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**MAY DONATIONS UPDATE**

The Huntington Beach Neighborhood Watch Program (HBNW) **fiscal year** is from July 1 to June 30 each year. We have estimated we will need approximately \$24,300 this year to cover the various HBNW program expenses which include, but are not limited to, newsletter assembly, distribution costs, returned postage, mailing labels, etc. From the start of our fiscal year to now, we have received **\$17,719.00 in donations and newsletter advertisements- we have \$6,581.00 to go by June 30, 2017.** The HBNW Board thanks you and our advertisers for your support and generous donations. An \$8 donation pays for each subscriber's distribution costs; a \$10 donation helps with these costs and other needed expenses and puts your name in the Newsletter as a contributor; and a \$25 or more donation accomplishes the above, plus you will receive a HBNW sticker and a token of appreciation. Remember, HBNW is a non-profit organization; **donations are tax deductible.**

As a resident of the city, we encourage you to review the HBNW program budget and expenses.

We strongly suggest you sign up to receive your Newsletter either **electronically** or through the mail. **The Newsletter has valuable crime prevention information and crime statistics.** Donations are not necessary to receive the Newsletter, but if you wish to make a donation, please make your check payable to:

**HB NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PROGRAM**

**Send to: HB NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH  
PO BOX 5667  
HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA 92615**

**Or: HB POLICE DEPARTMENT  
Attn: NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH  
2000 MAIN ST.  
HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA 92648**

**For more information please call (714) 536-5933.**

**NEW MEDICARE  
CARDS ARE  
ON THE WAY**



*(Federal Trade Commission)*

Changes are coming to your Medicare card. By April 2019, your card will be replaced with one that no longer shows your Social Security number. Instead, your card will have a new Medicare Beneficiary Identifier (MBI) that will be used for billing and for checking your eligibility and claim status. And it will all happen automatically – you won't have to pay or give anyone information, no matter what someone might tell you.

Having your Social Security number removed from your Medicare card helps fight medical identity theft and protect your medical and financial information. But even with these changes, scammers will still look for ways to take what doesn't belong to them. Here are some ways to avoid Medicare scams:

- Is someone calling, claiming to be from Medicare, and asking for your Social Security number or bank information? Hang up. That's a scam. First, Medicare won't call you. Second, Medicare will never ask for your Social Security number or bank information.
- Is someone asking you to pay for your new card? That's a scam. Your new Medicare card is free.
- Is someone threatening to cancel your benefits if you don't give up information or money? Also a scam. New Medicare cards will be mailed out to you automatically. There won't be any changes to your benefits.

For more on the new changes to your Medicare card, visit [Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services](#). And [report scams to the FTC](#).

# Happy Fourth of July!

**To Report Illegal Fireworks, Please Call (714) 960-8825**  
**DO NOT CALL 911**



## **Your Attention Please!!!**



### **Neighborhood Watch Newsletter Survey**

The Huntington Beach Police Department and the HB Neighborhood Watch Program are always looking for ways to improve on the information provided to those who work and live in this great city. Technology and the way the police department tracks criminal activity is one of those areas which is continually evolving.

The Police Department has a desire to move the Neighborhood Watch Newsletter to a more interactive, electronic online format. This will improve on the accuracy of the information provided to the citizens and provide direct access to crime trends in your neighborhood.

For the past 45 years, the newsletter has served the community as the main source of information by either US Mail or local pick up locations. The total cost of this newsletter is approximately \$31,000 annually between printing and postage. We currently print 9,000 copies and mail approximately 7,500 newsletters to households throughout HB. Your HB Neighborhood Watch Program has always paid the postage and other expenses with the money collected from your most generous donations. If you would like to receive your Newsletter on-line, send a request via e-mail to [nberndt@hbpd.org](mailto:nberndt@hbpd.org). Be sure to include the following: If you presently receive the newsletter by mail, your name and address as it appears on your mailing label (so you can be deleted from that list). If this is a new subscription, include the e-mail address where you want it sent and write "New Subscription".

**We are asking our readers to complete the survey below so we can better evaluate how the newsletter will be distributed in the future. You may call in your survey to (714) 536-5933; if you reach a recording, please leave your answers via voicemail.**

**Please circle the following questions and return to:**

**HB Neighborhood Watch Board**

**P O Box 5667**

**Huntington Beach, CA 92615**

- 1) I would like to continue receiving the Neighborhood Watch Newsletter via U.S. mail.      Yes No
- 2) I would like to be able to continue picking up the newsletter at my local market.      Yes No



# OUR HUNTINGTON BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT VOLUNTEERS OF THE YEAR



The Huntington Beach Police Department has three volunteer groups: the HB Neighborhood Watch program, the RSVP program (Retired Senior Volunteer Program), and the VIPS program (Volunteers in Police Services). Every year we ask each group to select two of its' members that stand out for their excellent work. Over the next few months, we will tell you the story of each of the volunteers: Rosemary Cowell, Lil Disharoon, Mike Foreman, Jeff Myer, Manny Vizinho, and Roger Yoon.



