



Weekly Crime Summary

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(Hundred block given in place of exact address)

The Weekly Crime Summary is a list of reported auto thefts, burglaries, robberies and other activities occurring in the City of South Pasadena. An alert and well-informed citizen makes you less of a target to a criminal. Remember; call the South Pasadena Police Department to report any suspicious activity.

STOLEN VEHICLE

3-11-09 to 3-14-09, 2000 block of Meridian. '96, Ford Escort.

RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY

- Unknown date/time to 3-17-09, 5:20 PM, 700 block of Brent (detached garage). No details of incident available. **LOSS:** Bicycle.
- Unknown date/time to 3-13-09, 11 AM, 600 block of Orange Grove (detached garage). No details of incident available. **LOSS:** (2) bicycles.
- 3-10-09, 5 PM to 3-12-09, 6:30 PM, 600 block of Orange Grove (detached garage). Suspect(s) pry door lock to gain entry. **LOSS:** None.
- 3-10-09, 9 PM to 3-12-09, 5 PM, 600 block of Orange Grove (detached garage). Suspect(s) enter by unknown means. **LOSS:** Bicycle.
- 3-11-09, 8:20 AM to 6:30 PM, 600 block of Sterling. Suspect(s) break a rear window to gain entry. **LOSS:** Cash and jewelry.

COMMERCIAL BURGLARY

3-13-09, 6:40 PM, 1100 block of Fair Oaks (Vons). S1 enters store and puts loss into shopping cart. Employee sees S1 pushing shopping cart out of store, without paying for loss. Employee sees S1 entering a waiting vehicle and drive off with S2 as the driver. Employee flags down a police officer and suspects are arrested. **LOSS:** Groceries (recovered). **SUSPECT ARRESTED: S1 – Female, Hispanic, 40 years, Los Angeles. S2 – Male, Hispanic, 48 years, Los Angeles.**

AUTO BURGLARY

- 3-15-09, 5:30 PM to 3-16-09, 2 PM, 1600 block of Amberwood. '02, BMW X5. Suspect(s) enter by unknown means. **LOSS:** (2) computers.
- 3-10-09, 3:30 PM to 3-11-09, 5 AM, 500 block of Fremont Lane. Honda Accord. Suspect(s) reaches through a partially opened window to unlock door to gain entry. **LOSS:** Stereo, work ID and misc. papers.
- 3-10-09, 9 PM to 3-11-09, 4:30 AM, 300 block of Alta Vista. '00, Chevy Blazer. Suspect(s) pry window to gain entry. **LOSS:** Video camera and tripod.

POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA

- 3-17-09, 10:40 PM, 1800 block of Illinois. Officer investigates a suspiciously parked vehicle and contacts the occupants. Passenger (suspect) admits to smoking marijuana and a search of the vehicle reveals paraphernalia and prescription medication. **SUSPECT ARRESTED:** *Male, Hispanic, 18 years, Los Angeles.*
- 3-11-09, 7 PM, 1500 block of Meridian. Suspect is sitting in a vehicle that is illegally parked. Officers contact suspect and smell an odor of marijuana emitting from suspect. Marijuana is found inside vehicle and suspect is arrested. **SUSPECT ARRESTED:** *Male, Hispanic, 24 years, West Covina.*
- 3-11-09, 12 PM, 1400 block of Fremont (South Pasadena High School). As suspects exit restroom, a school counselor walks by and smells an odor of marijuana emitting from them. Suspects admit to smoking marijuana and also found to be in possession marijuana. Suspects are later arrested. **SUSPECTS ARRESTED:** *(2) Male, Juveniles.*

IDENTITY THEFT/CREDIT CARD/CHECK FRAUD

- Unknown date/time to 3-31-09, 1400 block of Maple. Suspect(s) uses victim's personal information to open a cellular phone account.
- Unknown date/time to 3-16-09, 3 PM, 1000 block of Magnolia. Suspect(s) uses victim's personal information to open a credit card account.
- Unknown date/time to 3-13-09, 1300 block of Fair Oaks. Suspect(s) makes numerous unauthorized withdrawals from victim's bank account.
- Unknown date/time to 3-11-09, 1700 block of Ellincourt. Suspect(s) gains access to victim's checking account and makes two unauthorized transactions.
- 3-10-09, 6 PM, 1100 block of Fair Oaks (Grassroots). Suspect enters store and purchases an item with a counterfeit traveler's check. **SUSPECT DESCRIPTION:** *Male, Black, 40-50 years, 603, 225, black hair, brown eyes, wearing a long sleeved dress shirt.*

For graffiti removal, call the City of South Pasadena “Graffiti Removal Hotline” at 626-403-7249. This is a 24-hour a day recording. A written release is required prior to removal from private property.

Remember to program 626-403-7297 in your cellular phone if you are attempting to contact the South Pasadena Police Department. Dialing 9-1-1 from you cellular phone will connect you to the California Highway Patrol