



Crime Alert and Community Update Bulletin

Crime statistics at a glance:

	02/14/22 – 02/20/22	02/21/22 – 02/27/22	Year to Date
Robberies	1	1 + 1 attempted	8+2 attempted
Residential Burglaries	0	0	3
Commercial Burglaries	1	1	4
Vehicle Burglaries	2	4	29
Stolen Vehicles	6	6	55 + 4 attempted

When I mention “the unit block” of a street, this means the incident occurred at an address anywhere between 1 and 99 of the street.

Notable Cases

On Monday, 02-21-22, at approximately 11:27 p.m., **Officer Zhang** initiated a traffic enforcement stop on a **Mazda CX-7** at **Westmoor Avenue** and **Southgate Avenue** after noticing the left portion of the rear license plate was obliterated. The vehicle had six unpaid parking violations; therefore, **Officer Zhang** requested to have the vehicle towed. The driver, a 28-year old San Francisco resident, was asked to exit the vehicle. The vehicle’s center console was searched and a camouflage bag containing a clear bag with a substantial amount of crystal methamphetamine was found. The suspect was arrested and cited for possession of a controlled substance.

On Thursday, 02-24-22, at approximately 6:29 p.m. **Officer Greene, Officer Zhang, and Acting Sergeant Poti** were dispatched to the 800 block of **Brunswick Street** on a report of an argument where the suspect pointed a kitchen knife at his neighbor. The victim said that he went to speak with his downstairs neighbor, since his neighbor was making a lot of noise, causing his infant child to wake up. The victim was talking through a window with the suspect, who became upset and grabbed a large kitchen knife, pointed it at the victim, and said, “I will kill you.” The victim was in fear, since the suspect proceeded to walk towards a door that led to the victim. In fear of the victim’s safety, the victim’s wife pulled the victim inside a stairway and locked the door. The suspect, a 74-year old Daly City resident, was arrested and booked into jail for criminal threats.

On Thursday, 02-24-22, at approximately 10:25 p.m., **Officer Mendiara and Officer Zhang** were dispatched to the Broadmoor Police Department on a report of a man having a gun pointed at him. The victim, a 28-year old Daly City resident, stated he left the **Serramonte Shopping Center** parking garage at the **Callan Boulevard** exit. As he was stopped the **Callan Boulevard** and **Southgate Avenue** intersection waiting for the traffic light to turn green, he heard a male voice aggressively yelling at him to stop. The victim looked through the closed front passenger side window of his vehicle

and noticed the yelling was coming from the driver of a black four-door sedan stopped next to him. As the victim made eye contact with the driver, the driver pulled a firearm from the center console area of the vehicle with his right hand, reached across his body, and pointed the firearm at the victim through the open front driver's side window of the sedan. The victim sped away in an attempt to get away from the suspect vehicle. The victim described the suspect as a light-skinned black male, approximately 27-35 years of age, clean shaven, and wearing a red banana and green long sleeve unzipped top. There were also three male passengers in the suspect vehicle with no further descriptions. This investigation is continuing.

On Saturday, 02-26-22, at approximately 4:45 p.m., **Police Assistant Gutierrez** observed smoke coming from a small fire at the heavily wooded tree line on the 4000 block of **Callan Boulevard** next to a gas station. **Officer Abuan** arrived and noticed the fire and a suspect, a 35-year old transient out of Daly City. The suspect was standing a few feet away and was fueling the fire by throwing shrubs and tree branches into it. The suspect was arrested, and after a search, a pipe used to ingest methamphetamine and a container with two bags of crystal methamphetamine were found. The suspect was booked into jail for arson, possession of a controlled substance, and possession of illegal paraphernalia.

Robberies

There was one robbery and one attempted robbery during the past week.

