



Neighborhood Watch Leader Meeting

November 2024



Agenda

NBPD Updates

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Love Newport Beach Intro

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Property Crime Detectives:
Fraud + Scams

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Crime Update

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Q&A w/ Area Lieutenants



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NBPD Updates

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- Chief Cartwright's Upcoming Retirement: December 13th
- Updated Camping Ordinance – Effective in October
- 3 New Homeless Liaison Officers – December 14
- Flock Camera Installation Underway – over 40 cameras already installed
- Next Mobile Café : December 14th @ Rogers Gardens 11 a.m. - 1p.m.
- Next meeting: January 2025 (Date TBD)





LABORS OF LOVE

**Presented by Reina Cuthill
Director of Neighboring Initiative**

What We Do?

We are a group of volunteers who identify & serve neighbors in need by supporting them with a manual labors project such as landscaping, painting, repairs, etc.



Why We Are Doing This?

Our heart is for neighbors to feel seen,
heard, and loved in tangible ways.



Where do we identify projects?

- Code Enforcement Department
- Oasis Senior Center
- Church Partners
- Neighbors





Stories of Impact





Love Newport Beach Day 2022





Code Enforcement Case #2



**Senior Center Referral - Helped 90
year old neighbor with painting**



2023 Labors of Love - Helped single mom with 3 kids with mobile home transformation





2024 Love Newport Beach Day





Mae House - Garden Beautification for Disabled Residents

Impact Report

- **2022:** completed 2 Code Enforcement Case & 1 Oasis Senior Referral
- **2023:** helped a single mom & 3 kids transform their mobile home
- **2024:** completed 1 Code Enforcement Case, beautified a house for the disabled





**Visit www.lovenewportbeach.org for
more information!**





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Property Crimes Detectives



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Crime Info

YTD* Crime Comparison: 2023 vs. 2024

		2023	2024
Robbery	↓	37	35
Residential Burglary	↓	134	125
Garage Burglary	↓	42	41
Theft from Vehicle	↓	313	266
Bike Theft	↑	111	118
Auto Theft	↓	131	108
Mail Theft	↓	124	64
Assault	↑	495	525
Fraud	↓	306	280

Full 2024 Crime Numbers available [here](#).






