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CCOP PATROL REPORT: MONDAY
02/29/2016 Roving Foot Patrol (RFP) -
13:00-15:30

Report submitted 03/01/2016 by Chf. G. Carey

PATROLLERS:

1. 07-0054 – **Chf. Greg Carey** (11 Patrol credits YTD)
2. 11-0157 – **SrPrI. Alex Unchurch** (8 Patrol credits YTD)
3. 16-0259 – **TPtI. Pam Card** (4 of 4 Required Supervised Patrol - CONGRATULATIONS)

CONDITIONS:

The weather was clear with temperatures in the lower 70s. The crowd was average for a Saturday night, but well-behaved by the midnight ending time. This was Trainee Card's 4th supervised patrol as a trainee.

NOTABLE INCIDENTS

- **12:42 HRs, 4100 Block 18th Street, Skateboard on Sidewalk (7.2.12):** Two WMJ were seen skateboarding on the sidewalk adjacent to the Walgreens store next to the Muni bus stop for the 33 line. When first asked to not skate on the sidewalk because it is both illegal and dangerous, the pair argued that unless I was a cop they were not going to comply. After explaining that I would be happy to call the police if they wanted they then denied that they had been skating on the sidewalk, but were only skating in the street. When I pointed to my body camera and explained that I had captured video, and that I was only trying to ask them politely to comply with the law, they agreed to comply.
- **13:00 HRs, Start of Patrol at 150 Eureka Street**
- The objective of this patrol was to provide visibility and to help merchants update their expired GREEN no-trespassing signs (MPC-25) to the current YELLOW version. The majority of the posted signs were still the expired version. We also worked to update contact information for 2 Castro Business Watch merchants and added 1 new member. 3 SFPD Responsible Party cards were also collected to register with Mission Station.
- Approximately 40 MPC-25 signs were replaced or placed. Only the 400 and 500 blocks of Castro Street, 18th Street and 19th Street were covered. A future effort should be scheduled to update signs on Market Street.
- **15:25 HRs, Diamond at 18th Street, Minor Accident (518):** After Pam had left the patrol at 150 Eureka Street, Carey and Upchurch came upon a traffic blockage caused by a minor accident between a U-Haul truck and a DPT 3-wheel vehicle. City policy is that even minor accidents involving city-owned vehicles must be investigated by SFPD. The placement of the truck prevented autos from being to move northbound from Diamond Street. Vehicles coming up Diamond Street had to make a U-turn to return to a southbound exit. We blocked the entrance to Diamond at both 18th and 19th Streets, letting drivers wishing to enter Diamond from 19th that they could do so but would need to exit southbound. The DPT officer had notified dispatch of the accident, but SFPD did not show up. (The radio calls had been reporting a severe shortage of cars throughout the afternoon because of activities in other areas of the district). The DPT officer finally got permission from her supervisor to move the truck, allowing us to open Diamond Street to normal traffic at 15:40 HRs.

15:45 Hrs, End of Patrol