



CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY NORTHRIDGE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Dear CSUN Housing Community Members:



Welcome to CSUN and the 2009-2010 academic year! Five years ago we began the community policing initiative that dedicated a patrol of two police officers (Wednesday through Saturday) to the housing community. Our mission was to deliver police services that included crime prevention, problem-solving and partnerships with our housing community. Our goal was to enhance the safety of all students and staff within the housing community. We are pleased to advise you that our community policing program partnership with our Residential Life colleagues has been very successful. In addition to our focus on crime prevention education, we have been able to increase our response time to calls for service within the housing environment and to decrease crime within the residential community.

Officer Carlos Quiroz and Officer Matt Dunwoody will comprise this year's team. During the first couple of weeks of this new academic year they will be making their way around UPA to introduce themselves to students and staff. They will be easy to spot within the community as their primary means of patrol will be on bicycles or on foot patrol. Any opportunity that housing staff and members of the housing community have to invite the officers to meetings, study breaks, socials, sports events, etc. is strongly encouraged.

We also want to remind students of our police substation, just south of UPA 14. The substation serves as the base of operations for the housing community policing team and enables housing residents to take care of basic police services, like filing a police report or obtaining crime prevention information, in lieu of visiting our primary Police Services facility at the corner of Darby and Prairie streets. One or more officers are generally available between 8pm and 10pm unless calls for service take one or both away from the substation; the main police department is open 24 hrs. a day, seven days a week. We hope that all members of the housing community will stop by both of our locations and familiarize themselves with our services.

Additionally, we want to urge resident advisors to work with the community policing team to bring crime prevention programs to housing residents throughout the year. The team can put on presentations on personal safety, laptop theft, identity theft and alcohol and drugs that are tailored to your residents in a program length that meets your needs. If you'd like to request a crime prevention presentation, please email the community policing team at communitycops@csun.edu or call 818 677-2107.

As we enter this new academic year, we look forward to working with everyone in the housing community as we work together to identify public safety issues, develop problem solving tactics and create strategies for implementation of those solutions. If you have any questions about the community policing program, please feel free to contact my office at 818 677-2201.

Anne P. Glavin, Chief of Police & Director of Police Services



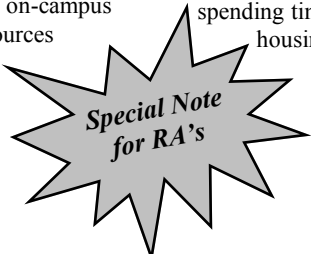
Officer Carlos Quiroz (pictured left) is a graduate of the Rio Hondo Police Academy and became an officer with the CSUN Police Department in 2007 after serving several years as a student assistant with the Matador Patrol. Officer Quiroz holds Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) certificates in a variety of topics including sexual assault, domestic violence, bicycle patrol and first aid and CPR. He graduated from CSUN with a B.A. in Sociology with an emphasis in Criminology. In his free time he enjoys playing all types of sports and spending time with friends.

Officer Matt Dunwoody (pictured right) graduated from the Ventura County Sheriff's Academy in 2001 and joined the CSUN Police Department in 2008. During his time spent with the Ventura County Sheriff's Department he developed an interest in traffic safety and domestic violence enforcement. Because of this, he has a good working knowledge of the restraining order process and some of the pitfalls domestic violence victims may face. In his spare time, he enjoys hockey, golf, riding horses and spending time with family. Officer Dunwoody is looking forward to creating a safe, fun and educational environment for all housing students.

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- Get to know your roommates
- Keep safety in mind at all times
- Learn about the police department
- Attend informative events
- Get involved
- Enlist the aid of police officers or housing staff if you need help
- Communicate
- Keep important phone numbers handy
- Use on-campus resources



Request that your Community Policing Team conduct presentations on alcohol and drug awareness, sexual assault prevention, personal safety, bicycle safety and many other topics to get your residents involved! (818) 677-2107 or email: communitycops@csun.edu