On Saturday, 02-26-22, at approximately 5:25 p.m., unknown suspects took over \$1,000 worth of shoes from **DSW**. The store manager stated that she observed Unknown Suspect #1 and Unknown Suspect #2 enter the store. After approximately three seconds, Unknown Suspect #3 entered the store also. The store manager described Unknown Suspect #1 as a Black female over 50-years old in a wheelchair, wearing a large black jacket, Unknown Suspect #2 was described as a Black male in his early twenties wearing a black hooded sweater and a large red backpack, and Unknown Suspect #3 as a Black person 5'8", 190 pounds, wearing a red beanie and a green camouflage jacket. Unknown Suspect #1 and Unknown Suspect #2 took unpaid shoes out of their boxes and placed them into a reusable bag. The store manager told both suspects that they needed to leave. The store manager said that Unknown Suspect #1 stated, "Don't get close, or I'll beat your ass." After hearing this statement, the store manager felt scared and believed that Unknown Suspect #1 would have done something. Unknown Suspect #1 and Unknown Suspect #2 continued to take shoes and place them into the reusable bag, then exited the store headed east towards **Park Plaza Drive**. Unknown Suspect #3 left the store and headed west on **John Daly Boulevard**. This investigation is continuing.

On Wednesday, 02-23-22, at approximately 2:38 p.m., an unknown suspect attempted to take \$800 worth of Nicorette gum from **Walgreens** on **Mission Street**. The store manager described the unknown suspect as being six feet tall and he appeared to be in his thirties. The unknown suspect placed the Nicorette gum into a reusable bag. While exiting, the unknown suspect intentionally swung the bag at an employee. The employee was able to grab the bag and recover the Nicorette gum. The unknown suspect then fled the store. This investigation is continuing.

Residential Burglaries

There were no residential burglaries during the past week.

Commercial Burglaries

There was one commercial burglary during the past week.

On Wednesday, 02-23-22, at approximately 11:29 a.m., **Officer Perez** and **Officer Martin** were dispatched to **Macy's** on a report of a shoplift. The suspect, a 20-year old Hayward resident, placed

over \$1,600 worth of clothing in a reusable Kohl's bag and walked out of the store. **Macy's** Loss Prevention Officers were able to stop the suspect and recover all the stolen clothing. The suspect was arrested and booked into jail for commercial burglary and grand theft. It was later found that the suspect gave her deceased sister's name at the time of arrest and booking. She was additionally charged with providing false information to a police officer.

Vehicle Burglaries

There were four vehicle burglaries reported during the past week.

- Unit block of **Southgate Avenue**—iPhone 13 Max, wallet, and suitcase full of personal items and clothes were taken from a 2005 **Ford Expedition**. Unknown method of entry. Credit cards were used to make over \$1,900 in fraudulent charges. Occurred on 02-22-22 between 5:00 p.m. and 5:40 p.m.
- 200 block of **Lake Merced Boulevard**—vehicle's owner's manual, work notebook, and tools were taken from a 2017 **Ford Econoline**. Unknown method of entry. Occurred between 5:30 p.m. on 02-22-22 and 7:30 a.m. on 02-23-22.
- **Serramonte Shopping Center** parking lot—Apple MacBook Pro laptop and clothes were taken from a 2018 **Honda Accord**. Unknown method of entry. Occurred on 02-22-22 between 6:00 p.m. and 6:38 p.m. **On-line report.
- **Serramonte Shopping Center** parking lot near **Ross**—a Crocker Spaniel and Poodle mix dog was taken from a 2018 **BMW 203i**. Unknown method of entry. Occurred on 02-27-22 between 12:20 p.m. and 1:20 p.m.

Stolen Vehicles

There were six vehicles stolen during the past week. Two vehicles were recovered.

- 300 block of **Lake Merced Boulevard**—a 2002 **Chevrolet Suburban**. Occurred between 12:00 p.m. on 02-22-22 and 10:30 a.m. on 02-23-22.
- 800 block of **King Drive**—a 2002 **Ford F350**. Occurred between 4:00 p.m. on 02-22-22 and 9:30 a.m. on 02-23-22. **Recovered by Palo Alto PD on 02-28-22.
- **Crocker Avenue** and **Rampart Way**—a 1996 **Ford F250**. Occurred between 8:00 a.m. 02-23-22 and 8:00 p.m. on 02-24-22. **Recovered by DCPD on 03-02-22.
- 100 block of **Peoria Street**—a 1999 **Honda CRV**. Occurred on 02-23-22 between 7:05 p.m. and 9:50 p.m.
- 800 block of **Bellevue Avenue** —a 2007 **Honda Pilot**. Occurred between 9:00 p.m. on 02-23-22 and 7:30 a.m. on 02-24-22.
- **MacDonald Avenue** and **Allen Street**—a 2007 **Chevrolet Express**. Occurred between 8:51 p.m. on 02-25-22 and 10:00 a.m. on 02-26-22.

