As we are in the season of spring, now would be a good opportunity to evaluate your residence or business security. Your senior lead officer can assist you with an objective analysis of your protection systems, and provide insight as to how you can reduce or eliminate crime in your community. After a brutal winter with heavy weather, your surveillance cameras may need repair or maintenance. Replace faulty lighting, or improve the conditions at your business or residence. The Los Angeles Department of Water and Power can provide you with lighting assistance at a nominal cost. If you are in a construction process, evaluate your building site, and determine the security needs such as guards, surveillance, and lighting. Business owners can encourage vendors to secure their vehicles when making deliveries, and keep customers safe by providing them with a safe parking environment. As always, I encourage you to be involved here in Central Area, by participating through the Police Community Police Advisory Board. Thank you for your efforts that contribute to the excellent quality of life here in the downtown area.

### Inside this issue:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Service</th>
<th>Page</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Basic Car 1A1</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basic Car 1A29</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basic Car 1A35</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basic Car 1A41</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basic Car 1A61</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basic Car 1A85</td>
<td>5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Important Phone Numbers</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Basic Car Map</td>
<td>8</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### First Quarter 2011

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>YTD 2011</th>
<th>YTD 2010</th>
<th>% CHANGE</th>
<th>WEEKLY AVERAGE</th>
<th>DIFFERENCE</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>TOTAL PART I</strong></td>
<td>955</td>
<td>786</td>
<td>22%</td>
<td>73</td>
<td>169</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>VIOLENT</strong></td>
<td>194</td>
<td>184</td>
<td>5%</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HOMICIDE</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>50%</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SEXUAL ASSAULT</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>14%</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>ROBBERY</td>
<td>91</td>
<td>91</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>AGGRAVATED ASSAULT</strong></td>
<td>92</td>
<td>84</td>
<td>10%</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>PROPERTY</strong></td>
<td>761</td>
<td>602</td>
<td>26%</td>
<td>59</td>
<td>159</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BURGLARY</td>
<td>39</td>
<td>41</td>
<td>-5%</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>-2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GRAND THEFT AUTO</td>
<td>85</td>
<td>82</td>
<td>4%</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BURGLARY FROM MOTOR VEHICLE</td>
<td>304</td>
<td>174</td>
<td>75%</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>130</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>THEFT</td>
<td>333</td>
<td>305</td>
<td>9%</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Basic Car 1A1

Senior Lead Officer Ken Lew

1A1 Coverage

Area 1A1 covers the communities of Chinatown, Olvera Street, Victor Heights, William Mead Housing Project, Bunker Hill, Solano Canyon and Music Center.

Crime Trends

Crime Update: Burglary From Motor Vehicle (BFMV)/ Grand Theft Auto (GTA)

In the month of March there has been an increase in Property Crime in the area of Chinatown, Olvera Street, Cathedral High School and around the Criminal Courts Building. Most of the items taken are still the usual GPS, Radio’s and Computer items.

Reminder: please do not leave valuables visible in your vehicle when you park on the street or in any parking lot. GPS and all electronics are hot items of interest.

Contact Information

If you have any concerns or questions, please feel free to contact me at one of the following:

Office (213) 972-1890
Cell (213) 793-0733
E-mail 27705@lapd.lacity.org

Neighborhood Watch

If you are interested in starting a Neighborhood Watch in your neighborhood please do not hesitate to contact me at the above number or e-mail. You are welcome to visit any neighborhood watch meetings to see how things are run.

Basic Car 1A29

Senior Lead Officer Jack Richter
Cell Phone: (951) 532-5766

You are invited

Every Wed @ 6:30 p.m.-Dog Walk – Hewitt/Traction. Bring your dog, and enjoy a walk through our neighborhood, meet your Senior Lead Officer, and help improve the quality of life here in Central Area.

LOCK YOUR CAR-STOW AWAY YOUR VALUABLES!