## **LIL DISHAROON** **“HB NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH** **VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR”**

Some of the words used to describe Lil are dependable, reliable, kind, respectful, hardworking, conscientious, trustworthy, and loyal. Lil joined the HB Neighborhood Watch Program and Newsletter Assembly group approximately 5 years ago. She has been very instrumental in encouraging other people to get involved and join the program during this time. Lil is highly respected amongst her peers, other volunteers, and residents of the community. She is the type of person that truly wants to assist the Police Department and the community and demonstrates it in all that she does. Lil is always very pleasant and friendly. Her positive and cheerful attitude boosts the morale of everyone around her. She has a very strong work ethic and never stops until the job is done.

The organization often receives accolades from other volunteers and residents about Lil. Some of the reasons why she is so well liked and respected include the fact that she has a good disposition, is well mannered, and is always neat in appearance. Lil frequently assists others to finish the task at hand and helps to bring in new volunteers.

She is a great role model and her volunteerism is greatly appreciated. Lil has high values and is interested in serving others.

Due to these notable qualities The Huntington Beach Police Department is proud to recognize Lil Disharoon as Volunteer of the Year for the HB Neighborhood Watch Newsletter Assembly and thank her for her commitment, dedication, and service.



## **ROGER YOON** **“HB NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH** **VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR”**

Some of the words used to describe Roger are dedicated, dependable, reliable, and hardworking. Roger joined the HB Neighborhood Watch Program and Newsletter Assembly group approximately 1½ years ago. He has been very supportive during this time and extremely conscientious. He also encourages other people to get involved with the program as well.

Roger possesses all of the traits the organization is looking for in the HB Neighborhood Watch Program Volunteer of the year. Roger is dedicated, kind, thoughtful, and extremely willing to assist other volunteers in any way. He is efficient, exact, and precise when performing his duties on the newsletter. Roger works at an accelerated pace, while producing a perfect newsletter ready for mailing. Roger is definitely a team player and is not one to draw attention to himself; yet is a pleasure to work with.

Roger is highly respected amongst his peers and residents of the community. He is the type of person that truly wants to assist the Police Department and the community and demonstrates it in all that he does. Roger can often be found working and/or training other volunteers. Although Roger is fairly new to the program, people have already noticed and appreciated all that he has to contribute.

Roger has high values and is interested in serving others. His willingness to go the extra mile is admirable and exceeds all expectations of the job.

All of these qualities, along with his warm smile and friendly personality, make him an excellent role model. The Huntington Beach Police Department is proud to recognize Roger Yoon as Volunteer of the Year for the HB Neighborhood Watch Program Newsletter Assembly and thank him for his commitment, dedication, and service.

# ATTENTION: NEW CRIME STATISTICS FORMAT

**Crime period: April 1, 2017 to April 31, 2017**

In order to have HB Neighborhood Watch Newsletter crime statistics match what is reported by the HBPD crime analysis team to the Department of Justice, our crime statistic page formats have changed. Although it may look a little different, residential burglaries will still be reported as well as a small narrative of how the crimes may have occurred. Vehicle burglaries are in another chart broken down by Beat and RD, and Grand Theft Auto can be found in the large chart broken down by Beat. You will also find other crime statistics on the chart, such as rape, robbery, thefts from vehicles, etc. To locate your Beat and RD, please check the map on page 7.

We would like you to provide us with your feedback. If you send back the survey on page 2, please include a few comments about pages 4 and 5 of the newsletter. You may also call the Community Relations Specialist at 714-536-5933; if you get a recording, please leave a message.

