforts, the City of San Jose Police Department believes motorists can be deterred from drinking and driving.

Traffic volume and weather permitting, all vehicles may be checked and drivers who are under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs will be arrested. Our objective is to send a clear message to those who are considering driving a motor vehicle after consuming alcohol and/or drugs Drunk Driving, Over the Limit, Under Arrest. The public is encouraged to help keep roadways safe by calling 9-1-1 if they see a suspected impaired driver.

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

Inquires can be directed to Sgt. Paul Woo at 408-277-4341.

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Press Release: Street Vendor Abduction Investigation

Filed under *Press Release*, on 7/1/2009 4:09:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Kidnapping
LOCATION: South King and Story roads

CASE NUMBER: 09-180-0816
DATE: 06/29/2009 **TIME:** 5:53 PM

VICTIM#1: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 (Male)

VICTIM#2: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 27 (Male)

SUSPECTS: 2 or 3 Unknown Hispanic Males
DESCRIPTION: Approx. 5'10" tall with
a medium build.

AGE: Mid-30's

San Jose:

On 6/29/09, two street vendors were abducted in the area of South King and Story roads, in San Jose, during the morning hours. A police investigation was initiated which revealed two to three suspects demanded payment from family members for their safe return, although no payment was made. The victims were eventually released unharmed and later interviewed by detectives. The suspects are described as Hispanic males in their mid-30's, approximately 5'10" tall, with a medium build. The case remains under investigation.

Anyone with information about this case or other similar cases is urged to contact Detective Sergeants R. Nieves or R. Avalos of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at (408) 277-4166. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 7/1/09 TIME: 4:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Johnson Fong
DATE: 7/1/09 TIME: 3:30 PM

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Press Release - Asking the Public to Assist in Identifying an Armed Robbery Suspect.

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/26/2009 10:57:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Armed Robbery
LOCATION: 5615 Chesbro Avenue

CASE NUMBER: 09-115-0415
DATE: 04/25/2009 **TIME:** 9:25 AM

VICTIM: MeriWest Credit Union

SUSPECT: Unknown



San Jose:

The San Jose Police Department is asking for the public's help in identifying a robbery suspect.

On Saturday, 04/25/09, at approximately 9:25 a.m., an armed robbery occurred at the MeriWest Credit Union, 5615 Chesbro Avenue, in San Jose. The suspect walked in to the credit union through the west entrance and placed a brick on the ground to prop the front door open. He immediately went to the teller window, pushed a customer out of the way, and placed a plastic grocery bag on the counter.

The suspect brandished a small silver-colored semi-automatic handgun at the teller and demanded money be placed in the bag. The suspect exited the same door he had entered and fled.

The suspect was described as a White or Hispanic male, 25-30 years of age, approximately 5'10" tall, 170 lbs. in weight, last seen wearing a black cloth covering the lower portion of his face, a grey zip-up hooded sweat shirt with the hood up, dark colored jean (denim) pants, and black shoes.

Anyone with information regarding this case is urged to contact Detective Keith Mizuhara of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at 408-277-4166. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867). A cash reward is being offered for information leading to the suspect's arrest and conviction.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 06/26/09 TIME: 11:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Laurence Ryan
DATE: 06/26/09 TIME: 11:30 AM

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Press Release - Armed Robbery / Police Impersonator

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/24/2009 4:19:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Armed Robbery / Police Impersonator
LOCATION: Days Inn, 2460 Fontaine Road, San Jose

CASE NUMBER: 09-160-1023
DATE: 6/9/2009 **TIME:** 7:47 PM

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: Withheld (Adult Female)

SUSPECT: Timothy Johnston
ADDRESS: Fremont Resident

AGE: 47 (Male)

San Jose: On 6/9/09, at approximately 7:47 PM, a Craigslist robbery occurred at the Days Inn Motel, located at 2460 Fontaine Road in San Jose. The suspect, Timothy Johnston, responded to the victims advertisement on Craigslist for a massage.

Upon meeting the victim, the suspect identified himself as a police officer with the use of a police badge and ID card. The suspect then detained the victim, telling her that she was under arrest. The suspect made several sexually suggestive comments to the victim, then took the victims property (money and personal items), and told her to remain in the room while a female officer responded to assist. The suspect fled the scene.

During the incident, the victim believed that based on the suspects conduct, he was not a real police officer. Based on this heighten suspicion, the victim followed the suspect to the parking lot, and obtained a detailed description as he fled. The victim immediately called 911 and reported the incident.

San Jose Police Department (SJPD) Robbery Detectives identified Timothy Johnston as the suspect. During this time, SJPD Detectives learned that Milpitas PD was working a similar case.

On May 30, 2009, a robbery and sexual assault occurred at the Beverly Heritage Hotel in the City of Milpitas. In that case the victim was staying at the hotel. The suspect knocked on the victims door and when she answered he identified himself as a police officer with the use of a police badge and ID card. The suspect sexually assaulted and robbed the victim. The suspect fled the scene. Milpitas Detectives identified Timothy Johnston as a possible suspect in that case.

On 6/19/09, a SJPD surveillance team located Johnstons vehicle parked outside a residence in the City of Fremont. SJPD initiated surveillance on the residence and, when Johnston attempted to leave the residence, Fremont Police SWAT arrested Johnston without incident.

While conducting follow-up investigation, Detectives located the badge and ID card used by the suspect. Detectives are currently looking for additional victims. Anyone with information regarding either case should contact Detective Sergeant Ray Avalos of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at 408-277-4166 or Detectives Greg Mack or David Ostrander of the Milpitas Police Department at 408-586-2400. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP.



BY: Officer J. Garcia #3532

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. L. Ryan #2802

DATE: 6/24/09 TIME: 4:30 PM

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Fatal Traffic Collision #18 - Single Vehicle (Double Fatality)

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/23/2009 9:31:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Double Fatality Traffic Collision **CASE NUMBER:** 09-172-0783

LOCATION: Yerba Buena Rd./Edenwood Dr. **DATE:** 06/21/2009 **TIME:** 5:12 PM

VICTIM #1 (Driver): Felipe Bergara **Age:** 20 years (Male)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

VICTIM #2 (Passenger): Marina Jennings **Age:** 19 years (Female)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

VICTIM #3 (Passenger): Cesar Reyes **Age:** 18 years (Male)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

VEHICLE: Silver 1995 Infinity passenger car

San Jose:

On Sunday, 6/21/09, approximately 5:12 p.m., San Jose Police officers were dispatched to a single vehicle collision at Yerba Buena Road and Edenwood Avenue involving a silver 1995 Infinity passenger car.

Preliminary investigation revealed the driver was traveling west on Yerba Buena Road at a high rate of speed when he attempted to overtake another vehicle by passing on the right. The Infinity struck the curb, causing the driver to lose control of the car, and struck a city lamp pole.

The driver and front passenger were fatally injured, and both were pronounced dead at the scene. The rear passenger was taken to a local hospital where he remains in stable condition.

It is unknown whether alcohol and/or drugs were a factor; the case remains under investigation.

The San Jose Police Department has investigated 18 fatal traffic collisions this year, resulting in 20 fatalities (two collisions involved double fatalities), of which eight have involved pedestrians.

Anyone with information is urged to contact Investigator Kevin Cassidy of the San Jose Police Department's Traffic Investigation Unit at 408-277-4654. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947- STOP.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 6/23/09 TIME: 2:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. George Graham #2517
DATE: 6/23/09 TIME: 3:00 PM

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Fatal Traffic Collision #17 - Vehicle vs. Pedestrian

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/23/2009 8:46:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Fatal Traffic Collision **CASE NUMBER:** 09-171-0623
LOCATION: 900 block of S. First Street **DATE:** 06/20/2009 **TIME:** 1:14 PM

VICTIM: Lila McGraw **Age:** 24 years (Female)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

DRIVER: Samuel Mills **Age:** 44 years (Male)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

San Jose:

On Saturday, 6/20/09, approximately 1:14 p.m., San Jose Police officers were dispatched to a vehicle / pedestrian collision in the 900 block South First Street.