Crime Trends

Recently, we experienced a series of residential burglaries in the Arts District. The suspect, who was arrested, broke into the apartments through open windows accessible from the street. As we approach warmer weather, resist the temptation to open your doors and windows that can be reached from the ground level, and if you must open your windows for ventilation, secure the frames with partial window locks available at your local hardware store. Should you see suspicious activity in your community - call 911. We will investigate, and continue to provide a safe and secure environment.

Ensure the parking spot you have chosen for your vehicle is well lit, and not a red curb zone. Many of our communities have been designated as no parking areas, and it is in your interest to be aware of where you can legally park your vehicle. Of course, the best choice, if available, is to park your vehicle in a garaged area.

NEVER leave your child or dog in a parked vehicle - even for one minute! The temperature can quickly exceed 100 degrees, and serious injury can occur within minutes.
Basic Car 1A29, continued

Please be aware that alcohol and driving never mix, and designated drivers are the best friends you can have when you want to imbibe and travel. Know that your police department will diligently patrol the streets and steadfastly enforce the laws regarding driver’s under the influence. We want you to arrive safe and sound.

Upcoming Events

Asian Pacific Islander Summit
May 26, 2011 at 6:00 PM
350 South Bixel Street

Featured Resources

Here are just a few resources that may help you in finding employment, clearing up your records, or maintaining good health.

311 is an excellent resource for City services.

Antigraffitti.org

Amistad De Los Angeles (213) 743-9023

Weingart Women’s Renaissance
(213) 624-3370

L.I.T.E. Program 213-623-1173

RECORD EXPUNGEMENT WORKSHOP!
213-365-9829
Re-Entry Legal Clinic (323) 357-8431

Los Angeles Christian Health Centers – FREE Comprehensive medical care (213) 893-1960

EIMAGO Job program - @ the Union Rescue Mission (213) 347-6300.

516 E. 4th Street – The Needle Exchange

Basic Car 1A35

Senior Lead Officer Deon Joseph

FROM YOUR SCI SENIOR LEAD OFFICER
DEON JOSEPH

Hello, Central City East. We are still looking good as far as violent crime. There is still a high volume of thefts in the area. It is so important for each citizen in my area to make themselves less of a target by keeping a close eye on your valuables, and report criminals who are active in crime. This is in no way shape or form is blaming the victim for items taken from them, yet we all must learn to minimize the risk of being a victim by being ever vigilant when it comes to our personal property.

CRIME TRENDS

We are experiencing a high volume of gang members coming into the Skid Row area from outside of the downtown area. Please continue to provide me with information on these individuals’ criminal activity so we can confront them when they are breaking the law. Crime is way down in the area. We are still in the single digits every week thanks to SCI, the Old Blue Mobil substation detail, and you!

A friendly reminder; there is no street vending allowed in the San Julian corridor. Many of you have been warned many times, but the days of warnings are coming to an end. There is absolutely no displaying or selling items on the sidewalk anywhere in the City of Los Angeles.

UPCOMING EVENTS

♦ Please support the basketball 3 on 3 League every Saturday at Gladys Park.
♦ The Central City Walk – Every first Wednesday of each month at 6 p.m.
♦ The Art Walk – Every second Thursday of each month at 6 p.m.
Basic Car 1A35, continued

FEATURED RESOURCES

Here are just a few resources that may help you in finding employment, clearing up your records, or maintaining good health.

Amistad De Los Angeles (213) 743-9023
Weingart Women’s Renaissance (213) 624-3370
L.I.T.E. Program (213) 623-1173
RECORD EXPUNGEMENT WORKSHOP! (213) 365-9829
Re-Entry Legal Clinic (323) 357-8431
EIMAGO Job program - @ the Union Rescue Mission (213) 347-6300
516 E. 4th Street – The Needle Exchange Program

If you have any concerns or questions please feel free to contact me or my partner Officer Nichols at one of the following:

Office (213) 972-1890
Cell (213) 793-0743 – SLO Nambu
Cell (213) 793-0742 – SLO Nichols
E-mail 27426@lapd.lacity.org - SLO Nambu
E-mail 33059@lapd.lacity.org - SLO Nichols

Apr 30 @ 9:00am-707 Wilshire Bl. American Lung Assoc “Fight for Air Climb”
May 08 @ 12:00pm-1st St/Broadway. Fiesta Broadway
May 12 @ 6:00pm – 4th St / Main St. Art Walk
May 26 @ 6:00pm-350 S. Bixel St. Asian Pacific Islander Community Forum.