## RESIDENTIAL BURGLARIES

Beat	RD	Date	Location	Crime	Entry
2	457	4/28	10000 CLIFF DR	Residence	Unknown force
2	462	4/21	7000 BAYPORT DR	Garage	Possibly open Garage
2	473	4/28	20000 NEWLAND ST	Residence	Unknown force
3	433	4/14	19000 ROTHERT LN	Residence	Unknown force
3	443	4/24	20000 BLUFFSIDE CI	Residence	Pried rear slider
4	338	4/2	19000 WOODLANDS DR	Residence	Damaged fence
5	293	4/26	18000 PATTERSON LN	Garage	Unlocked garage
5	422	4/9	2000 DELAWARE ST	Residence	Smashed Slider
5	432	4/21	200 SPRINGFIELD AV	Garage	Unknown force
5	432	4/21	500 UTICA AV	Residence	Unknown force
5	432	4/11	2000 FLORIDA ST	Garage	Unknown force
5	432	4/23	2000 FLORIDA ST	Garage	Broke lock
6	263	4/21	16000 HERITAGE LN	Residence	Kicked in front door
6	263	4/24	16000 SCOTSDALE CIR	Residence	Fumigation burglary
6	273	4/7	17000 MEER CI	Residence	Fumigation burglary
6	273	4/21	8000 FRIESLAND DR	Residence	Force to front door
7	158	4/8	16000 BRADBURY LN	Residence	Smashed rear slider
7	158	4/24	16000 BRADBURY LN	Residence	Fumigation burglary
7	158	4/10	16000 MERCIER LN	Residence	Pried front door
7	168	4/3	16000 SUMMERCLOUD LN	Garage	Open garage
7	168	4/22	6000 GLORIA DR	Residence	Fumigation burglary
7	252	4/25	16000 BEACH BL	Residence	Unknown force
7	252	4/24	16000 PARKSIDE LN	Residence	Removed AC Unit
7	252	4/4	16000 SHER LN	Residence	No force
7	253	4/11	8000 EDINGER AV	Residence	Rear slider
7	262	4/20	16000 WESTWOOD LN	Residence	Smashed kitchen window
8	167	4/14	16000 LOS VERDES LN	Residence	Forced side pedestrian door
8	171	4/1	16000 S PACIFIC AV	Garage	Open garage
8	175	4/8	17000 TIDALVIEW LN	Residence	Attempted force to screen
8	176	4/26	17000 NEWQUIST LN	Residence	Attempted force to side door

Beat	RD	Date	Location	Crime	Entry
9	148	4/21	6000 HOOKER DR	Residence	Attempted force to front door
9	148	4/30	6000 SLIGO CI	Residence	NO force
9	148	4/30	6000 SLIGO CI	Garage	Unlocked side pedestrian door
9	149	4/3	6000 GAS LIGHT DR	Residence	Removed lock from gate
9	241	4/3	7000 CENTER AV	Garage	Cut hasp

## VEHICLE BURGLARIES

**BEAT 2**

RD 452-1    RD 462-1  
 RD 463-3    RD 466-1  
 RD 476-2    RD 477-1  
 RD 486-1

**BEAT 4**

RD 348-1    RD 421-1  
 RD 441-1    RD 451-1

**BEAT 6**

RD 271-1    RD 272-1  
 RD 283-2

**BEAT 8**

RD 151-1    RD 153-1  
 RD 155-1    RD 164-1  
 RD 173-1    RD 176-1  
 RD 177-1

**BEAT 3**

RD 436-1    RD 443-1

**BEAT 5**

RD 421-1    RD 432-2  
 RD 433-1

**BEAT 7**

RD 168-1    RD 179-1  
 RD 252-1    RD 262-1

**BEAT 9**

RD 128-1    RD 139-1  
 RD 148-1    RD 241-1  
 RD 242-3

## APRIL CRIMES REPORTED BY BEAT

	<i>Beat 2</i>	<i>Beat 3</i>	<i>Beat 4</i>	<i>Beat 5</i>	<i>Beat 6</i>	<i>Beat 7</i>	<i>Beat 8</i>	<i>Beat 9</i>
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	1
Aggravated Assaults	15	2	6	1	3	1	2	1
Burglary	3	5	3	7	8	13	9	8
<i>Commercial</i>	0	3	2	1	3	3	4	3
<i>Garage</i>	1	0	0	4	0	1	1	2
<i>Residential</i>	2	2	1	2	5	9	4	3
Larcenies	28	40	44	36	27	28	32	28
<i>Theft from Vehicle</i>	17	11	14	12	10	14	18	14
<i>From Building</i>	3	9	3	3	4	3	3	3
<i>Shoplifting</i>	4	13	5	6	8	4	4	7
<i>Vending</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
<i>All Other / Bike</i>	4	7	22	15	5	7	6	4
Auto Theft	6	5	5	7	6	7	3	4

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**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

**What: NATIONAL NIGHT OUT**  
**When: Tuesday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017**  
**Time: 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM**  
**Where: Target Store**



**9882 Adams Ave.**  
**Corner of Adams Ave and**  
**Brookhurst St in H.B.**

This is our 8<sup>th</sup> Annual National Night Out celebration brought to you by the HB Neighborhood Watch Program, the Huntington Beach Police Department, and Target Stores in Huntington Beach.

There will be games, prizes, information booths, police displays, balloons, face painting, entertainment, a raffle and much more!