Preliminary investigation revealed the victim was standing in the #2 southbound lane of South First Street, facing north, while holding a carwash sign, when she was fatally struck by a 1983 Ford pick-up truck.

The victim was waving a sign at passing motorists for a fundraising carwash which was taking place on the east side of South First Street, across from the victim's location.

The Ford pick-up truck was traveling in the #1 northbound lane of South First Street when a vehicle directly in front of it suddenly stopped. The driver of the Ford pick-up truck swerved to the left to avoid a rear-end collision. In doing so, the Ford pick-up truck crossed the center line and southbound lanes, where it struck the victim, who was pronounced dead at a local hospital.

The driver was interviewed and released, and the case remains under investigation. Alcohol and drugs do not appear to be a factor.

The San Jose Police Department has investigated 17 fatal traffic collisions this year, resulting in 18 fatalities (one collision involved a double fatality), of which eight have involved pedestrians.

Anyone with information is urged to contact Investigator Mike O'Brien #3527 of the San Jose Police Department's Traffic Investigation Unit at 408-277-4654. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947- STOP.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532 AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. George Graham #2517
DATE: 6/23/09 TIME: 2:30 PM DATE: 6/23/09 TIME: 3:00 PM

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Fatal Traffic Collision - Light Rail Vehicle vs. Pedestrian

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/19/2009 12:19:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Fatal Traffic Collision

CASE NUMBER: 09-169-0716

LOCATION: Southwest Expy & Leigh Ave.

DATE: 06/18/2009 **TIME:** 3:45 PM

VICTIM: Withheld

Age: 16 years (Male)

ADDRESS: Campbell Resident

DRIVER: Withheld

Age: 60 years (Male)

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

San Jose:

On Thursday, 6/18/09, approximately 3:45 p.m., San Jose Police officers were dispatched to a collision at the intersection of Southwest Expressway and Leigh Avenue, involving a Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) light rail vehicle (LRV) vs. pedestrian.

Preliminary investigation revealed the victim was traveling east on the north side of Leigh Avenue on a non-motorized scooter when he approached the LRV crossing. He initially stopped at the lowered crossing arm as a northbound LRV traversed the intersection.

For reasons unknown, the victim walked around the lowered crossing arm after the northbound LRV passed him. The victim attempted to cross the intersection and walked directly into the path of an approaching southbound LRV, where he was fatally struck.

San Jose Police and Fire personnel responded to the scene and located the victim, where he was determined to be deceased by San Jose Fire paramedics.

The San Jose Police Department has investigated 16 fatal traffic collisions this year, resulting in 17 fatalities (one collision involved a double fatality), of which seven have involved pedestrians.

Anyone with information is urged to contact Investigator Kevin Cassidy #2938 of the San Jose Police Department's Vehicular Crimes Unit at 408-277-4654. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947- STOP.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. George Graham #2517

DATE: 6/19/09 TIME: 12:50 PM

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Media Advisory - National Night Out 2009

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/18/2009 1:01:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

Media Advisory

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

DATE: June 18, 2009

Contact: Kim Gaddis
(408) 277-4133

National Night Out 2009

On Tuesday, August 4th, neighborhoods throughout San Jose are invited to join forces with thousands of communities nationwide for the 26th Annual National Night Out. National Night Out will involve over 10,000 communities from all 50 States, U.S. Territories, Canadian cities and military bases around the world. In all, over 34 million people are expected to participate in Americas Night Out Against Crime.

National Night Out is designed to: (1) Heighten crime and drug awareness; (2) Generate support for, and participation in, local anticrime efforts; (3) Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police/community partnerships; and (4) Send a message to criminals letting them know neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

From 6 to 10 p.m. on August 4th, residents in neighborhoods throughout San Jose and across the nation are asked to lock their doors, turn on outside lights and spend an evening outside with neighbors and police. Many neighborhoods throughout San Jose will be hosting a variety of special events such as block parties, cookouts, ice cream socials, barbeques and informal gatherings. National Night Out events don't have to be big or expensive. The important thing is to spend some time enjoying your neighborhood and getting to know your neighbors. Relax in the front yard, talk with neighbors and watch the kids play. You'll be supporting crime prevention efforts in San Jose while celebrating your neighborhood.

Last year approximately 100 San Jose neighborhoods showed their support for National Night Out by enjoying an evening with their neighbors and local police officers. To include your neighborhood in this years event, register on line at www.sjpd.org, or contact the San Jose Police Department Crime Prevention Unit, at (408) 277-4133. The deadline to register is Sunday, July 26th. Join us on Tuesday, August 4th and Give Crime & Drugs A Going Away Party.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 6/18/09 TIME: 1:15 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. A.J. Young #2369
DATE: 6/18/09 TIME: 1:00 PM

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Rape in Concert

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/18/2009 10:10:00 AM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Rape in Concert
LOCATION: 700 block of Kings Row

CASE NUMBER: 09-124-0210
DATE: 5/4/09 **TIME:** Between 2 AM and 6 AM

SUSPECT#1: Eduardo Larios **AGE:** 28 years (Male)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 28 years (Male)

SUSPECT #2: Jose Portillo-Garcia
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 28 years (Male)

SUSPECT #3: Edwin Portillo-Garcia
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 19 years (Male)

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: Withheld (Adult Female)



SUSPECT#1: Eduardo Larios



SUSPECT #2: Jose Portillo-Garcia



SUSPECT #3: Edwin Portillo-Garcia

SAN JOSE:

On May 4, 2009, the San Jose Police Department began investigating a rape in concert involving three unknown suspects who were associated with a known outlaw motorcycle gang called the Vagos. During the course of the investigation, the victim identified Eduardo Larios, Jose Portillo-Garcia, and Edwin Portillo-Garcia as the persons who sexually assaulted her at their clubhouse. On June 8, 2009, the San Jose Police Department executed a search warrant at the Vagos Clubhouse in San Jose and seized evidence related to the case.

On June 9, 2009, Eduardo Larios and Jose Portillo-Garcia were arrested by San Jose Police Departments M.E.R.G.E. Unit and charged with multiple counts of sexual assault by the District Attorneys Office.

On June 10, 2009, Edwin Portillo-Garcia was arrested by the Elk Grove Police Department on a one million dollar arrest warrant for the sexual assault.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective D. Marchetti with the San Jose Police Departments Sexual Assaults Investigation Unit. Detective Marchetti can be reached at (408) 277-4102 or via email at 3842@sanjoseca.gov. Persons wishing to

remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 6/18/09 TIME: 2:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Mike Hahn
DATE: 6/18/09 TIME: 2:00 PM

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Homicide #13-Glen Hardy Ct at Glen Hanleigh Dr.

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/15/2009 11:24:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: Glen Hardy Ct at Glen Hanleigh Dr

CASE NUMBER: 09-165-0236
DATE: 06-15-2009 **TIME:** 3:07 AM

VICTIM #1: Ronald Gomez (Deceased)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 18 yrs (Male)

VICTIM #2: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 19 yrs (Male)

SUSPECT: Unknown

San Jose:

On Sunday, June 14, 2009, at 3:07 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a local hospital regarding two victims that walked in suffering from gunshot wounds. Officers arrived on scene and Victim #1 was pronounced dead.

Preliminary investigation revealed there was an altercation after a party that resulted in gunfire. Both victims received gunshot wounds and were transported to a local hospital by friends.

The investigation is on going.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective Sgt. Dave Tindall or Detective John Barg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408)947-STOP (7867).

BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 06-15-09 TIME: 2:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 06-15-09 TIME: 2:00 PM

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DUI Checkpoint - Friday, June 12, 2009 (Updated with Location)

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**Major Enforcement Effort Seeks to Save Lives
Sobriety and Drivers License Checkpoint
In City of San Jose, California
Friday, June 12, 2009
9:00PM to 3:00AM**

**San Jose Police Department Targets
Impaired Drivers with Checkpoint**

The City of San Jose Police Department will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Friday, June 12, 2009 from 9:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m., at Bascom Avenue and Whitethorne Drive, in San Jose. In an effort to reduce the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol involved crashes, DUI checkpoints are conducted to identify offenders and get them off the street, as well as educate the public on the dangers of impaired driving.

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Law Enforcement Torch Run

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/11/2009 11:33:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

LAW ENFORCEMENT TORCH RUN



WHO: Special Olympians, San Jose Police Officers, Federal Agents, Deputy District Attorneys and Investigators

WHAT: 2009 Law Enforcement Torch Run benefiting Special Olympics

WHEN: Monday, June 22, 2009
12:30 PM to 1:30 PM

WHERE: San Jose City Hall
200 East Santa Clara St.
San Jose, Ca 95113

On Monday, June 22, 2009, athletes from Special Olympics and members of the Santa Clara County Law Enforcement Community will be participating in the 33rd annual Law Enforcement Torch Run benefiting Northern California Special Olympics. Law enforcement officers will carry the torch through the State of California from King City and it will be received at the San Jose/Morgan Hill City limit at Santa Teresa Blvd. and Palm Ave. at 9:30 AM.

The torch will arrive at San Jose City Hall at 12:30 p.m. where a ceremony will commence honoring and acknowledging the Special Olympians and Torch Run participants. San Jose Mayor Chuck Reed, San Jose Police Chief Robert L. Davis and other civic leaders will be in attendance.

The Torch will then be run to the City of Davis and ultimately to its final destination, University of California Davis. It will arrive on Friday, June 26th to commence the opening ceremonies of the Northern California State Summer Special Olympic Games.

The annual Law Enforcement Torch Run is an international event that not only raises funds for, but also brings community awareness to the courageous athletes of Special Olympics. Any questions regarding this event can be directed to Sgt. Phil Rodgers (Retired SJPd) at (408)529-1723 or Andrea Schofield, Special Olympics Development Director, at (408) 392-0170 x202.

BY: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522

DATE: 06-11-09 TIME: 2:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas

DATE: 06-11-09 TIME: 2:00 PM

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Fatal Auto vs. Pedestrian Traffic Collision

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/10/2009 12:03:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Fatal Traffic Collision **CASE NUMBER:** 09-160-1140
LOCATION: S. Bascom and Pamlar Avenues **DATE:** 06/09/2009 **TIME:** 9:50 PM

VICTIM: Withheld **Age:** 54 years (Male)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

DRIVER: Withheld **Age:** 23 years (Male)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

San Jose:

On Tuesday, 6/9/09, approximately 9:50 p.m., San Jose Police officers were dispatched to a reported automobile vs. pedestrian collision at S. Bascom and Pamlar Avenues. Preliminary investigation revealed that the victim was attempting to cross east on S. Bascom Avenue, outside of a crosswalk, and was struck by a Lexus 300 that was traveling northbound.

The victim was transported to a local hospital where he succumbed to his injuries. The San Jose Police Department has investigated 15 fatal traffic collisions this year, resulting in 16 fatalities (one collision involved a double fatality), of which six have involved automobile vs. pedestrian fatal collisions.

Anyone with information is urged to contact Investigator Mike O'Brien #3527 of the San Jose Police Department's Vehicular Crimes Unit at 408-277-4654. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947- STOP.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532 AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. George Graham #2517
DATE: 6/10/09 TIME: 12:30 PM DATE: 6/10/09 TIME: 12:30 PM

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Homicide #10 (SKETCH UPDATE)- 3300 block of Rocky Mountain Drive

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/4/2009 3:24:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 3300-block of Rocky Mountain Drive

CASE NUMBER: 09-127-0693
DATE: 5/7/2009 **TIME:** 3:45 PM

VICTIM: Juan Mendoza
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 years (Male)

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS: Unknown

AGE: Unknown



San Jose:

On 5/7/09, approximately 3:45 p.m., San Jose Police responded to a reported shooting in the 3300-block of Rocky Mountain Drive. Officers arrived and found the victim in front of a house, suffering from a gunshot wound. The victim was transported to a local hospital by ambulance where he was pronounced dead.

Witnesses saw the suspect running east on Rocky Mountain Drive after the shooting. The suspect is described as being between 5'7" and 5'8" in height, and was last seen wearing a hooded sweatshirt.

It is unknown whether the victim knew the suspect, and the motive is under investigation. This accounts for the tenth homicide in the city of San Jose.

UPDATE: 06-04-09

The sketch is of a person seen in the area immediately prior to the homicide. Investigators would like to identify and speak to the person in this sketch regarding this case.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Sergeants Tony Mata or Pete Ramirez of the San Jose Police Department, Homicide Unit, at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 5/12/09 TIME: 9:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. T. Mata
DATE: 5/12/09 TIME: 9:00 AM

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Homicide #12- 5200 Block of Dent Ave

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/2/2009 9:18:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 5200 Block of Dent Ave

CASE NUMBER: 09-150-0285
DATE: 05-30-2009 **TIME:** 4:23 AM

VICTIM: Andres Garza
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 years (Male)

SUSPECT: Unknown

San Jose:

On Saturday, May 30, 2009, at 4:23 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a shots fired call at the 5200 Block of Dent Ave. Officers arrived on scene, numerous subjects and vehicles were fleeing the area.

A short time later, the victim walked into a local hospital suffering from stab wounds. The victim was pronounced dead. Preliminary investigation indicated the victim was at a party at the above address when the crime occurred.

The investigation is on-going.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Sgt. Kevin Abruzzini or Detective Brian Spears of the San Jose Police Department, Homicide Unit, at (408)277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Ofc. JermaineThomas #3522
DATE: 06-02-09 TIME: 11:30 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 06-02-09 TIME: 11:30 AM

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Attempted Homicide/Armed Robbery

Filed under *Press Release*, on 6/1/2009 6:10:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

TYPE OF CRIME: Attempted Homicide/Armed Robbery

CASE NUMBER: 09-118-1119

LOCATION: Mc Laughlin Avenue/Bacchus

DATE: 04-28-2009 **TIME:** 9:10 PM

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 65 Years (Male)

SUSPECT #1: Uriel Torres
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 21 Years (Male)
 Booked into SCC Jail

SUSPECT #2: Salvador Torres
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 19 Years (Male)
 Booked into SCC Jail

SUSPECT #3: Nester Gonzalez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 Years (Male)
 Booked into SCC Jail

SUSPECT #4: Vincent Segura
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 Years (Male)
 Booked into SCC Jail

SUSPECT #5: Mitchel Mendoza
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 20 Years (Male)
 Booked into SCC Jail

San Jose:

On April 28, 2009 at approximately 9:10 PM, an attempted homicide/armed robbery occurred on the sidewalk of Mc Laughlin Avenue and Bacchus in San Jose. The 65-year-old male victim was walking down the sidewalk, when he was approached by two suspects. One of the suspects asked for the time while the second suspect struck the victim in the head with an unknown object. The victim loss consciousness and fell to the ground. The suspects took the victim's property leaving the victim suffering from a non-life threatening injury (fractured skull.)

San Jose Police Robbery Detectives immediately identified Uriel Torres and Salvador Torres as being involved in the assault and robbery. They were arrested without incident on April 30, 2009. During the course of the investigation, detectives obtained additional information about three additional outstanding suspects who participated in the attempted homicide/robbery.

On May 4, 2009 Robbery Detectives, with the assistance of San Jose Police MERGE officers arrested two additional suspects (Nestor Gonzalez and Vincent Segura). The vehicle used in the armed robbery was seized and the weapon (baseball bat) used was located in the trunk of the vehicle. On May 13, 2009 robbery detectives, with the assistance of MERGE officers arrested the outstanding, final suspect (Mitchell Mendoza).

Throughout the course of this investigation, detectives were able to link two of the suspects to previous unsolved robberies that

occurred in San Jose.

The following were summaries of the two additional incidents:

On January 13, 2007, at approximately 5:24 AM, an armed robbery occurred at the 7-Eleven located at 2032 Story Road. The suspect entered the store, pointed a shotgun at the victim and demanded money. The suspect took cash and fled.

On June 21, 2008, at approximately 11:13 PM, a strong-armed robbery and assault with a deadly weapon incident took place at the "Stop and Buy" located at 1601 Tully Road. The suspects repeatedly hit the victim with their fists and then hit him in the face with unopened beer cans. One of the suspects took some beer and they all fled.

Anyone with additional information on these cases is urged to call Detective John Mc Elvy or Detective Brian McDonald of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at 408-277-4166. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187

DATE: 6-2-09 TIME: 1:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Laurence Ryan

DATE: 6-2-09 TIME: 1:30 PM

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Homicide #11(Update)- 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/28/2009 10:56:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

CASE NUMBER: 09-143-0925
DATE: 05-23-2009 **TIME:** 5:54 PM

VICTIM: Paul Leyva
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 47 Yrs (Male)

SUSPECT: Unknown

San Jose:

On Saturday, May 23, 2009, at 5:54 PM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a person down at the 3000 Block of Mckee Rd. Officers arrived on scene along with San Jose Fire paramedics and located the victim. The victim was transported to a local hospital where he was pronounced dead.

Preliminary investigation indicated that the victim was assaulted by an unknown suspect in the parking lot. At the time of the incident there were several potential witnesses in the area.

We are asking for the public's help and if anyone has any additional information.

UPDATE: 05-28-09

Investigators released a sketch of the suspect describing him as a HMA, 20-30yrs, 5'10", 225-250 lbs with short hair.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Sgt. Merlin Newton or Detective William Hoyt (mailto:William.Hoyt@sanjoseca.gov) of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Ofc. JermaineThomas #3522
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Homicide #11- 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/26/2009 9:52:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 3000 Block of Mckee Rd

CASE NUMBER: 09-143-0925
DATE: 05-23-2009 **TIME:** 5:54 PM

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BY: Ofc. JermaineThomas #3522
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UPDATE - DUI Checkpoint - May 23, 2009

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/23/2009 7:00:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

Major Enforcement Effort Seeks to Save Lives

UPDATE

Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint

In City of San Jose, California

Saturday, May 23, 2009

9:00 PM to 3:00 AM

San Jose Police Department Targets

Impaired Drivers with Checkpoint

San Jose, Calif. - The San Jose Police Department will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Saturday, May 23, 2009, from 9:00 PM to 3:00 AM, at East Santa Clara and Fifth streets, in San Jose. In an effort to reduce the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol involved crashes, DUI checkpoints are conducted to identify offenders and get them off the street, as well as educate the public on the dangers of impaired driving.

All too often, members of our community are senselessly injured or killed on local roadways by impaired drivers. This DUI/Drivers License checkpoint is an effort to reduce those tragedies, as well as insuring drivers have a valid driver's license. A major component of these checkpoints is to increase awareness of the dangers of impaired driving and to encourage sober designated drivers.

A DUI checkpoint is a proven effective method for achieving this goal. By publicizing these enforcement and education efforts, the San Jose Police Department believes motorists can be deterred from drinking and driving.

Traffic volume and weather permitting, all vehicles may be checked and drivers who are under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs will be arrested. Our objective is to send a clear message to those who are considering driving a motor vehicle after consuming alcohol and/or drugs - Drunk Driving, Over the Limit, Under Arrest. The public is encouraged to help keep roadways safe by calling 911 if they see a suspected impaired driver.

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

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Lewd Acts with A Child

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/22/2009 5:02:00 PM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

TYPE OF CRIME: Lewd Acts with a Child (UPDATE)

CASE NUMBER: 09-084-0826

LOCATION: South San Jose

DATE: 3-25-2009

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 14 years (Male)

SUSPECT: Andrew King
ADDRESS: San Jose resident

AGE: 61 years (Male)

Details:

On March 25, 2007, San Jose Police Department's Child Exploitation Detail received a report that Andrew King, a 61-year-old head swim coach for San Jose Aquatics, had inappropriate relations with a 14-year-old female swimmer.

On April 2, 2009, Andrew King turned himself in to San Jose Police and posted bail.

Independent of our investigation, the San Leandro Police Department was also investigating King, which led to the discovery of numerous other victims.

Both investigations revealed that, from the late 1970's through March 2009, King allegedly sexually assaulted female victims he coached. In many cases, King had close ties with the victims' families. The victims' ages ranged from 10 to 17 years.

King coached primarily in the Bay Area, but also coached in the State of Washington and in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

In cooperation with the Alameda County District Attorney's Office, the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office has filed additional charges against King.

King was taken into custody without incident on May 11, 2009. Both the San Jose Police Department and the San Leandro Police Department are still in the process of locating any additional victims.

Anyone with information regarding this case is urged to contact Detective Sergeant Randy Schriefer or Detective Eric Michel of the San Jose Police Department's Sexual Assault Investigations Unit at (408) 277-4102. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187
DATE: 04-24-09 TIME: 12:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Mike Hahn
DATE: 04-24-09 TIME: 12:30 PM

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DUI Checkpoint - May 23, 2009

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/22/2009 8:00:00 AM by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

**Major Enforcement Effort Seeks to Save Lives
Sobriety and Driver's License Checkpoint
In City of San Jose, California
Saturday, May 23, 2009
9:00 PM to 3:00 AM**

**San Jose Police Department Targets
Impaired Drivers with Checkpoint**

San Jose, Calif. - The San Jose Police Department will be conducting a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint on Saturday, May 23, 2009, from 9:00 PM to 3:00 AM, at an undisclosed location in San Jose. In an effort to reduce the number of persons killed and injured in alcohol involved crashes, DUI checkpoints are conducted to identify offenders and get them off the street, as well as educate the public on the dangers of impaired driving.

All too often, members of our community are senselessly injured or killed on local roadways by impaired drivers. This DUI/Drivers License checkpoint is an effort to reduce those tragedies, as well as insuring drivers have a valid driver's license. A major component of these checkpoints is to increase awareness of the dangers of impaired driving and to encourage sober designated drivers.

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UPDATED ADVISORY: CLICK IT OR TICKET seatbelt campaign scheduled 5/18/09-5/30/09.

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/14/2009 2:45:00 PM by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

MEDIA ADVISORY

TWO-WEEK CLICK IT OR TICKET SEATBELT CAMPAIGN

May 18th - 30th, 2009

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

STEER CLEAR OF SJPD BY BUCKLING UP

Price of Seatbelt Ticket Rises to \$132

San Jose CA. -- Keep you and your family safe and \$132 in your wallet by making sure everyone wears their seat belts for every trip. That's the message that the San Jose Police Department is telling drivers as part of the 2009 start-of-summer Click It or Ticket mobilization, May 18 - 31. Fines and fees have gone from under \$100 previously to \$132 this year for first time adult seat belt violations. For children under 16, the fine is now \$435 for the first time offense.