The boundaries for Basic Car 41 are Central

Basic Car 1A41

Senior Lead Officer Tim Nambu
Senior Lead Officer Steve Nichols

Crime Trends:

As far as crime trends go, the major issue in Basic Car 1A41 are quality of life issues. These include panhandling, drinking in public, sitting/sleeping on the sidewalk. We have officers assigned to the Eastside Detail who deal with transients issues and we have a “B” wagon dedicated to the drinking/drunk in public issues. Regarding the panhandling issues, if you feel the need to give, I would encourage you to give to one of the many missions or other service providers.

Basic Car 1A61

Senior Lead Officer Mike Fernandez
Cell Phone: (213) 793-0731

Senior Lead Officer Karen Owens
Cell Phone: (213) 944-1237

Basic Car 1A61 covers from the 110 Freeway east to Hill St., 7th St. south to the north side of Washington St. (RDs 0161, 0171, 0181, 0182, 0191, 0192)

Introduction

In the City of Los Angeles, it is illegal for anyone to sell anything (merchandise or food) on public sidewalks or street, 42.00 (b) LAMC— No sales on the public sidewalk. Anyone found in violation of this section, could be arrested for a misdemeanor and the goods being sold will be seized by the police.
Neighborhood /Business Watch

If you are interested in starting a Neighborhood/Business Watch please contact me at the (213) 793-0731.

BFMV

Remember to lock your vehicles and remove anything from sight that might tempt a criminal to break into your vehicle. If possible park in a garage or secured parking structure.

CRIME UPDATE

Property crime continues to be the main concern for this area. We continually receive reports of car burglaries where thieves have smashed a window to reach valuable property left in plain view. Please secure your belongings!

CRIME PREVENTION

With new loft buildings opening their doors in the area I will again encourage residents to become more involved in the security and safety of the Downtown community. Consider forming a Neighborhood Watch or community group for your building. Other groups in Downtown conduct patrol walks (Santee Lofts), dog walks (Arts District), or just periodically meet to discuss issues in their particular sphere. I am always available to come and speak regarding crime and safety.

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

The Eastern Columbia building has set a date for their first Neighborhood Watch meeting, June 20, 2010 at 3 p.m. Fliers should be up in the building notifying residents who want to get involved, but if you have any questions please feel free to give me a call and I will get you in contact with the watch organizers in the building.

STREET VENDING

As we move into spring, I ask that you please do not support illegal animal vendors or purchase the bunnies, chicks, and ducklings for sale. Many of these animals are bred in poor conditions and are sick and die quickly. Without customers buying the animals the vendors will stop selling them.
Central has a vending officer, Officer Matt Shafer, who, along with SLO McCain, is responsible for handling any issues related to street vending and sales of pirated and counterfeit merchandise. Please contact SLO McCain if you have any vending problems or questions.

CONTACT ME

If you have any concerns or information about activity in the area, please call my cell number (213) 793-0734, or E-mail me at 36418@lapd.lacity.org.

CENTRAL BUREAU COMMUNITY POLICE ACADEMY

The Community Police Academy provides community members with an inside look at the police department and various facets of law enforcement. During an eleven-week academy, citizens are introduced to police operations, participate in a firearms safety demonstration, and take a tour of Air Support Division and Communications Division facilities. Citizens are given presentations on community policing, criminal law, Internal Affairs and police discipline, patrol procedures, vice activities, crime preventions, detective investigations, drug enforcement, crime scene investigations, traffic enforcement, as well as demonstrations by specialized units such as the LAPD Bomb Squad.