Don't forget to save the date and we will see you there! For more information please call Nilda Patino de Berndt, HBPD Community Relations Specialist, at 714-536-5933.

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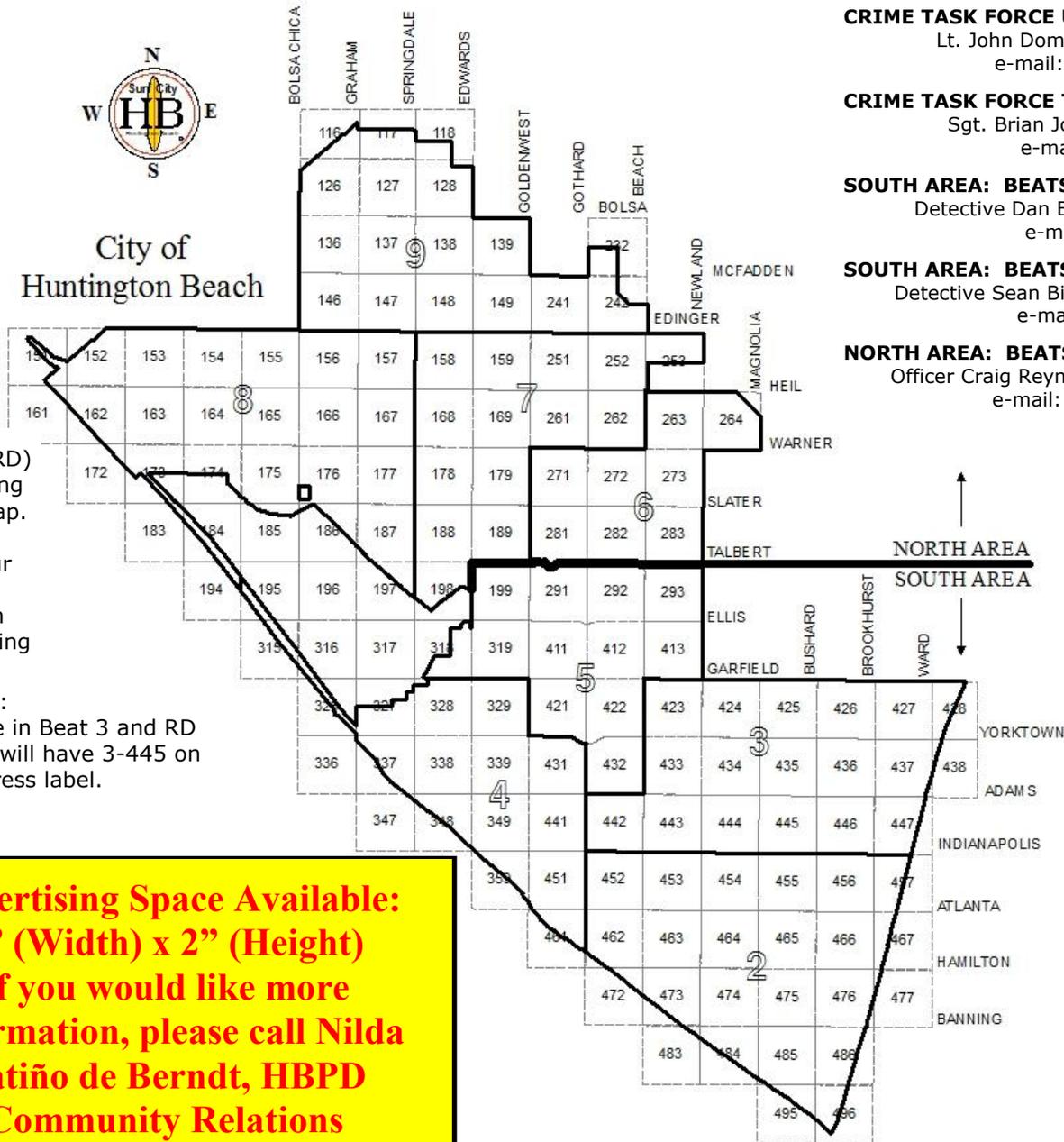




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**Note:**  
Locate Your Beat and Reporting District (RD) by referring to this map. In most cases your BEAT and RD are on your mailing label.

**Example:**  
If you live in Beat 3 and RD 445, you will have 3-445 on your address label.



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e-mail: jdomingo@hbpd.org

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**SOUTH AREA: BEATS 2 & 3**

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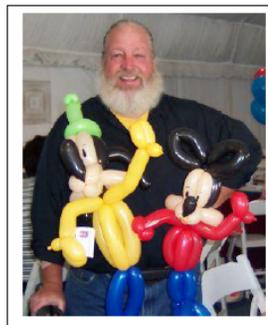
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