No warnings will be given out, as the San Jose Police Department will be aggressively enforcing the state's occupant protection laws. The Click It or Ticket campaign relies on heavy enforcement and public education as a means to help save lives on California's roadways.

Currently California has a seat belt usage rate of 95.7 percent, but that still means over one half million people are not buckling up. Properly restrained drivers, passengers and children have a 50 percent better chance of surviving a crash than unbelted occupants. Those ejected from vehicles in crashes or roll-overs are up to 35 times more likely to die than restrained occupants.

"Buckling up just makes sense," said Christopher J. Murphy, Director of the California Office of Traffic Safety. "It takes only two seconds for an action that can make the difference whether you or your family gets home today."

More than 90 local law enforcement agencies statewide and the CHP will be participating in this year's Click It or Ticket mobilization. Funding to support California's Click It or Ticket campaign was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

Contact: Sergeant Paul Woo
San Jose Police Department
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BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
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MEDIA ADVISORY TWO-WEEK CLICK IT OR TICKET SEATBELT CAMPAIGN

May 18th - 30th, 2009

The San Jose Police Department will be out in force the coming two weeks, saving lives by enforcing California's seatbelt laws. The increased effort is part of the ongoing CLICK IT OR TICKET campaign, which relies on heavy enforcement and public education as a means to help California achieve 100 percent seatbelt use. The state's seatbelt use rate in 2008 was 95.7 percent. Officers will be on the lookout for those who are not buckled up, and for teens and children riding while improperly restrained.



California has a primary seatbelt law requiring every passenger in the car, including the driver, to wear a seatbelt at all times. If stopped and found to be in violation, law enforcement officers will issue citations without warning.

San Jose Police Officers will be out at all hours during the year, including nights and weekends, making sure everyone is safely buckled in. They will be watching teens closely, as their buckle-up rate lags behinds adults, and they are disproportionately involved in more crashes. Proper restraints can increase the chance of surviving a serious crash by 50 percent.

Funding for the operation to support California's CLICK IT OR TICKET campaign was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

Contact:

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BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 5/12/09 TIME: 3:00 PM

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Media Advisory- Police Memorial and Flag Ceremony

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/13/2009 10:00:00 AM by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

Media Advisory
Police Memorial and Flag Ceremony
San Jose City Hall
200 East Santa Clara St.
Thursday, May 14th, 2009
12:00 PM

"We Will Never Forget"

The City of San Jose will commemorate National Police Week with the annual Police Memorial and Flag Ceremony on Thursday, May 14th, 2009 at 12:00 PM. The ceremony will be held downtown in front of the City Hall building. Speakers will include Mayor Chuck Reed, Chief of Police Robert L. Davis and San Jose POA President Robert Lopez. Representatives from Public Safety agencies, City Government, and survivors of San Jose Police Officers who died in the line-of-duty will be in attendance.

On October 1, 1962, President John F. Kennedy signed Public Law 87-726. This law authorized the President to proclaim May 15th of each year as Peace Officers Memorial Day, and the week of May 15th each year as Police Week. This year, Police week will be May 11-17. The intent of the law is to honor Peace Officers killed in the performance of their duties, and to recognize the service of Peace Officers throughout the country.

The first recorded Peace Officer death in the United States was May 17, 1792. Since that time, more than 15,000 Peace Officers across the country have been killed in the line of duty. The San Jose Police Department has lost 11 officers, killed while performing their duties. The Police Memorial and Flag Ceremony will honor and recognize our 11 officers. *"We Will Never Forget."*



BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 05-13-09 TIME: 1:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Robert Reinhardt
DATE: 05-13-09 TIME: 1:00 PM

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Homicide #10 (UPDATE)- 3300 block of Rocky Mountain Drive

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/12/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 3300-block of Rocky Mountain Drive

CASE NUMBER: 09-127-0693
DATE: 5/7/2009 **TIME:** 3:45 PM

VICTIM: Juan Mendoza
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 years (Male)

SUSPECT: Unknown
ADDRESS: Unknown

AGE: Unknown

San Jose:

On 5/7/09, approximately 3:45 p.m., San Jose Police responded to a reported shooting in the 3300-block of Rocky Mountain Drive. Officers arrived and found the victim in front of a house, suffering from a gunshot wound. The victim was transported to a local hospital by ambulance where he was pronounced dead.

Witnesses saw the suspect running east on Rocky Mountain Drive after the shooting. The suspect is described as being between 5'7" and 5'8" in height, and was last seen wearing a hooded sweatshirt.

It is unknown whether the victim knew the suspect, and the motive is under investigation. This accounts for the tenth homicide in the city of San Jose.

UPDATE: 05-12-09

The victim is identified above.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Sergeants Tony Mata or Pete Ramirez of the San Jose Police Department, Homicide Unit, at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 5/12/09 TIME: 9:00 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. T. Mata
DATE: 5/12/09 TIME: 9:00 AM

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UPDATE: Officer-involved-shooting: 900 block of Branbury Way

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/12/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Officer-involved-shooting
LOCATION: 900 block of Branbury Way

CASE NUMBER: 09-130-0526
DATE: 5/10/2009 **TIME:** 11:33 AM

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 29 (Male)

SUSPECT: Daniel Pham
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 27 (Male)

OFFICER: Matthew Blackerby

2-year veteran

OFFICER: Brian Jeffrey

3-year veteran

San Jose:

On 5/10/09, at approximately 11:33 a.m., officers were dispatched to a reported family disturbance in which relatives were reporting that an individual at a residence had been stabbed. When the officers arrived, they were confronted by one of the persons involved in the disturbance, who was armed with a knife.

The officers ordered the subject to drop the knife several times; however, the subject refused. The subject charged at the officers with the knife held in a threatening manner. At least one of the officers discharged his weapon, fatally wounding the subject, who was pronounced dead at the scene.

The incident is being investigated by the San Jose Police Department's Homicide, Crime Scene, and Internal Affairs units, and is being monitored by an investigator of the Santa Clara County District Attorney's office.

UPDATE:

The involved officers, Matthew Blackerby and Brian Jeffrey, have been placed on paid administrative leave, per Departmental procedures.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Sergeant Dave Tindall or Detective John Barg of the San Jose Police Department, Homicide Unit, at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 5/12/09 TIME: 2:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. R. Goede
DATE: 5/10/09 TIME: 10:05 PM

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BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 5/10/09 TIME: 10:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. R. Goede
DATE: 5/10/09 TIME: 10:05 PM

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Homicide #10, 3300-block of Rocky Mountain Drive

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BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 5/8/09 TIME: 9:30 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. T. Mata
DATE: 5/8/09 TIME: 12:20 AM

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UPDATE: Four additional suspects arrested on the Vahid Hosseini homicide case

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/8/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide
LOCATION: 1010 S. Frist Street

CASE NUMBER: 08-144-0822
DATE: 5/23/2008 **TIME:** 4:26 PM

VICTIM: Vahid Hosseini
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 47 years (Male)

SUSPECT #1: Kristina Marie Contreras
ADDRESS: Aromas (Monterey County) Resident

AGE: 30 years (Female)

SUSPECT #2: Jose Nunez Ortiz
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 34 years (Male)

SUSPECT #3: Javier Pimentel Olalde
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 41 years (Male)

SUSPECT #4: Luis Alejandro Rodriguez
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 26 years (Male)



Kristina Marie Contreras



Jose Nunez Ortiz



Javier Pimentel Olalde



Luis Alejandro Rodriguez

San Jose:

San Jose Police homicide investigators have arrested three additional suspects for being accessories to the homicide of Mr. Vahid Hosseini.

