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The figures for serious crimes in the Topanga area are listed below for the month of December 2012.

I. CRIME STATISTICS

CRIME	CURRENT	YTD 2012	YTD 2011	CHANGE
Homicide	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	1	-1
Robbery				
Armed	0	0	0	0
Strong-Arm	0	0	0	0
Assault	0	1	2	-1
Burglary				
Residential	0	12	28	-16
Business	0	1	1	0
Garage/Out-Building	0	0	2	-2
Vehicle (locked)	1	8	11	-3
Theft				
Grand (\$400 +)	0	10	6	4
Petty	1	9	3	6
Vehicle (unlocked)	1	8	1	7
Grand Theft Vehicle	0	2	2	0
Arson	0	2	0	2
Domestic Violence Felony	0	0	0	0
Total Part I Crimes	3	53	57	-4
Percent Change				-7.0%
Domestic Violence Misdemeanor	1	8	8	0

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II. NOTEWORTHY INCIDENTS

A vehicle burglary was reported in the area of Old Topanga Canyon Road and Summit to Summit Motorway. The vehicle was parked at the trailhead while the victim went for a hike. Person(s) unknown smashed the front passenger vehicle window to make entry. A backpack containing a debit card, a credit card, driver's license, and U.S. currency was taken. The suspect(s) used the credit card at a gas station in the city of Calabasas to purchase goods and services. The investigation continues. (12-07501)

A theft from an unlocked vehicle occurred in the 20400 block of Callon Drive. A GPS and an electronic ignition car key to the vehicle were taken. No suspect(s) seen or heard. (12-07195)

A theft and vandalism to a residence was reported in the 21200 block of Saddle Peak Road. The victim returned home to discover the lock on his call box/gate code keypad and a light fixture were broken. The light fixture on the west side of the driveway was stolen. (12-07618)

A domestic violence incident which occurred in November 2012 was reported this month. The victim's boyfriend assaulted the victim during an argument. The victim had a bruise on the back of her right leg and numerous scratches on her hands. The investigation is on-going. (12-07114)

Sincerely,

LEROY D. BACA, SHERIFF



Matthew Squire, A/Captain
Malibu/Lost Hills Station

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE January 10, 2013
 FILE NO.

FROM: TUI O. WRIGHT, SERGEANT
 MALIBU/LOST HILLS STATION

TO: JOSEPH H. STEPHEN, JR., CAPTAIN
 MALIBU/LOST HILLS STATION

SUBJECT: UNINCORPORATED AREA RESERVE HOURS FOR DECEMBER

Reserve Deputies assigned to Malibu/Lost Hills Station provide a variety of functions within each of our contract cities. In addition to hours deployed in the field, additional administrative hours are included. These administrative hours include such things as critical training, report writing, court appearances, and other reserve staff management activities in support of field deployment. Below are the hours dedicated to the unincorporated areas within our jurisdiction:

Uniform Patrol	121
Malibu Search and Rescue	384
Administrative Support	<u>1020</u>
TOTAL	1525

NOTABLE ACTIVITIES:

12-01-12

The Malibu Search and Rescue Team responded to Malibu Creek State Park regarding two missing hikers.

12-02-12

The Malibu Search and Rescue Team responded to Malibu Canyon road regarding a possible vehicle over the side.

12-09-12

The Malibu Search and Rescue Team responded to Mulholland Highway regarding a vehicle over the side.

12-23-12

The Malibu Search and Rescue Team responded to an out of area request for Alpine searchers in the Mt. Baldy area regarding two missing hikers.

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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?
ran a red light, 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.

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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.

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 Watch Commanders individually or you may dial 1-800-698-TALK.

If you have any questions, please contact Deputy Shawn Brownell at 818-878-5506.