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Announcements

Captain's Community Meeting

My next meeting will be Tuesday, April 3rd, at 7:00PM. The meeting will be held in the Community Room. Access can be gained by entering through the Newhall Street door.

Press Release from the District Attorney's Office

Kamala Harris, District Attorney released a press release on March 15th that announced that her office has charged Abd "Mike" Elmohssen Abozaid with four felony counts of grand theft for cheating day laborers out of their wages. Court documents state through January 2005 through April 2006 the defendant hired day laborers in San Francisco and transported them to construction jobs throughout the Bay Area. He then failed to pay them thousands of dollars in wages. He then threatened to contact immigration if they reported him.

The defendant was arrested on March 14th in the Mission District by District Attorney Investigators and released on a \$100,000.00 bond. Carlos Sanchez is the District Attorney Investigator on the case. June Cravett and Max Pelts are the Assistant District Attorneys prosecuting the case. La Raza Centro Legal and Instituto Laboral de la Raza assisted in the investigation.

Police Commission Newsletter

The San Francisco Police Commission is creating an email list to inform the public on important matters that come before the Commission.

Dear Community Member,

The San Francisco Police Commission would like to invite you to join the Commission's e-mail list so that you will have up to date information about important matters that come before the Commission affecting the Police Department and the community.

Your interest and involvement in neighborhood issues and matters related to your Police District are crucial to the success of the overall mission of the SFPD. Similarly, the Commission often considers issues on a larger scale that are crucial to the mission of the Police Department and impact Department operations at the local level.

If you would like to join the Commission's e-mail list, please respond to sfpd.commission@sfgov.org and put "Add me to the list" in the subject line.

The Police Commission meets weekly, every Wednesday afternoon, 5:30 p.m. at City Hall. A meeting agenda is published on the preceding Friday which is

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also sent out to those on our e-mail list.

Please direct any questions to Sergeant Joe Reilly at 415 553-1667.

Thank you for your continued support of the San Francisco Police Department.

Homicide Tipline

The San Francisco Police Department is seeking the public's help to solve some recent homicides in the district.

The first incident was on Friday, March 16, 2007 at 5:40 AM. Bayview Station Officers responded to a call of a nude body in the area of 1600 Indiana Street. The person was determined to be deceased and the case is under investigation by the Homicide detail.

The second incident is the shooting death of a 17 year-old girl. The incident occurred on Friday, March 16, 2007 at 8:11 PM in front of a youth center at 3rd Street and Quesada Avenue.

If you have any information in any of these incidents we urge you to call the Homicide Detail at 415-553-1145. If you wish to remain anonymous call the tip line at 415-575-4444.

Captain Albert Pardini
Commanding Officer
Bayview Station

Public Interest

New Police Department Hiring Process: The San Francisco Police Department is actively hiring eligible candidates and has begun an Accelerated Police Officer Hiring Program. Candidates are instructed to show up to any of the upcoming test dates. They must bring valid photo identification. Candidates will take the Written Examination and complete the Personal History Questionnaire in the same day. Applicants must be at least 20 years old, have a valid driver's license, and not be convicted of a crime that would prohibit them from carrying a firearm. For more information visit: www.sfgov.org/police.

Test Dates:

Tuesday, April 17, 2007

Tuesday, May 5, 2007

Tuesday, June 19, 2007

The test will begin at 8:00AM and will be held at the Bill Graham Center.

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San Francisco School Volunteers

The San Francisco School Volunteers are seeking your help in tutoring San Francisco students in all schools, in all grades, and in all subjects. The program will match your skill set where it is needed such as math, languages, computers, assisting in the playground, or whatever interests you. The volunteer program seeks a commitment of one semester. The hours are usually school hours from 8AM to 3PM with some after school sessions. For more information visit them on the web www.sfsv.org or contact Debbie Lynch, volunteer@sfsv.org or 415-749-3700 x3002.

Easter Lunch Celebration

S.O.U.R.C.E, (Sisters of Unity Reaching Community Entities), invites you to a Holy Day Lunch Celebration, Saturday 3-31-07 from 12:00 Noon to 2:00 PM. It will be held at the St. James Missionary Baptist Church at 1470 Hudson Avenue. There will also be an Easter Egg Hunt for children ages 1-13 years old. Please RSVP by Wednesday March 28, 2007 by 5PM by leaving a message at 415 303-0344.

