

# Southeast

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*Albuquerque Police Department*

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## Message from the Commander

*By Luke C. Languit, Commander, Phil Chacon Memorial Substation*

Merry Christmas season everyone! I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving with family and friends.

If you have driven by the Phil Chacon Memorial Substation, I'm sure you have seen that the old building has been demolished and is a vacant lot now. We are in phase two of the overall new substation project, and the completion for building the second half of the facility should be completed in a year.

Your officers continue to work hard every single day, focusing on quality of life at our businesses by enforcing criminal trespass and misdemeanor violations, and coordinating resources for the unhoused population, and individuals suffering from addictions and mental health issues. Your officers continue to work operations focused on reducing violent crimes and property crimes, making felony arrests and clearing outstanding felony warrants every day. The weekly warrant operations that have commenced since the end of Balloon Fiesta has cleared over two-hundred fifty warrants in these last six weeks.

I want to thank Copper Canyon for hosting a very successful coffee with a cop community engagement event. The supervisors and officers really enjoyed the perspective, ideas, and feedback, from the community members that attended. I look forward to the community engagement events at Dions Pizza in January, I hope we have a great turn out.

Lastly I would like to highlight that our bid is coming to an end. Our supervisors and officers will be bidding to new commands and shifts in January, with the new bid taking effect in February. I am sure we will have a lot of our officers returning, however, I do anticipate new officers coming to our southeast community.

Please stay safe, warm, and I hope you have a great Christmas!



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FAMILY ADVOCACY CENTER

(FAC) is committed to providing victims of domestic violence, child abuse, sexual assault and their families with a safe setting to assist in addressing and overcoming the trauma of their experience and break the cycle of violence.

- Domestic Violence Resource Center, 24 hour hotline (505) 248-3165

- SANE- Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners, 24 hour hotline (505) 883-8720

- Rape Crisis Center of New Mexico, 24 hour hotline (505) 266-7711

Commander's Safety Tip of the Month

By Luke C. Languit, Commander, Phil Chacon Memorial Substation

Please take advantage of the department's crime prevention services. Whether if it is for your employees, or tenants, we can provide crime prevention training, specialty training such as active shooter, and of course offer our Crime Prevention through Environmental Design inspections and recommendations.

I know I have presented this material in the last two newsletters, however, I feel one more time just to make sure everyone has an opportunity to watch and learn about these tips and safety measures that can really help reduce crime.

Vehicle Gun Safety <https://fb.watch/fQk2myupCl/>

Auto Theft Prevention <https://fb.watch/fQk7a-NXux/>

Holiday Home Safety <https://fb.watch/fQk9x0mPRY/>

As always please ensure you have situational awareness, you take any valuables out of your vehicles, and you having working locks and motion detecting lights on your homes and businesses.



Southeast Area Command  
Pizza with Police

Tuesday, December 20th

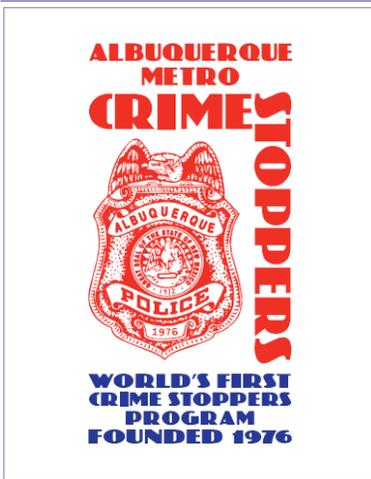
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM.

Dion's

4717 Central Ave NE

Please join us for Pizza and conversation





**TIP HOTLINE: 505-843-STOP**

Albuquerque Metro Crime Stoppers is a community program that relies on anonymous tips to solve crimes and to locate fugitives from justice. Without anonymity of callers, the program cannot be effective.

Crime Stoppers pays rewards only for anonymous tips. Tipsters who identify themselves are not eligible for a reward.

Crime Stoppers has sole discretion to decide the amount of any reward to be paid, from zero to \$1,000.

Crime Stoppers will pay rewards only for tips given directly to it. Any tip given to another source, such as law enforcement, will not be eligible for a Crime Stoppers reward.

Crime Stoppers does not pay rewards to any person who has a legal duty to assist in the arrest of suspects and fugitives.

### **Felony Gun Crime + Arrest = Up to a \$1,000 CASH REWARD**

Know someone who has used a gun to commit a crime, a felon in possession of a firearm or someone in possession of a stolen firearm?

Report anonymously to Crime Stoppers by:

Calling 843-STOP  
 Submit Online Tip at [crimestoppers.com](http://crimestoppers.com)  
 WebTip at [P3Tips.com](http://P3Tips.com)  
 Download P3 Tips mobile app.



**ABQ 311**

Help me clean up graffiti in our community and download the "ABQ 311" App. It's easy, if you see graffiti in our community stop in a safe area and take a photo. Pin your location and give a brief description of what and where the graffiti is located so our city employees can easily respond for clean-up.



[Crimemapping.com](http://Crimemapping.com)

Receive alerts in your area; view calls for service for your block or a radius of up to two miles of an address

## Albuquerque Police Department Travel and Holiday Safety

By: Laura Kuehn, NCPS, ICPS, Senior Crime Prevention Specialist



### Travel and Holiday Safety

The holidays are a joyous time of year. It is also a time when individuals need to be alert to the possibility of crime. Taking simple precautions can ensure a safe and happy holiday season.



### Preparing Your Home

| Lighting   | Landscaping  |
|--|--|
| <p>Install lights by all exterior doors.</p> <p>Keep lights on all night – consider dusk to dawn sensors.</p> <p>Use timers on lights to give the impression you are home.</p>   | <p>Trim trees to a canopy of six feet.</p> <p>Prune hedges to three feet.</p> <p>Ensure landscaping is trimmed away from doors and windows to eliminate hiding places.</p>   |
| Doors & Windows  | Tips   |
| <p>Ensure doors and windows are locked.</p> <p>Ensure exterior doors and the door leading from the garage to the home are solid core or metal construction.</p> <p>Secure and lock garage door; consider disabling the garage door opener while you are away.</p> <p>Don't display gifts in full view of windows or where they can be seen from outside the residence.</p> | <p>Secure valuables, such as jewelry, firearms and personally identifying information in a safe.</p> <p>Never hide a key outside.</p> <p>Consider hiring a house sitter while you are away.</p> <p>Ask neighbors to assist with trash and recycling bins and newspapers.</p> <p>Breakdown boxes before placing them out for recycling.</p> |

## Albuquerque Police Department Travel and Holiday Safety *(continued)*

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SE Area Command  
DOJ Scorecards

# Shopping, Traveling, and Online

- Park in a well-lit area, lock your vehicle, and roll up the windows.
- Store packages out of sight.
- Avoid carrying large amounts of cash, pay with a debit or credit card.
- Avoid wearing expensive clothing or jewelry.
- Pay attention to your surroundings, trust your instincts.
- Do not buy more than you can carry; ask a friend or store employee for assistance.
- Beware of any type of solicitor at the door – criminals sometimes pose as couriers or seeking donations.
- Save all receipts; start a file to assist in reconciling holiday and/or travel bank statements.
- Use secure websites for purchases. Look for “https” in the URL or the locked padlock at the bottom of the page.
- Print and save all confirmations from online purchases.
- Track packages through shipping website.
- Ship packages requiring a signature.
- Have packages delivered to a friend, relative, neighbor or employer.



[www.cabq.gov/police/documents-related-to-apds-settlement-agreement](http://www.cabq.gov/police/documents-related-to-apds-settlement-agreement)

### Audits

- View Audit Related to Back Investigations

-View Audit Related to Civilian Complaint and BSD Site Location

-View Audit Related to Electronic Control Weapons and Download Date

-View APD Scorecards

### Crime Prevention & Safety

<https://www.cabq.gov/police/crime-prevention-safety>





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## Southeast Area Community Policing Council (SEACPC)

Mike Kruchoski, Chair  
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Albuquerque's six Community Policing Councils (CPCs) work to promote and maintain inclusive, respectful, and cooperative interactions between the community and the Albuquerque Police Department. Our goal is to ensure Constitutional community policing. With that in mind, we focus our efforts on principles commonly called the "Four C's": communication, collaboration, consensus-building, and cooperation.

In order to foster greater communication within our SE CPC community, we're launching a "portal" to regular, weekly posts about our values, perspectives, and work.. Please get acquainted with us at:

<https://tinyurl.com/CPC-SE-welcome>

Did you know, the SE CPC has its own "playlist" on YouTube? Did you know, there are many opportunities to become better informed – and more deeply engaged in our collaboration to build a safer and more prosperous community for all our neighbors? Come explore the many ways you can work with us as we work for you!



*Join us for our upcoming meeting....*

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- ◆ **December 15 , 6:00 pm-8:00pm**– SE Community Policing Council Zoom Meeting

*register using this link:*

[https://cabq.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_gISIOiNaRcuLTfgtm6nNGg](https://cabq.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_gISIOiNaRcuLTfgtm6nNGg)

The Nob Hill – University Public Safety ECHO focuses on cases and issues in the area but the discussions and presentations benefit everyone across the community.

Join us to discuss problems and concerns in the area and for presentations addressing Mental Health, Substance Use, Community Health, Policing and skills for public safety. This is a great opportunity to meet community members and city stakeholders working in these important areas or dealing with various public safety issues.

**Coming sessions are:**

- ◆ **December 7, 1:00- 2:30 pm** – Nob Hill-U Public Safety ECHO \*\*
- ◆ **December 15, 6:00-8:00 pm** – SE Community Policing Council Meeting  
*register using this link:* [https://cabq.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_gISIOiNaRcuLTfgtm6nNGg](https://cabq.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_gISIOiNaRcuLTfgtm6nNGg)
- ◆ **December 21, 1:00- 2:30 pm** – Nob Hill-U Public Safety ECHO \*\*

**\*\* It's easy to participate via zoom:**

**Join us to plan and develop priorities for this program:**

**Online survey** - [cabq.gov/nobhill-usurvey](http://cabq.gov/nobhill-usurvey)

**Invite list** – email [nobhill-uecho@cabq.gov](mailto:nobhill-uecho@cabq.gov) and ask to be included in invitations to sessions.

**VIDEO CONFERENCE IN**

**via Zoom via PC, Mac, iOS or Android:**

[cabq.gov/nobhill-uecho](http://cabq.gov/nobhill-uecho) OR <https://zoom.us/>

Meeting ID: 505-662-4455 Password: NobHill-U

**PHONE IN:**

Dial: 1-669-900-9833 or 1-646-558-8656

Enter the meeting ID: 505 277 3877 # - then hit # again

**CONTACT Public Safety ECHO Coordinator Maria Wolfe at 505-917-5559 or [mwolfe@cabq.gov](mailto:mwolfe@cabq.gov)  
<https://www.cabq.gov/echo>**



# Southeast Area Command



## December 2022

## Calendar of Events

| Sun   | Mon   | Tue   | Wed  | Thu | Fri | Sat   |
|---|---|---|--|-----|-----|---|
|   |  |   |  | 1   | 2   | 3   |
| 4   | 5   | 6   | 7<br>1:00 pm Nob-Hill Public Safety ECHO Zoom Meeting<br>   | 8   | 9   | 10  |
| 11  | 12  | 13  | 14   | 15  | 16  | 17  |
| 18  | 19  | 20<br><br>Pizza w/Police<br>7:00pm-8:00pm<br>Dion's<br>4717 Central Ave NE | 21<br>1:00 pm Nob-Hill Public Safety ECHO Zoom Meeting<br><br>6:00pm-8:00pm<br>SE Community Police Council Meeting<br> | 22  | 23  | 24<br> |
| 25<br> | 26  | 27  | 28   | 29  | 30  | 31  |

## REPORTING OPTIONS

Telephone Reporting Unit  
242-COPS (2677)

Online Reporting: <https://www.cabq.gov/police/file-a-police-report-online>

APD App:  
Search ABQ Police in Google Play or the App Store



To access a traffic accident report, you can download a fillable form from the New Mexico DOT website and take to any substation once completed. If in need of an accident example sheet, contact the Phil Chacon Substation at 256-2050 and one could be emailed to you.

◇ New Mexico Uniform Crash Report: <http://nmtrafficrecords.com/resources/new-mexico-uniform-crash-report-2/>

### *Substation Hours of Operation*

|                      |                 |                    |
|----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Triangle Substation: | Monday—Thursday | 8:00 am - 5:00 pm  |
|                      | Friday—Saturday | 8:00 am - 10:00 pm |
|                      | Sunday          | 9:00 am - 5:00 pm  |

**Phil Chacon Substation: Closed for Renovation**



The Southeast Substation will be under construction for the next few months so we urge our SE residents to utilize the other area commands for reporting purposes as well as the Triangle Substation located at 2901 Central Ave NE.



### Albuquerque Police Department

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#### Vision Statement

APD's vision is an Albuquerque where the community and the Police Department work together through mutual trust to build a thriving community.

#### Mission Statement

APD's mission is to build relationships through community policing that will lead to reduced crime and increased safety.

[WWW.CABQ.GOV/POLICE](http://WWW.CABQ.GOV/POLICE)