The academy gives community members the chance to interact one-on-one and form partnerships with a number of police department personnel. The classes are taught by experienced police officers and department staff. Citizens are encouraged to ask questions and express their concerns to Department employees. The police department hopes to provide a greater awareness and understanding of law enforcement’s role in the community through the education provide by the Community Police Academy. (Note: The academy is for informational purposes only and does not certify the participant as a law enforcement officer).

The sessions will be held each Thursday at the Elysian Park Academy from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The last session concludes with a graduation ceremony. If you are interested, please contact your Senior Lead Officer for an application.
Important Telephone Numbers

Police/Fire/Medical Emergency  911
Police Non-emergency  877-ASK-LAPD
Central Area, Front Desk  213-972-1298
LAPD Noise Enforcement  213-847-3398

Senior Lead Officers
Senior Lead Office  213-972-1889
IA1 - Chinatown
  SLO Ken Lew  213-793-0733
IA29 - Arts District, Little Tokyo
  SLO Jack Richter  951-532-5766
IA35 - Skid Row
  SLO Deon Joseph  213-793-0740
Main Street
  SLO Lenny Davis  213-793-0730
IA41 - Financial District, Jewelry District
  SLO Tim Nambu  231-793-0743
  SLO Steve Nichols  213-793-0742
IA61 - South Park, Entertainment District
  SLO Mike Fernandez  213-793-0731
  SLO Karen Owens  213-944-1237
IA85 - Fashion District, Flower District
  SLO Tracy Fischer  213-793-0734
  SLO Randy McCain  213-793-0739

Business Improvement Districts
Chinatown BID  213-680-0243
Little Tokyo BID  213-500-4326
Downtown Center BID (Purple)  213-624-2425
Downtown Industrial BID (Red)/Arts District (Blue)  213-228-8484
Fashion District BID (Yellow)  213-741-2661
South Park BID (White)  213-663-1111

City Information  311
(Graffiti Removal, Bulky item removal, City services/information, etc.)
iWATCH, iREPORT, i KEEP US SAFE (iWATCH) is a community awareness program created to educate the public about behaviors and activities that may have a connection to terrorism.

This program is a community program to help your neighborhood stay safe from terrorist activities. It is a partnership between your community and the Los Angeles Police Department. We can and must work together to prevent terrorist attacks.

To learn about the iWATCH program and about the behaviors and activities that you should report, view the videos and review the list of examples at iWatchLA.org. You can also read and download a brochure that explains the program.

Remember that the iWATCH program is about behaviors and activities, not individuals.

To find what kind of behaviors and activities you should report please go to iWatchLA.org or www.lapdonline.org/iwatchla/content_basic_view/42535
Com. Join us today.

today’s youth
Re-enforcement to
Building Positive

LAPD – Central Area

Making a Difference!
Juvenile Impact Program
We can do it together:

For kids at risk, court
or leadership
and need to learn respect
referred, need discipline,

Discipline

Office
Community Relations
Department
Los Angeles Police
Area. This area covers from 3rd Street to the North, and 7th Street to the South, Spring Street to the East, and the 110 Freeway to the West.

Central Area's Reporting Districts for Basic Car 41 are 141, 142, 151, 152, 134, 143, and 153.

Quality of Life Concerns

We have received complaints of quality of life crimes from the Historic Core BID regarding drinking and individuals being drunk in public near the metro platforms at 4th and Hill Streets. We also have complaints of sales of narcotics along the 5th Street Corridor, on 5th Street between Main and Hill Streets.

Crime Alert

We have had a series of bicycle thefts from underground parking lots. Two different male Hispanics suspects were involved. Crime alert fliers have been distributed among the Central Patrol Officers.

Community Group Information:

Pershing Square will resume their summer concerts on Wednesday July 21, 2010 thru Saturday August 21, 2010, offering free music on Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Movies will be shown on Fridays. On Sunday, June 27, 2010 there will be a "Discovery Bike Ride" at 9:30 a.m. starting at Pershing Square. Also there will be an art show from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. For additional information, call (213) 847-4970 or E-mail: pershing.square@lacity.org. A new Walgreens drug store will be opening at 7th and Hope Streets by May 31, 2010.