Bayview Hope Truck Driving Academy

The Bayview Hope Truck Driving Academy, in cooperation with Goodwill, City College and True Hope Church is offering an intensive, eight week truck driving course with state of the art training. To be eligible you must be at least 21 years old, have a California Driver's License and be eligible to work in the United States. For more information contact 415-575-2158, 415-550-4421.

Civil Grand Jury

The San Francisco Civil Grand Jury is looking for volunteers to serve as Jurors. The Civil Grand Jury is the only independent investigative body in the City of San Francisco. Recent topics of investigation have included Muni, the Fire Department, and the Police Department. If you are over 18 years old, a resident of San Francisco, possess a good working knowledge of English, and have never been convicted of a felony, you are encouraged to apply. Applicants will be screened for eligibility and will be interviewed by San Francisco Superior Court Judges. If selected you will serve a one-year term commencing on July 1, 2007. To learn more please visit www.sfgov.org/site/courts and click on the link for the Civil Grand Jury.

Free Legal Help:

Do you have a legal problem? Need to talk to a lawyer? Visit the Legal Advice and Referral Clinic. Sponsored by the Bar Association of San Francisco.

Saturday, March 31, 2007, Noon to 1:30PM, Providence Baptist Church 1601

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McKinnon Ave at Newhall. Doors Close at 1:30 PM without exception.

Boy Scouts of America

Boy Scout Troop #159 is looking for interested young men ages 11-15 to join their troop. They meet every Thursday from 7:30 PM to 9:00 PM at New Home Baptist Church located at 1763 Newcomb Avenue. They are also seeking an adult volunteer to assist the troop. For questions contact the Scoutmaster Harry Velleno 415-826-7348 or email harv159@aol.com.

Back issues of the Bayview Community Update:

Back issues of the Bayview Community Update are available online at www.sfgov.org/police. Other District Stations updates can be found here as well.

Crimes and Law Enforcement

THE BELOW LISTED INCIDENTS WERE SUBMITTED BY INDIVIDUALS OF BAYVIEW STATION:

Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at 4:05 PM - Warrant Arrest, Local SF Warrant, Resisting, Delaying, or Obstructing Peace Officer. 1600 Block of Kirkwood Ave. CS# 070 262 478 - Officers Scott, Lyons, Kirchner and Sergeant Hagan were dressed in plainclothes and traveling in an unmarked police car. As they drove down the 1600 Block of Kirkwood Avenue, they observed a male adult loitering. The male subject appeared nervous and began aggressively ringing the door bell at one of the residences. The officers exited their vehicle and identified themselves verbally and physically by displaying their police star on their outer most garment of clothing. The male subject dropped his backpack and began to run away. The officers caught up with the male and detained him pending further investigation. A computer check revealed that the male subject had a \$100,000 warrant for domestic violence. The male subject was transported back to Bayview Station where the warrant was confirmed through Central Warrants Bureau. The male subject was then booked at Bayview Station.

Wednesday, March 14, 2007 at 4:30 PM - Robbery, Street or Public Place, w/ Gun. Arkansas St/Madera St. CS# 070 267 092 - Officer Chantal and Officer Petiti were in the area of 16th Street and Kansas Street when they were flagged down by a male adult. The male told the officers that his son had just been robbed at gunpoint on a Muni bus. The bus was still on scene. Officer Chantal spoke with the bus driver who said that he did not realize that a robbery had just taken place. Unfortunately, the bus was not equipped with a video camera. Officer Chantal then spoke with the victim. The victim said that he was standing on the bus when a black male wearing a black hoodie walked up to him and struck him one time in the nose with a silver revolver pistol. The suspect then placed the pistol in the victim's

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lower back and told him not to turn around. The victim said that the suspect then went through his pockets and stole his money. The victim said that the suspect then got off the bus at the Arkansas/Madera stop. Officers Chantal and Petiti searched the surrounding areas in an attempt to locate the suspect, but did not have any luck.

Friday, March 16, 2007 at 3:42 AM - Carjacking with a Gun. CS# 070 268 573 - Officers Lee, Lane and Yoo were conducting an investigation regarding a carjacking that took place the day before, on March 15, 2007. The officers spoke with the victim and she gave a detailed description of the vehicle that the carjacker was driving when she initially met him. The victim also advised the officers of a possible location where the suspect might be. The officers drove to the location and found a vehicle matching the description. A computer check of the VIN number gave the name of an individual who was also named in another incident that occurred at the same address. The officers then went to Bayview Station where they put together a photographic line-up with five other similar pictures. The officers showed the photographic line-up to the victim and within seconds, the victim immediately identified the suspect in the picture as the one who had stolen her vehicle. The officers forwarded all information to the Inspector in charge of the investigation.

