



OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

HALL OF JUSTICE



JIM McDONNELL, SHERIFF

Good evening Mr. Mayor and members of the City Council. I am here tonight to present the Public Safety Report for October 1st through October 14th.

On October 5th, around 10:00 AM, there was an attempt carjacking at the intersection of 160th Street and Inglewood Avenue. The suspect, who was an androgynous female white in her 20's, waived down a passing car. She told the male driver, who we will now refer to as "Victim," that her battery had died, and asked for a jump. The female suspect was of large stature and appeared to be male. As the victim was affixing the jumper cables to the batteries, the suspect pushed him, jumped in the victim's car, and attempted to drive away. The victim was able to pull the victim out of the car, entered the car and drove away. He then called the sheriff's department. The deputies searched the area, looking for the suspect, whom the victim described as a male. Deputy Serna found a female inside of another car, on 158th Street and Inglewood Avenue, matching the suspect's description. She made contact with the suspect, who appeared to be nervous, and recognized a tattoo on the suspect's neck, described by the victim. Deputy Serna detained the suspect and the victim identified her in a field show up. The deputies discovered that the most recent car the suspect was in, was stolen, as was the initial car the suspect was in when she made contact with the victim.

We would like to thank the Mayor and members of the city council, and the city staff for your support and participation in the Coffee with a Cop event held at Orveganic on Wednesday, October 3rd. Approximately 30 people attended the event, one of our best turnouts so far. We would also like to thank OrVeganic for the use of their space, and their generous donation of delicious homemade healthy snacks and coffee.

With Halloween approaching, I would like to share some important, albeit basic safety precautions, for a joy-filled event:

- Driver's should be hypervigilant, proceed cautiously through driveways and alleys, stay alert for children, and drive slowly through the community.
- A parent or responsible adult should always accompany young children.
- Plan a route and return time, and take a cell phone. Share your route information with friends and family.

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- If your older children go out alone, plan a route for them as well, and a return time. Ensure they carry a cellphone with copious battery charge, and an audible volume level.
- Keep your group together.
- Watch for cars that are turning or backing up.
- Keep the cellphones in your pocket and pay attention to your young ones.
- Always stay on the sidewalks and paths.

This concludes my report and I would be happy to entertain any questions you may have.

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