



# Hermosa Beach Police Department

## Neighborhood Watch Bulletin

### April 10th-16th, 2017

542	Calls for Service	2	Misdemeanor Arrests	1	DUI Arrests
71	Reports Taken	0	Felony Arrests	7	Public Intoxication Arrests
37	Moving Violations				

The following is not a complete listing of crimes committed in Hermosa Beach during the stated timeframe. Crimes included below are PROPERTY RELATED and are provided to inform our residents about preventable crimes that may be impacted by hardening targets such as locking vehicles and residences. For a more extensive list of incidents in Hermosa Beach during this timeframe please visit [CrimeReports.com](http://CrimeReports.com).

AREA 1

<b>487PC</b>	<b>THEFT</b>	04/10/17 @ 1300	300 BLK ARDMORE AV
Bicycle left unlocked outside of business was stolen.			
<b>487PC</b>	<b>THEFT</b>	Between 10/28/16 @ 0001 - 11/02/16 @ 2359	800 BLK MANHATTAN AV
Jewelry found missing from jewelry box in apartment.			
<b>459PC</b>	<b>BURGLARY</b>	Between 04/08/17 @ 2000 - 04/09/17 @ 0800	400 BLK HERONDO ST
A vehicle parked in a secure underground parking structure was entered by unknown means and various items were stolen.			
<b>10851(A)VC</b>	<b>STOLEN VEHICLE</b>	Between 04/16/17 @ 0001 - 0700	200 BLK 10TH ST
A vehicle was stolen from the driveway of the residence. Vehicle was possibly left unlocked and with the key fob inside the vehicle.			
<b>459PC</b>	<b>BURGLARY</b>	Between 04/15/17 @ 1600 – 04/16/17 @ 1100	600 BLK 3RD ST
Unknown suspect/s gain entry into the victims secured garage by unknown means and remove her bicycle.			

AREA 2

<b>484PC</b>	<b>THEFT</b>	04/02/17 @ 2100	2300 BLK HERMOSA AV
Parking pass was stolen from vehicle.			
<b>459PC</b>	<b>BURGLARY</b>	Between 04/11/17 @ 1000 – 04/14/17 @ 1645	3100 BLK THE STRAND
Unknown suspect(s) entered victim's home through an unsecured kitchen window and stole items.			
<b>484PC</b>	<b>THEFT</b>	Between 04/09/17 @ 2100 - 04/10/17 @ 0700	500 BLK 18TH ST
Various items were stolen from an unlocked vehicle.			
<b>594(A)PC</b>	<b>VANDALISM</b>	Between 04/14/17 @ 0800—1300	2200 BLK HERMOSA AV
An unknown person used red crayon or pencil to draw on wall of residence.			

AREA 3

<b>484PC</b>	<b>THEFT</b>	Between 04/10/17 @ 1500	1100 BLK PACIFIC COAST HY
The victim left a cellphone unattended on table and upon return it was gone.			

**Remember to HIDE IT, LOCK IT, KEEP IT. Always lock your vehicle doors and keep valuables out of sight. Leaving mail and valuables in plain sight makes your vehicle a target for thieves, even when you park your vehicle in your own driveway, garage, or carport. Keep your homes and garages locked, even when you're at home. Bicycles should always be secured with a heavy-duty lock and chained to a solid object that the bicycle cannot be lifted over. Lock frame first, then back wheel and front wheel.**

**IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING. Report suspicious activity in your neighborhood by calling the non-emergency dispatch line at 310-524-2750, or 9-1-1 right away. See the attached examples for identifying suspicious activity but always follow your instincts; if it doesn't look right, report it.**



## SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY- FOLLOW YOUR INSTINCTS!

One of the most important roles you have as a member of our community is to report suspicious activity.

What is suspicious activity? Anything that seems out of place or out of the ordinary in your neighborhood can be considered suspicious activity.

Examples of suspicious activity include, but are not limited to:

A person or vehicle stays in the same place for an unusual length of time.	A vehicle drives around your block frequently, slowing down, speeding up.
A parked car with the engine running- regardless of a person inside or not.	A vehicle without lights on, arriving or leaving at night.
A person behaves strangely or exhibits unusual movements, looks out of place, or is wandering aimlessly.	A person running from a home for no apparent reason, especially at night.
A person concealing an object, carrying a weapon or suspicious bag.	A person sells/conducts business out of their car, van, truck, or other vehicle.
A person looking into cars, moving from car to car, and/or tries door handles.	A person looking into windows of homes, or forcibly entering a car or home

Many activities can be considered suspicious, and there could be reasonable explanations for some suspicious activities. By thinking things through, being observant and using commonsense, you will be able to make good judgment about whether an activity is suspicious. Your role as a concerned citizen is to report whatever you think is wrong or suspicious.

### **REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY BY CALLING NON-EMERGENCY DISPATCH AT 310-524-2750 OR 9-1-1**

Remain calm. Avoid taking any risks. Your safety is most important. Keep away from the crime scene to preserve evidence. Try to remember the following:

What happened?

Time and place?

Was anyone hurt?

Description of suspect(s)

Description of vehicle(s)

License plate number

Time and direction of travel

Additional details and circumstances