Miscellaneous

- There were 102 cases taken.

- There were 8 domestic disturbance cases reported.
- There were 4 cases involving an involuntary psychiatric hold.
- There were 2 malicious mischief/vandalism cases reported.
- There were 0 cases for public intoxication.
- There were 2 hit-and-run collisions reported.
- There were 6 narcotics-related cases taken.

Scams/Other

Zelle Scam

On Thursday, 2-24-22, a 25-year old Daly City resident was a victim of a scam. The victim believed he had a job offer from a company called Funcom. The scammers had the victim undergo an interview process using fake emails, phone numbers, and documents. The suspect asked the victim as part of the onboarding process to buy equipment out of pocket so they could later "reimburse" him. The victim transferred \$1,210.02 to the suspect's Zelle account. The suspect then sent the victim a check for \$4,900.75 and asked the victim to deposit the check and send money back to a different Zelle account. At this point, the victim was aware he was being scammed and proceeded to secure his accounts. The suspect has photos of the victim's passport, ID, social security number, and address. The victim stated he is afraid that the suspects will use his information in a harmful way and is terrified that they have his address. **On-line report.

Community Events/Information

Household Hazardous Waste Disposal Event—Saturday, March 12, 2022

San Mateo County residents can safely dispose of household hazardous waste (HHW) free of charge on Saturday, March 12th only by appointment between 8:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. Residents are required to schedule an appointment at San Mateo County's HHW program on-line at www.smchealth.org/hhw or by phone at (650) 372-6200. You will be given the drop off location after you make your appointment. The limit is 10 gallons (liquid) or 50 pounds (solid) per appointment. No business waste is accepted. Accepted items include acids/bases, aerosol cans, automotive supplies (car batteries, motor oil, antifreeze, brake fluid), cleaning products, fertilizers, pesticides, flammable liquids, fluorescent lights (compact and tubes), paint thinners, inks, and photo chemicals. No electronic, radioactive, explosive, medical or commercial waste is allowed. All waste collected is reused, recycled, or stabilized for proper disposal to achieve zero waste being landfilled.

Youth Unlimited Pilot Program

In partnership with the San Mateo County Office of Education, SamTrans is launching a six-month pilot program from January 1 through June 30, 2022. Known as the Youth Unlimited pilot program, it provides free SamTrans bus fares for Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SED) students, as defined by the [California Department of Education](http://www.cde.ca.gov). SED students include students that are eligible for the Free and Reduced-Price Meal program, students experiencing homelessness, foster-youth, migrant students, and students whose parents did not graduate high school.

The overall goals of the program are to reduce transportation costs for low-income families, attract new and more frequent riders, and understand the potential operational impacts of providing free fares to some or all youth riders.

How do I get a Youth Unlimited pass?

School districts and individual schools are responsible for distributing the passes to eligible students. Contact your school if you believe you are eligible and haven't received a pass.

What SamTrans bus routes serve my school?

Visit www.samtrans.com/schedulesandmaps/Get2School.html to see what bus routes serve each school, or call SamTrans Customer Service at 1-800-660-4287.

Will this program continue next school year?

SamTrans will evaluate the financial and operational impact of the pilot program before proposing to implement this program permanently next school year.

San Mateo County Alert System (SMC)

Have you signed up to receive these alerts? This alert is a free digital communication system used by emergency management agencies and first responders to send emergency alerts, notifications, and updates to portable digital devices. In an emergency situation, an alert will be sent by San Mateo County authorized personnel, and you will receive messages on your cell phone or mobile device. Most carriers activate the service automatically. To receive emergency alerts, sign up by visiting www.smcalert.info. According to County records, Daly City has the lowest number of registered users in the county. Please sign up today!

Nextdoor.com

Nextdoor.com is a free private social networking website for your neighborhood. This private network ensures that only those who live in your neighborhood can join; users must go through a verification process. Neighbors ask each other for business recommendations; help in locating missing pets; discuss relevant local government issues; or connect for other reasons. It is very easy to sign up. I like the fact that the site verifies users by addresses, and it won't allow people to access a neighborhood if they don't live there. Please note: The City of Daly City and/or the Police Department cannot see what residents post—we are only allowed to post information. There is also a mobile application, or you can have it sent to your e-mail. Give it a try! www.nextdoor.com

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Thank you,

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