On 5/1/09, Kristina Contreras, Jose Nunez Ortiz, and Javier Pimentel Olalde were arrested in the 0-99 block of N. White Road in San Jose.

On 5/6/09, Luis Alejandro Rodriguez was arrested at the San Jose Police Department.

All suspects were booked into the Santa Clara County Jail.

Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Detective Sergeants Paul Kelly or Mike Brown of the San Jose Police Department, Homicide Unit, at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP

(7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 5/7/09 TIME: 3:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Mike Brown
DATE: 5/7/09 TIME: 4:00 PM

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Homicide - Almaden Expressway and Foxworthy Avenue

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/7/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide

LOCATION: Almaden Expressway and Foxworthy Avenue

CASE NUMBER: 09-107-1158

DATE: 4/17/09 **TIME:** 10:07 PM

VICTIM: Enrique Carrillo Flores

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 35 years (Male)

SUSPECT: Raymond John Garcia

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 24 years (Male)

SUSPECT: Ernesto Guadalupe Ruiz Esparza

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 19 years (Male)

SUSPECT: Ralph Anthony Garcia

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 21 years (Male)

Note: No relation between suspects Raymond Garcia and Ralph Garcia.



Raymond John Garcia



Ernesto Guadalupe Ruiz Esparza



Ralph Anthony Garcia

San Jose:

On 4/17/09, approximately 10:07 PM, the victim and three suspects were involved in an altercation while in the shopping center parking lot, located near the intersection of Almaden Expressway and Foxworthy Avenue. During the altercation, the victim was fatally stabbed.

All three suspects were arrested at different locations following investigation by the San Jose Police Department, Homicide Unit.

Investigation revealed the victim and suspects were not known to one another, and it is believed the stabbing was gang-related. All three suspects were booked into the Santa Clara County Jail on murder charges.

Anyone with information about his case is urged to contact Detective Sergeant Dave Tindall or Detective John Barg of the San Jose Police Department, Homicide Unit, at (408) 277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 5/7/09 TIME: 9:30 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Dave Tindall
DATE: 5/7/09 TIME: 11:30 AM

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UPDATE: Fatal Traffic Collision, Mckee Rd. at Capitol Ave

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/6/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Fatal Traffic Collision
LOCATION: Mckee Rd. at Capitol Ave.

CASE NUMBER: 09-061-0213
DATE: 03/02/09 **TIME:** 6:11 AM

VICTIM: Hue Duong (Female)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 77 yrs.

SUSPECT: Unknown
SUSPECT VEHICLE: Black 4-door Toyota Avalon XLS, or similar, with chrome wheels and chrome side trim; possible minor front end damage; unknown license state or number.

San Jose:

On Monday, March 2, 2009, at 6:11 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a person down at Mckee Rd at Hwy 680. Officers arrived on scene and located the victim.

Preliminary investigation indicates the victim was walking westbound on Mckee Rd., on the sidewalk. The victim was in front of the driveway when a black 4 door, mid to full size vehicle coming from a driveway, collided into the victim. The impact caused the victim to be thrown into the westbound lanes of Mckee Rd., at which time another vehicle collided with the victim.

The investigation is ongoing.

UPDATE 5/6/09:

Investigation revealed the suspect vehicle is a Black 1998 or 1999 Toyota Avalon XLS 4-door sedan, or similar style vehicle, with chrome wheels and chrome side trim. The license plate state and number are unknown. The vehicle may have sustained minor front end damage as a result of the collision.

Anyone with information is urged to contact Investigator Mike O'Brien of the San Jose Police Department's Vehicular Crimes Unit at 408-277-4654. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP.

BY: Ofc. Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 05/06/09 TIME: 11:30 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. George Graham #2517
DATE: 05/06/09 TIME: 3:15 PM

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UPDATE:Fatal Traffic Collision, Auto vs Pedestrian, Senter Road / Independence Avenue

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/6/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Fatal Traffic Collision
LOCATION: Senter Road and Independence Avenue

CASE NUMBER: 09-006-0828
DATE: 01/19/2009 **TIME:** 8:00 AM

VICTIM: Quy Tran (Female)
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 81 Years

DRIVER: Unknown, Asian Male
ADDRESS: Unknown

AGE: 25-35 Years

SUSPECT VEHICLE: Green 4-door Honda Civic or Accord, possibly late 90's to early 2000 model; possible minor front end damage; unknown license state or number.

San Jose:

On Monday, January 19, 2009, at 8:00 AM, San Jose Police Officers were dispatched to a major injury traffic collision involving a vehicle and pedestrian at Senter Road and Independence Avenue.

Preliminary investigation indicates the victim was crossing Senter Road at Independence Avenue, where there are no marked crosswalk or traffic signals. The driver was traveling southbound on Senter Road when he collided with the victim. The victim was struck by a possibly a green Honda sedan. The victim was transported to a local hospital where she later died.

UPDATE 5/6/09:

Investigation revealed the suspect vehicle is a Green 4-door Honda Civic or Accord, possibly late 90's to early 2000 model. The license plate state and number are unknown, and the vehicle may have sustained minor front end damage as a result of the collision.

Anyone with information is urged to contact Investigator Mike O'Brien #3527 of the San Jose Police Department's Vehicular Crimes Unit at 408-277-4654. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947- STOP.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
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AUTHORIZED BY:Lt. George Graham#2517
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Media Advisory- Regional Communications for Public Safety

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/5/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

MEDIA ADVISORY

Regional Communications for Public Safety

Date: May 12, 2009

Time: 11:00 AM

Location: Gilroy Police Department

7301 Hanna Street, Gilroy, CA 95020

San Jose Police Chief Robert L. Davis and Gilroy Police Chief Denise Turner wish to invite all members of the media to a press conference to announce the Silicon Valley Regional Interoperability Project (SVRIP).

The City of San Jose, as part of the Silicon Valley Regional Interoperability Project (SVRIP), has recently completed a \$10.1 M regional microwave radio communications network to improve communications between emergency first responders in Santa Clara County.

Funded through the San Jose Police Department by grants, the Emergency Communications (ECOMM) network is made up of 23 state-of-the-art digital microwave radio links serving 18 jurisdictions throughout Santa Clara County. ECOMM links the Santa Clara County's Public Safety Answering Points (PSAP's) in seconds, allowing high-speed sharing of dispatch services, records management databases, and voice traffic, which will enable first responders to improve local response times and better manage regional incidents.

ECOMM is independent of commercial wireless and telephone networks, which often overload and fail during major regional incidents. Independent operation avoids the delays or uncoordinated responses typical with commercial systems. ECOMM will eventually link to other interoperable public safety microwave systems currently being built in the greater San Francisco Bay region, and extending from Monterey to Sacramento.

Chief Scott Seaman of the Los Gatos-Monte Sereno Police Department is the current chair of the Silicon Valley Regional Interoperability Group (SVRIP). "Secure public safety communications is one of the most critical elements in day to day emergency response. ECOMM allows us to link our 911 centers through secure, reliable technology and gives us the capacity to update and enhance our radio systems and data sharing to take advantage of increasingly powerful technologies. The ability to 'ring the Bay Area' with microwave connectivity opens up a future of truly interoperable communications for the entire Bay Area".

Questions or inquires regarding the Press Conference should be directed to Captain Diane Urban, San Jose Police Department at (408) 277-5176.

