

# -Weekly Crime & Collision 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.

#### RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY

7-23-24, 3:30 PM, 200 block of Grand (hot prowl). Victim is inside house when S1 smashes a rear window to gain entry. Victim calls police and S1 is seen walking down a driveway. S2 is located inside the suspect vehicle parked adjacent to victim's house. **LOSS:** None. **SUSPECTS ARRESTED:** S1 – *Male, Hispanic, 31 years, Argentina.* **S2** – *Female, Hispanic, 28 years, Argentina.* 

#### **COMMERCIAL BURGLARY**

- 7-22-24, 6 PM to 7-23-24, 8:50 AM, 2100 block of Huntington. Suspect(s) smashes rear window of victim's business and takes loss. LOSS: Vintage cameras.
- 7-28-24, 11 PM to 7-29-24, 11:17 AM, 1600 block of Huntington (vacant office). Suspect(s) smashes window to gain entry but takes no loss as building is vacant. **LOSS:** None.
- 7-24-24, 4:09 AM, 800 block of Mission. Suspects gain access to secured apartment complex by unknown means and use an unknown tool to open complex's mailbox and takes loss. LOSS: Mail and parcel packages. SUSPECTS DESCRIPTION: S1 Male, Hispanic or Middle Eastern, 30 years, wearing a light colored shirt and black pants. S2 Female, Hispanic, or Middle Eastern, wearing a light colored shirt and black pants. SUSPECT VEHICLE: White colored BMW sedan or SUV.

## **AUTO BURGLARY**

7-22-24, 1 AM to 4 AM, 200 block of Monterey. '24, Nissan Sentra. '23, Honda Civic. Suspect(s) smashes window to both of victim's vehicles and takes loss. **LOSS:** Sunglasses.

#### THEFT

- 7-19-24, 6:30 PM to 7-22-24, 5:30 AM, 1900 block of Fremont (Almansor Center). '16, Ford Econoline. '16, Ford Econoline. '13, Ford CW3. Suspect(s) cuts and removes loss to three vehicles. LOSS: Catalytic converters.
- 7-21-24, 8 PM to 7-22-24, 8 AM, 1100 block of Glendon Way. '14, Infiniti. Suspect(s) enters victim's unlocked vehicle and ransack it but take no loss.
   LOSS: None.
- 7-21-24, 8 PM to 7-22-24, 8:30 AM, Orange Grove/Orange Grove Terrace.
   Suspect(s) cuts copper wire from street light poles but are unable to remove it.
- 7-21-24, 10 PM to 7-22-24, 9:30 AM, 1600 block of Via Del Rey. '15, Nissan. Suspect(s) enters victim's unlocked vehicle and takes loss. LOSS: Clothes.
- 7-24-24, 1:50 AM to 2:05 AM 1200 block of Via Del Rey. '22, Toyota RAV4, '13, Honda Civic. Suspect enters victim's unlocked vehicles and takes loss.
   LOSS: Binoculars. SUSPECT DESCRIPTION: Male, White or Hispanic, goatee, wearing a black beanie, black shirt, jeans and carrying a skateboard.
- 7-23-24, 7:30 PM to 7-24-24, 8:30 AM, 800 block of Rollin. Suspect(s) cuts padlock off storage container and takes loss. LOSS: Tankless electric toilet.
- 7-23-24, 6 PM to 7-24-24, 11 AM, 300 block of Monterey. '20, Lexus GS350. Suspect(s) enters victim's unlocked vehicle and takes loss. LOSS: Spare tire.
- 7-23-24, 10:30 PM to 7-24-24, 8:40 AM. 300 block of Monterey. Suspect(s) enters victim's unlocked vehicle and takes loss. LOSS: Vehicle manual and registration.
- 7-25-24, 8:40 AM, 900 Fair Oaks (Rite Aid). Suspect enters store and takes loss, then exits store without paying for loss. LOSS: Alcohol. SUSPECT DESCRIPTION: Male, Hispanic, 5'11", 175 lbs., black hair, lack eyes, wearing black pants, black shirt and carrying a red backpack.
- 7-25-24, 4:50 AM, 400 block of Garfield. Suspects takes loss from apartment complex's mailbox area. LOSS: Parcel package. SUSPECTS DESCRIPTION: S1 Male, Black wearing black clothing. S2 Female, White, wearing black clothing.
- 7-26-24, 10 AM, 600 block of Fair Oaks (Bristol Farms). Suspect enters store and takes loss, then exits store without paying for loss. **LOSS:** Firewood and watermelon. **SUSPECT DESCRIPTION:** *Male, Black, 6'00", slim build, wearing a blue shirt, tan shorts and carrying a gray backpack.*
- 7-27-24, 4:51 AM, 1100 block of Windsor. Suspect(s) enters victim's unlocked detached garage and takes loss. **LOSS:** Suitcase.
- 7-29-24, 7 PM, 900 block of Fair Oaks (Rite Aid). Suspect enters store and takes loss, then exits store without paying for loss. LOSS: Shaving cream (recovered). SUSPECT ARRESTED: Male, Black, 49 years, Newark.

