

2-06/030.05 - Patrol Responsibility

Each Station is responsible for the following:

- enforcing Federal, State, County and City statutes and ordinances;
 - initial investigation of reported or observed crimes;
 - recording and preserving evidence found at the crime scene;
 - initial investigation of reports of missing, found or unidentified persons;
 - responding to scenes of emergencies;
 - arresting on-sight violators;
 - recovering property;
 - investigating complaints received from the public;
 - patrolling to prevent and suppress crime;
 - providing assistance to other public agencies pending the elimination of health or safety hazards;
 - maintaining law and order at public gatherings;
 - preparing reports of incidents investigated or observed;
 - maintaining liaison with contract cities concerning their law enforcement programs by personal contact or written reports;
 - maintaining a relevant Station-wide community relations program;
 - prompt notification to the Unit of this Department and/or outside agency responsible for case assignment and follow-up- investigation;
 - notification of arrest information to agency, Department and/or Unit as required by statute or Department policy; and
 - maintaining and managing a Type 1 jail facility as specified in Title 15 of the California Code of Regulations.
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