BY: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522

DATE: 05-11-09 TIME: 1:45 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Capt. Diane Urban

DATE: 05-11-09 TIME: 1:45 PM

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Media Advisory-Press Conference 2008 Homicide Update

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/4/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

Media Advisory

There is a Press Conference scheduled, Tuesday, May 5, 2009 at 10:00AM in Room #314 at San Jose Police Headquarters, 201 West Mission Street, San Jose.

The San Jose Police Department will be announcing developments in the 2008 Homicide case of Vahid Hosseini that occurred May 23, 2008. There will be no further information given out until the press conference.

Inquiries may be directed to the San Jose Police Department's Press Information Office at 408-277-5339.

BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 05-04-09 TIME: 6:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 05-04-09 TIME: 6:00 PM

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Attempted kidnapping

Filed under *Press Release*, on 5/2/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Attempted kidnapping

CASE NUMBER: 09-121-0666

LOCATION: Piedmont Rd. & Ruskin Dr.

DATE: 05-01-2009 **TIME:** 2:00 PM

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 14 years (Female)

SUSPECT: Unknown Hispanic Male, 30-35 years of age

SUSPECT VEHICLE: White, 4-door sedan or compact.

San Jose:

On Friday, 5/1/09, approximately 2:00 p.m., an attempted kidnapping occurred at Piedmont Road and Ruskin Drive, near Piedmont High School. An adult male passenger in a vehicle with another occupant, stopped next to a 14-year-old female and grabbed her arm in an apparent attempt to pull her into the car. The attempt was unsuccessful and the victim fled to safety. The suspect is described as an Hispanic male, 30 to 35 years old, with brown hair and a mustache. The vehicle is described as a white, four-door sedan or compact.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call Detective Jodie Bridges of the San Jose Police Department at 408-277-4102. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532
DATE: 05-02-09 TIME: 6:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Mike Hahn #2276
DATE: 05-02-09 TIME: 3:30 PM

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San Jose Police Major Awards Banquet

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**2009 SAN JOSE POLICE DEPARTMENT
MAJOR AWARDS BANQUET**

**SAN JOSE ATHLETIC CLUB
CORINTHIAN BALLROOM
196 NORTH 3rd STREET
SAN JOSE, CA. 95112**

**THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 2009
AWARDS CEREMONY 6:00PM TO 9:00PM**

On Thursday, April 30, 2009 at 5:00 PM, San Jose Police Department will host the Department's Annual Major Awards Banquet at the San Jose Athletic Club. The purpose is to honor police officers and community members who have acted selflessly, and in extraordinary fashion, in the protection and defense of their fellow citizens and their community.

The keynote speaker for this awards banquet will be San Jose Police Chief Robert L. Davis.

73 Police officers and community members are due to be recognized at this event. A full list will be available at the banquet.

For additional information, please contact Ofc. Tina Boales of the San Jose Police Department's Personnel Unit at (408) 569-5700.



BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 04-30-09 TIME: 1:00 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Ofc. Tina Boales
DATE: 04-30-09 TIME: 1:00 PM

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Media Advisory(Update)-BMX Bicycle Jumping Event, Date Change

Filed under *Press Release*, on 4/30/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

MEDIA ADVISORY BMX Bicycle Jumping Event

When: May 29-30, 2009

For the events itinerary, visit: SJDPAL.com

DETAILS:

The San Jose Police Activities League (PAL), in cooperation with Epicentro Marketing and Terrain-Parks.com, welcomes local BMX superstar Ryan Nyquist, and many other professional BMX athletes from all over the globe, to its inaugural "Warriors of Wood" BMX Jumping event.

The two-day event will be hosted at the PAL stadium, 680 S. 34th Street, San Jose, CA 95116. The event will feature many of the world's best BMX jumpers, flipping and spinning their way through a state-of-the-art competition course, looking to capture the spot on the podium. If you have never experienced this kind of riding in person, you won't want to miss this! There will also be an interactive village set up, including a sponsor and vendor market place, autograph signings, and youth activities. So, whether you're looking for a dose of adrenaline or just looking for somewhere to take the whole family, you'll find it all at the "Warriors of Wood" at the PAL stadium.

BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas #3522
DATE: 04-30-09 TIME: 2:15 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Ronnie Lopez
DATE: 04-30-09 TIME: 2:15 PM

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Media Advisory-Cinco de Mayo Weekend Traffic

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San Jose, Calif. - On Friday, May 1, 2009, to Sunday, May 3, 2009, depending on the downtown traffic conditions, the following off-ramps may be closed during the late evening hours of Friday and Saturday night and during the evening hours of Sunday as necessary;

NB87, SB87, NB & SB 101, and NB & SB 280 off ramps that all lead to the downtown area.

Traffic on Market and Fourth Streets, King Road and Story Road will also be subject to be diverted also during the evening hours in the event of gridlock.

It is strongly recommended that motorists attending this weekend's events to allow themselves additional time. Downtown residents and commuters can expect heavier traffic in the area. To reach their downtown destination, consider taking the following alternate routes:

Take Highway 880, exit The Alameda and go eastbound

or

Take Highway 280, exit Bird and go northbound. Turn right on San Carlos, Park or Santa Clara Streets.

BY: Ofc. Jermaine Thomas #3522

DATE: 04-30-09 TIME: 3:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Sgt. Paul Woo

DATE: 04-30-09 TIME: 3:30 PM

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Homicide #8- 700 Block of Northrup St.

Filed under *Press Release*, on 4/28/2009 by Author: Officer Jermaine Thomas #3522.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide #8
LOCATION: 700 Block of Northrup St.

CASE NUMBER: 09-116-0563
DATE: 04-26-09 **TIME:** 12:48 PM

VICTIM: Michael James Hazard
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 22 Years(Male)

SUSPECT #1: Ralph Ojeda
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 27 Years(Male)

SUSPECT #2: Floyd Delgado
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

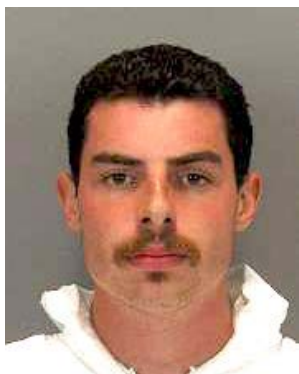
AGE: 22 Years(Male)

SUSPECT #3: Joseph Correa
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 21 Years(Male)



SUSPECT #1: Ralph Ojeda



SUSPECT #2: Floyd Delgado



SUSPECT #3: Joseph Correa

San Jose:

On Sunday, April 26, 2009, at 12:48 PM, San Jose Police Officers responded to a traffic collision at Parkmoor Ave at Meridian Ave. Officers arrived on scene along with San Jose Fire paramedics and the victim was pronounced dead.

Preliminary investigation revealed the victim had been in an altercation in the parking lot area of the apartments in the area of the 700 Block of Northrup St. The victim was last seen in a vehicle that was being driven away from the scene. The vehicle later crashed a short distance away at Parkmoor Ave at Meridan Ave. It was discovered the victim had suffered a stab wound.

The suspects responsible for this homicide are identified above.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective Sgt. Kevin Abruzzini or Detective Brian Spears of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at 408-277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Ofc. JermaineThomas #3522
DATE: 04-30-09 TIME: 11:30 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 04-30-09 TIME: 11:30 AM

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Homicide #7 - 2900 Almaden Expressway

Filed under *Press Release*, on 4/24/2009 by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide #7
LOCATION: 2900 Almaden Expressway

CASE NUMBER: 09-102-1077
DATE: 4-17-2009 **TIME:** 10:05 PM

VICTIM #1: Enrique Flores
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 35-years (Male)

SUSPECTS: Unknown

San Jose:

On Friday, April 17, 2009, at 10:05 PM, San Jose Police Officers responded to reports of a fight in the 2900 Block of Almaden Expressway.