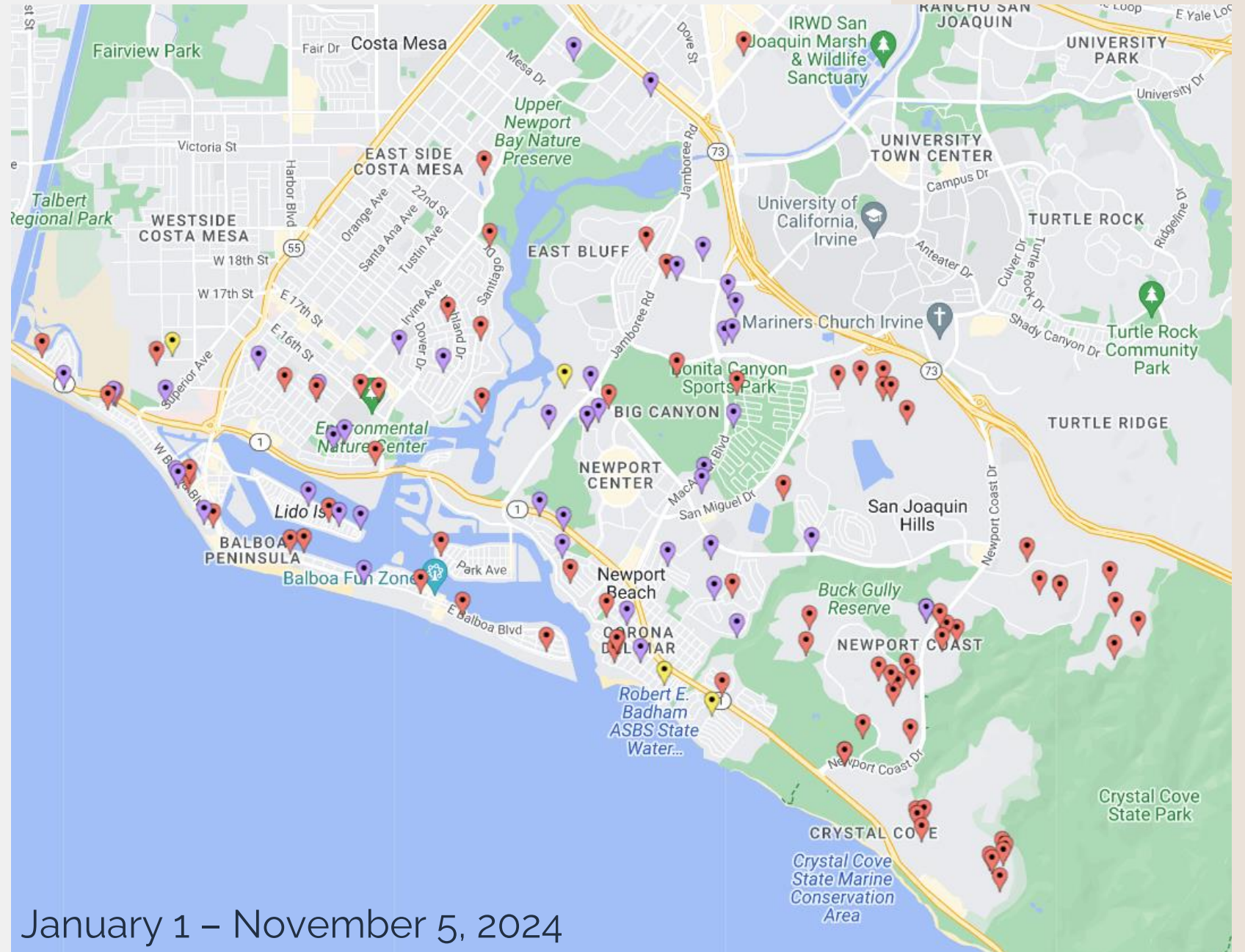
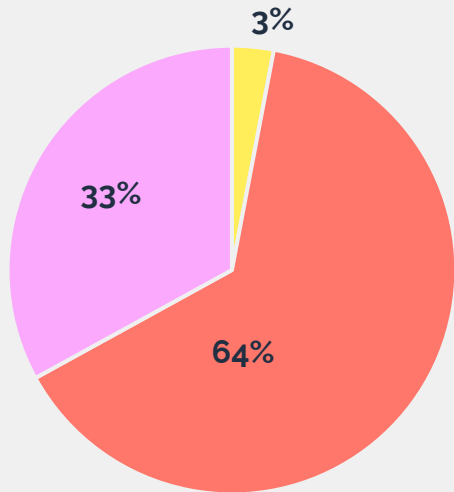
Property Crimes - Latest Trends

- Residential Burglary
- Fraud & Scams
- Burglary/Theft from Vehicles
 - Surfer Burglaries
 - Cash
- Bike Theft
 - Register bikes at [Project529](#)



2024 YTD Residential Burglaries

-  Forced Entry
-  Attempted Forced Entry
-  No Forced Entry



Residential Burglary

TRENDS + PATTERNS

- Day of the Week: Daily, mostly Friday + Saturday
- Time of Day: 5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
- Empty homes targeted
- Dinnertime/early evening hours (shortly after sunset)
- Entry Points:
 - Sides of house/backyards
 - Shattering glass doors/windows
 - New trend: Pried windows/doors
 - 2nd story balconies
- Master Bedroom targeted
 - Master closet

HOME SECURITY:

- Create the appearance that someone is home
- Reduce or eliminate areas of concealment
- Receive immediate notifications of a possible intruder
- Secure valuables

Check out NBPD's [Crime Prevention page](#) and the [Home Security Checklist](#) for the more tips.



Holiday Crime Prevention Reminders



- Home Security
 - Travel plans?
 - Sign up for NBPD's Free Vacation Check Service
 - Create the appearance that someone is home (lights on timers, etc.)
 - Ask neighbors to keep an eye out on your home
- Vehicle Security
 - Don't leave shopping bags in your car
- Package Theft
 - Track packages & try to pick them up right away

**More Holiday Crime
Prevention Info shared
throughout months of
November + December at
nbpd.org.**



Resource Reminder

NBPD Non-Emergency Number:

949-644-3717

Save as a favorite in your phone contacts

NBPD Calls for Service:

<https://www.nbpd.org/what-we-do/information/calls-for-service>

Newport Notified:

<https://www.nbpd.org/what-s-new/newport-notified>



QUESTIONS?

NBPD Patrol Area Commanders

