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September 10, 2015

The figures for serious crimes in the Topanga area are listed below for the month of August 2015.

I. CRIME STATISTICS

CRIME	CURRENT MTH	YTD 2015	YTD 2014	CHANGE
Homicide	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	0	0
Robbery				
Armed	0	1	0	1
Strong-Arm	0	0	0	0
Assault	1	1	1	0
Burglary				
Residential	1	6	4	2
Business	0	0	1	-1
Garage/Out-Building	0	0	2	-2
Vehicle (locked)	0	2	10	-8
Theft				
Grand (\$950 +)	1	7	1	6
Petty	1	3	3	0
Vehicle (unlocked)	1	14	0	14
Grand Theft Vehicle	1	2	0	2
Arson	0	1	0	1
Domestic Violence Felony	0	0	0	0
Total Part I Crimes	6	37	22	15
Percent Change				+68.2%
Domestic Violence Misdemeanor	0	2	2	0

II. NOTEWORTHY INCIDENTS

A resident was arrested for assault which occurred in the 21200 block of Entrada Road. The suspect assaulted his mother during an argument. (15-05192)

A residential burglary was reported in the 21100 block of Lighthill Drive. There were no signs of forced entry. One of the possible suspect's is a relative of the victim's. (15-04538)

A theft of a gate opener system occurred in the 1100 block of Henry Ridge Motorway. (15-04984)

A vehicle (89 Jeep Cherokee) was stolen from the 19600 block of Grand View Drive. The vehicle is still outstanding. (15-80019)

A theft from an unlocked vehicle was reported in the 19700 block of Grand View Drive. The vehicle was parked in the driveway of the location. No suspect(s) seen or heard. This incident occurred on the same date and time frame as the stolen vehicle incident above. (15-80018)

A theft of a wooden table from a yard occurred in the 1300 block of Old Topanga Canyon Road. (15-04551)

Sincerely,

JIM McDONNELL, SHERIFF

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Patrick S. Davoren". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Patrick S. Davoren, Captain
Malibu/Lost Hills Station

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Community Crime Prevention Tips

WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE STOPPED BY A DEPUTY SHERIFF

Being stopped by a deputy sheriff can be uncomfortable. Deputies share your feelings. More than half of all California peace officers killed in the line of duty were conducting pedestrian or traffic stops. Our biggest concern is safety, yours and ours. The information herein will help everyone get home safely.

WHY DEPUTIES CONDUCT STOPS

Public safety is the primary reason for any stop, for example:

Did you commit a traffic violation? Run a red light, have expired registration tags. Do you match the description of someone wanted for a crime? assault, theft, homicide. Was your vehicle or one like it used to commit a crime? Drive-by shooting, arson, kidnaping. Is your vehicle safe? broken taillight, cracked windshield. Did you witness a crime? robbery, shooting, burglary. Do you need help?

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Red lights and/or a siren means pull over to the **right** where it is safe and where you will not block traffic. If it is dark, the deputy will use a bright spotlight or flashlight to illuminate you or your car. California law requires all drivers to show their license, registration, and insurance card to a peace officer upon request. The United States Supreme Court states it is reasonable and legal for a deputy to ask you and your passengers to exit the car. According to State law, if you refuse to sign a citation, you may be arrested.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

Remain in your vehicle and follow the deputy's instructions.
Keep your hands where the deputy can see them.

Avoid any sudden movements, and do not reach for your license or other items until the deputy requests them.

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Community Tips Continued.

Ask any passengers in your car to remain calm and comply with the deputy=s instructions.

Sign the citation if you receive one (this does not mean you are guilty; it is just your promise to appear in court at a later time).

WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT

Deputies are trained to be courteous and professional when they contact you. When it is safe or practical to do so, the deputy will provide you with his/her name upon request.

Deputies who are not in uniform will also present proper identification upon request. Within a reasonable amount of time, the deputy will explain why you were stopped. If you are disabled or ill, the deputy will assist you.