Upon arrival, officers located the victim lying on the ground with multiple stab wounds. The victim was transported to a local hospital where he was pronounced dead.

The investigation revealed multiple leads that detectives are following-up with in order to identify the responsible parties.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective Sergeant Dave Tindall or Detective John Barg of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at 408-277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187
DATE: 4-24-09 TIME: 11:30 AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede
DATE: 4-24-09 TIME: 11:30 AM

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Lewd Acts with A Child

Filed under *Press Release*, on 4/24/2009 by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

TYPE OF CRIME: Lewd Acts with a Child

CASE NUMBER: 09-084-0826

LOCATION: South San Jose

DATE: 3-25-2009

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 14 years (Male)

SUSPECT: Andrew King
ADDRESS: San Jose resident

AGE: 61 years (Male)

Details:

On March 25, 2007, San Jose Police Department's Child Exploitation Detail received a report that Andrew King, a 61-year-old, head swim coach for San Jose Aquatics, had inappropriate relations with a 14-year-old female swimmer.

On April 2, 2009, Andrew King turned himself into San Jose Police and posted bail.

In an effort to determine if there may be additional victims, anyone with information regarding this case is urged to contact Detective Sergeant Randy Schriefer or Detective Eric Michel of the San Jose Police Department's Sexual Assault Investigations Unit at (408) 277-4102. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at (408) 947-STOP (7867).

BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Mike Hahn

DATE: 04-24-09 TIME: 12:30 PM

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Armed Robbery - 7-11 4625 Albany Drive

Filed under *Press Release*, on 4/23/2009 by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

TYPE OF CRIME: Armed Robbery
LOCATION: 4625 Albany Drive

CASE NUMBER: 09-021-0982
DATE: 01-21-2009 **TIME:** 8:45 PM

VICTIM: 7-11

SUSPECT: Unknown

San Jose:

On Wednesday, January 21, 2009, at approximately 8:45 PM, an armed robbery occurred at the 7-11, 4625 Albany Drive in San Jose.

Preliminary investigation revealed a suspect entered the store, jumped over the counter, brandished a handgun and demanded the clerk open the cash register. The suspect took cash from the register and then robbed the clerk of his personal property.

Witnesses observed a blue foreign hatchback vehicle leaving the area.

The suspect was described as a Black, male adult; unknown age, approximately 5'6 to 5'8, 160-180 lbs, wearing a black mask, black or grey jacket with a hip-hop design, white gloves and dark pants.

Anyone with information regarding this case is urged to contact Detective Keith Mizuhara of the San Jose Police Department's Robbery Unit at 408-277-4166. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187
DATE: 04-23-09 TIME: 3:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Laurence Ryan
DATE: 04-23-09 TIME: 3:30 PM

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Attempted Homicide - Interstate 280 / SR-87

Filed under *Press Release*, on 4/21/2009 by Author: Officer Jose Garcia #3532.

TYPE OF CRIME: Attempted Homicide
LOCATION: I-280 / SR-87

CASE NUMBER: 09-108-0469
DATE: 4-18-2009 **TIME:** 10:37 PM

VICTIM #1: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: Male

SUSPECT: Damariz Michi
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 21 years (Female)

San Jose:

On Saturday, April 18, 2009, approximately 10:37 AM, San Jose Police Officers responded to a report of a vehicle-pedestrian hit-and-run on the northbound I-280 connector to southbound SR (state route) 87.

Officers found the victim lying in a city parking lot, directly below the overcrossings. The victim sustained major injuries, and he was taken to a local hospital where he remains in critical condition.

Preliminary investigation revealed the victim was a passenger in a blue 1995 Dodge Caravan, driven by the suspect, Damariz Michi. Investigation further revealed the suspect intentionally struck the victim after he exited the van and walked away, while on the southbound I-280 connector to southbound SR-87.

The suspect was arrested on the evening of Monday, 4/20/09, and booked into the Santa Clara County Jail.

It is believed that, moments before the incident, the suspect and victim had traveled from southbound US-101 onto northbound I-280, where they continued north on I-280 until stopping on the northbound I-280 connector to southbound SR-87.

Anyone having witnessed the blue 1995 Dodge Caravan traveling on any point of the mentioned highways or while stopped on the I-280 connector to SR-87, or who is able to describe the suspect driving the van, is urged to call Sergeant Kevin Abruzzini or Detective Brian Spears of the San Jose Police Department, Homicide Unit, at 408-277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

The victim's identity is being withheld, pending family notification.

BY: Officer Jose Garcia #3532

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede

DATE: 4-21-09 TIME: 5:30 PM

DATE: 4-21-09 TIME: 5:30 PM

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Homicide #6 - 1100 Block of Sunny Ct.

Filed under *Press Release*, on 4/16/2009 by Author: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187.

TYPE OF CRIME: Homicide

LOCATION: 1100 Block of Sunny Ct.

CASE NUMBER: 09-102-1077

DATE: 4-1-2009 **TIME:** 9:27 PM

VICTIM #1: Alvaro Galindo

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 24-years (Male)

VICTIM #2: Withheld

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 18-years (Male)

SUSPECT: Steven Bolanos

ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 18-years (Male)

San Jose:

On Sunday, April 12, 2009, at 9:27 PM, San Jose Police Officers responded to reports of gun shots in the 1100 Block of Sunny Ct.

Upon arrival, officers found two victims lying in the ground with gun shot wounds. One of the victims was pronounced dead at the scene. The second victim was transported to a local hospital where he was treated for non-life threatening injuries.

Preliminary investigation revealed information which led to the arrest of one suspect in connection to this homicide. The suspect was subsequently booked into the SCC jail.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to call Detective Sergeant Merlin Newton or Detective Bill Hoyt of the San Jose Police Department's Homicide Unit at 408-277-5283. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187

DATE: 4-2-09 TIME: 2:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Rikki Goede

DATE: 4-2-09 TIME: 2:30 PM

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Kidnapping / Robbery

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TYPE OF CRIME: Kidnapping / Robbery

CASE NUMBER: 09-096-0041

LOCATION: 2000-block of Huran Drive

DATE: 04-05-2009 **TIME:** 7:00 PM

VICTIM: Withheld
ADDRESS: San Jose Resident

AGE: 27 Years (Male)

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ADDRESS: San Jose Resident
SUSPECT: Richard Quesada
SUSPECT: Anthony Jesus Estrada
SUSPECT: Emilio Guel
SUSPECT: Juan Guel

AGE: 26 Years (Male)

AGE: 27 Years (Male)

AGE: 30 Years (Male)

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San Jose:

On Sunday, March 6, 2009, 12:13 AM, San Jose Police Officers responded to a reported kidnapping / robbery in the 2000-block of Huran Drive.

The victim was approached by the suspects, who demanded money. The suspects realized the victim was not the person they sought and forced him, at knife-point, to drive them to their intended victim's location.

The suspects confronted their intended victim and demanded money. The suspects robbed him of personal belongings.

Responding officers identified and arrested three of the suspects, who remain in the Santa Clara County Jail. Richard Quesada remains at large with a warrant for his arrest.

Investigators believe the suspects may have robbed and/or kidnapped other persons. Anyone having been victim to these suspects is encouraged to contact the San Jose Police Department.

Anyone with information on this case is urged to contact Detectives David Woolsey or Desiree Thompson of the San Jose Police Department, Gang Investigations Unit, at 408-277-3835. Persons wishing to remain anonymous may call Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP (7867).

BY: Sergeant Ronnie Lopez #3187
 DATE: 03-17-09 TIME: 4:30 PM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. John Spicer
 DATE: 03-17-09 TIME: 4:30 PM

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