Friday, March 16, 2007 - 6:30 PM - Robbery w/ Force - 345 Williams Avenue - CS# 070 275 465 - A young woman came to Bayview Station to report that she was a victim of a robbery. While in a parking lot she was approached by a woman who demanded the girl's possessions. The suspect took the girl's cell phone and fled. The girl was on a bus and some of the passengers said that the suspect's name was, "Le Le".

Saturday, March 17, 2007 - 6:43 PM - Methamphetamine arrest - Fitzgerald Avenue and Jennings Street - CS# 070 279 586 - Officers Cruz and Martin were riding their bikes in the area of Fitzgerald Avenue and Jennings Street, when they saw a man that they knew to have a search condition as a result of him accepting probation. They searched the man and found methamphetamine and placed under arrest. The man, a Bayview Resident was booked for a probation violation and possession of methamphetamine.

Saturday, March 17, 2007 - 10:20 PM - Robbery/Suspicious Vehicle - 1700 block of 18th Street - CS# 070 280 323 & 070 280 317 - Sgt. McCray was on patrol in the Potrero Hill District when she spotted a vehicle traveling at a high rate of speed. As she tried to catch up to it the car stopped and a passenger got out and began to run away. At the same time a call came over the radio about robbery that occurred a few minutes ago on the 1700 block of 18th Street. This would make one reasonably believe that the car and the person who got out were involved in the robbery. Units converged to

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the area to attempt to locate the car, the suspect, and the victim.

Sgt. Pate found the person who got out of the car and ran hiding under a car. Officers Lee and Brown found the victim and learned that he was robbed by three young men and was relieved of his money and his cell phone. He described one of the suspects as wearing a green hooded jacket. The young man that Sgt. Pate detained had a green hood jacket. The victim was brought to the suspect's location in attempt to identify the suspect.

The victim was emphatic that the person that was detained was not involved in the robbery. Further, none of the victim's property was in the possession of the suspect. This would make an arrest of this young man very difficult to prosecute and he was subsequently released. It should be noted, that the young man, a teen from the Bayview District was also arrested for robbery just one month prior to this incident.

Sunday, March 18, 2007 - 5:37 PM - Firearm Arrest - Potrero Hill Housing - CS# 070 282 670 - Plainclothes officers saw a man that they knew sitting in the Potrero Hill Housing complex. They also knew that he is on probation and is a person of interest in a homicide investigation. They approached him on foot. When the suspect saw the officers he got up and began to run away. The suspect then took a handgun out of his waistband as the officers closed in on him, the suspect threw the gun under a parked car. He was taken into custody and the gun was recovered. He was read his Miranda rights and he admitted to having the gun. He was booked for numerous weapons violations in addition to violating his probation.

Phone Numbers and Web Sites

S. F. P. D.

Emergency: 9-1-1

S.F.P.D. Website: www.sfgov.org/police

S.F.P.D. Anonymous Tips, General: 575-4444

Narcotics Detail Anonymous Tips: (800) 272-2548

Vice Crimes Anonymous Tips: 643-6223

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Captain Albert Pardini: 671-2300

Bayview Station Anonymous Tips: 822-8147.

Illegal Encampments: Officer Martin Bandvik (Mo - Fr), 850-9740.

Bayview Narcotics Investigations: Sgt. Eddie Hagan/Sgt. Dempsey, 254-7197.

Westbrook Development Liaison: Officers Brett Bodisco and Cullen Cahill at 509-1678, and Officers Reynoso and Pasqua at 806-8304

Hunter's View Development Liaison: Officers Brian Petiti and Mike Chantal at 987-6569, and Officers Mike Robinson and Dave Dockery at 509 -1270

Potrero Hill Development Liaison: Officers Alex Rodatos and Kelvin Sanders

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at 509-1408, and Officers Tim Fowlie and George Ferraez at 987-6369

Third Street Beat Officers: Officers Kevin McPherson, Monty Singleton,
Lloyd Martin and Giueseppe Festa at 671-2300.

San Bruno St. Corridor Beat Officers: Officers Feliks Gasanyan and Albert
Lieu at 671-2300.

Miscellaneous City Departments
Illegal Dumping (DPW): 282-5326
DPT Abandoned Autos: 781-JUNK
DPT Parking Problems: 553-1200