TALK TO US

The Watch Commander at any Sheriff=s Station or facility is available to answer your questions regarding procedures, citations, or traffic stops. You can contact us in person or by mail, and you do not have to use a special form. The Watch Commander will complete a Service Comment Report to document your complaint or commendation. Watch Commanders may discuss a deputy=s conduct, but cannot adjudicate citations. Only a Judge has that authority. If you choose to report your concerns by phone, you may contact the station.

If you have any questions, please contact Deputy Mike Woodard at 818-878-5506.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
WATCH COMMANDER'S SERVICE COMMENT REPORT

240598

2015-00162

Receiving Bur/Stn/Fac: NPD/LHS		Report Date: 08-08-15	Time: 1600	SC #: 2384220	
Investigating Bur/Stn/Fac: NPD/LHS		URN: 915-64332-2257-063	IAB #: 2384220		
Received By	Commendation	Personnel Complaint		Service Complaint	
<input type="checkbox"/> Mail <input type="checkbox"/> In Person <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone <input type="checkbox"/> 800 Line <input type="checkbox"/> E-Mail/Fax <input type="checkbox"/> Website	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application to Duties <input type="checkbox"/> Commendable Restraint <input type="checkbox"/> Exemplary Conduct <input type="checkbox"/> Tactical Excellence	<input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Conduct (All copies to Unit Cmdr) <input type="checkbox"/> Discourtesy <input type="checkbox"/> Dishonesty <input type="checkbox"/> Unreasonable Force <input type="checkbox"/> Improper Tactics <input type="checkbox"/> Improper Detention, Search, or Arrest	<input type="checkbox"/> Neglect of Duty <input type="checkbox"/> Operation of Vehicles <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty Conduct <input type="checkbox"/> Harassment <input type="checkbox"/> Discrimination <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Policy/Procedures <input type="checkbox"/> Response Time <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Citation <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Reporting Party Information					
Recording of Contact with Reporting Party Submitted Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>					
Last Name: SPENCER	First Name: DEMETRIUS	MI: V.	Sex: M	Age: 38	
Residence: 1185T POEMA PLACE		City: CHATSWORTH	State: CA.	Zip: 91311	
Home Phone: 323-353-8770	Work Phone: —	Cell Phone: 323-576-4200			
Home E-Mail Address:		Work E-Mail Address:			
Third Party: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Present at Incident: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>					
Has any member of this Department attempted to discourage you in any way from bringing this matter to the attention of the Department? If Yes, Who? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
Involved Party Information (If not Reporting Party)					
Last Name:	First Name:	MI:	Sex:	Age:	
Residence:		City:	State:	Zip:	
Home Phone:	Work Phone:	Cell Phone:			
Home E-Mail Address:		Work E-Mail Address:			
Contact/Event Information					
Date: 7-24-15	Time: 2000	City or Station Area: CHATSWORTH (UNINC)		ED: 2257	
Location/Address: 1185T POEMA PL.					
Synopsis of Contact/Event: RP SPENCER STATED THAT DEPUTIES ESPINOZA AND PARKS WERE "PROFESSIONAL AND HANDLED THE SITUATION PERFECTLY. WE WERE VERY IMPRESSED." WHEN HANDLING A BURGLARY ALARMS CALL (TAG 203)					
Was a Supervisor Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Last Name:	First Name:	MI:	Employee #:	
Witness Information					
Last Name:	First Name:	MI:	Race:	Sex:	
Residence:		City:	State:	Zip:	
Home E-Mail Address:	Work E-Mail Address:				
Involved Employee Information					
Last Name: ESPINOZA	First Name: FRANCISCO	MI: A.	Work Phone: 818-878-1808	Height: —	
Employee #: 520676	Unit of Assignment: LHS	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc): 103	<input type="checkbox"/> EM Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Day Shift <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PM Shift <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input type="checkbox"/> O.T. Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty	Weight: —	
Last Name: PARKS	First Name: HEATHER	MI: L.	Work Phone: 818-878-1808	Height: —	
Employee #: 602354	Unit of Assignment: LHS	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc): 103	<input type="checkbox"/> EM Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Day Shift <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PM Shift <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input type="checkbox"/> O.T. Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty	Weight: —	
Employee Witness Information					
Last Name:	First Name:	MI:	Employee #:	Last Name:	
First Name:		MI:	Employee #:	Employee #:	
Watch Commander (Person Completing Report)					
Print Full Name: A. ANTHONY J. ROTELLA		Employee #: 27347X	Signature: <i>[Signature]</i>		
Distribution					

LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
WATCH COMMANDER'S SERVICE COMMENT REPORT

241376

2384577

Receiving Bur/Str/Fac: NPD / MAL / LHS	Report Date: 8-13-15	Time: 1800	SC #: 241376
Investigating Bur/Str/Fac: NPD / MAL / LHS	URN #: 915-04753-2245-112	IAB #:	

Received By	Commendation	Personnel Complaint	Service Complaint
<input type="checkbox"/> Mail <input type="checkbox"/> In Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephone <input type="checkbox"/> 800 Line <input type="checkbox"/> E-Mail/Fax <input type="checkbox"/> Website	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application to Duties <input type="checkbox"/> Commendable Restraint <input type="checkbox"/> Exemplary Conduct <input type="checkbox"/> Tactical Excellence	<input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Conduct (All copies to Unit Cmdr) <input type="checkbox"/> Discourtesy <input type="checkbox"/> Dishonesty <input type="checkbox"/> Unreasonable Force <input type="checkbox"/> Improper Tactics <input type="checkbox"/> Improper Detention, Search, or Arrest	<input type="checkbox"/> Policy/Procedures <input type="checkbox"/> Response Time <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Citation <input type="checkbox"/> Other

Reporting Party Information					
Last Name: NOLAN	First Name: ERIN	MI:	Sex: F	Age: 33	Race: W
Residence: 23561 EHLERS DR	City: CHATSWORTH	State: CA	Zip: 91311		
Home Phone: 818 653-5431	Work Phone:	Cell Phone:			
Home E-Mail Address:	Work E-Mail Address:				
Third Party: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Present at Incident: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>				
Has any member of this Department attempted to discourage you in any way from bringing this matter to the attention of the Department? If Yes, Who? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					

Involved Party Information (If not Reporting Party)					
Last Name:	First Name:	MI:	Sex:	Age:	Race:
Residence:	City:	State:	Zip:		
Home Phone:	Work Phone:	Cell Phone:			
Home E-Mail Address:	Work E-Mail Address:				

Contact/Event Information			
Date: 8-11-15	Time: 1600	City or Station Area: CHATSWORTH	R.D. 2245
Location/Address: 23561 EHLERS DR CHATSWORTH CA 91311			
Synopsis of Contact/Event: RIP STATED DEP. ESPINOZA DID FOLLOW-UP ON A RPT HE TOOK ON TUE. RIP WAS FLOORED BY AN ARREST TODAY OF THE SGP WHO TOOK HER PURSE. RIP APPRECIATED THE HARD WORK.			
Was a Supervisor Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Last Name:	First Name:	MI: Rank: Employee #:

Witness Information					
Last Name:	First Name:	MI:	Race:	Sex:	Home Phone:
Residence:	City:	State:	Zip:	Cell Phone:	Work Phone:
Home E-Mail Address:	Work E-Mail Address:				

Involved Employee Information					
Last Name: ESPINOZA	First Name: FRANCISCO	MI:	Work Phone: 818 878 1808	Height:	Weight:
Employee #: 520676	Unit of Assignment: MAL/LHS	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc): 103A	<input type="checkbox"/> EM Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Day Shift <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PM Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O.T. Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty		
Last Name:	First Name:	MI:	Work Phone:	Height:	Weight:
Employee #:	Unit of Assignment:	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc):	<input type="checkbox"/> EM Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Day Shift <input type="checkbox"/> PM Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input type="checkbox"/> O.T. Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty		

Employee Witness Information					
Last Name:	First Name:	MI:	Employee #:	Last Name:	First Name:

Watch Commander (Person Completing Report)		
Print Full Name: SHAWN RUOA	Employee #: 408971	Signature: