



Community Sector Monthly Report Sector 411 August 2009

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Greetings,

During the month of August, overall crime remained the same compared to August 2008. Property crimes continue to decrease while violent crimes are increasing.

Violent Crime:

During the month of August, we had an increase in aggravated domestic assaults. If you know of anyone who is a victim of domestic assault, Richmond Police have many resources available to assist. To speak to a domestic violence investigator, call 646-4494. They can assist you by completing a safety plan or put in contact with counselors.

Property Crime:

We had an increase in larceny during August. Be wary about who you invite to your home. For example, solicitors who ask to enter your residence could possibly be "casing" your residence.

In order to prevent theft from your vehicle, don't leave valuables in plain view and lock your doors.

Get to know your neighbors and watch after each others property. Leave contact information in case of an emergency.



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