#### **IDENTITY THEFT/FRAUD**

- 6-29-24. Suspect(s) gains access to victim's bank account and makes an unauthorized withdrawal.
- 7-19-24 to 7-22-24. Suspect One calls victim and tells victim that they
  attempted to file an insurance claim on airline tickets from Chinese Eastern
  Airlines. Suspect One claims to transfer call to Shanghai Police Department
  where Suspect Two poses as a police officer and tells victim that they are
  under investigation for money crimes. Suspect Two asks for victim's
  personal information and victim complies. Victim later believes it suspects
  are scammers and stops communicating with suspects.
- 7-24-24, 2:14 PM, 1000 block of Fremont (US Post Office). Suspect attempts to purchase stamps with a fraudulent check.
- 7-24-24 to 7-26-24. The victim hires the suspect for construction work and pays a deposit. Suspect ceases contact with victim.

## **ASSAULTS**

7-23-24, 3:59 AM, 800 block of Rollin. '99, Ford F350. Officers attempt to stop the suspect for a traffic violation and the suspect fails to yield. Suspect leads officers on a pursuit and suspect purposely collides into officer's vehicle. The suspect vehicle is later found to be stolen from LA. **SUSPECT ARRESTED:** *Male, Hispanic, 27 years, Pasadena.* 

#### **POSSESS NITROUS OXIDE**

7-26-24, 12:20 PM, Fair Oaks/Mission. Officers respond to suspect inhaling gas from a cylinder can. **SUSPECT ARRESTED:** *Male, Hispanic, 25 years, Los Angeles.* 

#### **FAILURE TO YIELD**

7-23-24, 3:57 AM, Fair Oaks/Mission. '13, Hyundai Elantra. Officer attempts to stop suspects for a traffic violation and suspects fail to yield. Suspects lead officer on a pursuit before colliding into a curb damaging the vehicle. Suspects exit vehicle and run away. Suspect vehicle is later found to be stolen from South Pasadena. SUSPECT DESCRIPTION: S1 (driver) – Male, Hispanic, or White, wearing a light green sweatshirt and tan pants. S2 (passenger) – Female.

#### POSSESS ALCOHOL IN PUBLIC PARK

7-24-24, 11:21 PM, Garfield Park. Suspects are found inside park after closing hours and possessing an alcoholic beverage. **SUSPECTS ARRESTED: S1** - Female, White, 18 years, Goleta. **S2** – Female, White, 18 years, South Pasadena.

#### **VANDALISM**

• 7-8-24 to 7-15-24, 500 block of Alta Vista. Suspect(s) damages victim's water spicket which allows water to flood neighbor's property.

 7-25-24, 2:17 PM, 700 block of Fair Oaks (Arco). Suspect completes fueling vehicle and drives away with gas nozzle still attached to vehicle. Suspect removes nozzle and drives away.

#### TRAFFIC COLLISIONS

# Injury Traffic Collision

- 7-27-24, 9 PM, Monterey/Meridian.
- 7-28-24, 1 AM, Orange Grove/Columbia.
- 7-29-24, 8:31 PM, Arroyo Verde/Monterey.

# Non-injury Traffic Collision

- 7-25-24, 10:13 PM, Hope/Fair Oaks.
- 7-28-24, 1:50 AM, Orange Grove/Orange Grove Terrace.
- 7-29-24, 7:21 AM, Monterey/Diamond.
- 7-29-24, 3:26 PM, Hope/Fremont.

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